My Covenant to Pray for Revival and Spiritual Awakening

Effective prayer for revival and spiritual awakening is a vital key to expanding God's kingdom. In fact, such prayer is the only real hope for our land! Yet, the prayers that bring sweeping awakening are not casual or general. Neither are they focused solely on revival. The twelve prayers in this covenant are unique in that they cover the key elements of true revival, church health and kingdom growth. While they are not rote formulas to repeat verbatim, they do represent much of God's heart and kingdom purpose. Believers, it is time for our prayers to deepen, our understanding to increase and our hearts to fully align with God's Let us covenant to make the following prayers key elements in our quiet times and corporate prayer meetings.

A Covenant Prayer — "Lord and Savior, I covenant to walk with You in first love passion and obedience. Father, I understand that Your heart is focused on reviving the Church and sending spiritual awakening to a lost world. Therefore by Your grace, I covenant to embrace Your heart for revival and awakening in three ways. (1) As the Holy Spirit guides, I will ray through the Twelve Biblical Prayers for Revival, Awakening and Kingdom growth; (2) I will take time to initially study through the twelve prayers to sensitize my heart to Your kingdom priorities; (3) I will urge my church and small groups to periodically pray through the Twelve Biblical Prayers for Revival and Spiritual Awakening." As you prepare to pray through the prayers for revival always pause and ask for God's cleansing and fullness. Ask Him to help you ray in genuine faith and supernatural power. "The effective, fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much." (James 5:16b)

Covenant Prayers for Revival and Spiritual Awakening "A Personal, Church and Nation-wide Prayer Covenant"

- 1. Plead for God's Merciful Grace on a Nation and Many Churches that are Under His Righteous Judgment (2 Chronicles 7:14; Psalm 85:4-7; Daniel 9:18-19; Hebrews 4:16; James 4:8-10; 1 Peter 4:17)
- 2. Pray for an Explosion of First Love Passion for Christ and a Deep Burden for Lost Humanity (Matthew 5:6, 44, 22:37-39; Philippians 2:13; 1 John 4:7-11, 20-21; Revelation 2:1-4, 3:15)
- 3. Cry Out for Deep Brokenness, God-Seeking Reverential Fear and Humble Repentance to

- **Sweep God's People** (Psalm 51:17; Proverbs 28:13; John 14:15; 2 Corinthians 7:1, 10; Ephesians 5:26-27; Hebrews 12:14)
- 4. Cry Out for a Mighty Movement of Fervent Personal and Corporate Prayer with Spirit-led Fasting (2 Chronicles 7:14; Joel 1:14, 2:12-18; Matthew 6:16-18, 17:21, 21:13; Mark 11:17; Acts 2:1, 4:30-31; James 5:16)
- 5. Plead for God's Powerful Manifest Presence, a Restraining of Evil and a Mighty Outpouring of His Spirit (Exodus 33:15; 1 Kings 8:11; Isaiah 59:19; Zechariah 4:6; Acts 1:8, 2:1-2, 4:31)
- 6. Pray for a Burning Passion for Evangelism, Discipleship and Missions to Sweep God's People (Matthew 24:14, 28:18-20; Luke 19:10; Acts 1:8; Romans 9:1-3)
- 7. Plead for Church Leaders Filled with Holy Boldness, Fervent Prayer, Spiritual Power and Strong Scripture Focus (1 Corinthians 2:4; 1 Timothy 3:1-2; 2 Timothy 1:6-7)
- 8. Cry Out for Supernatural Love and Unity to Sweep Churches, Denominations and Families (John 13:34-35; 15:12; 17:20-22; Acts 2:1, 42-47; 1 Corinthians 1:10; Ephesians 4:29-32)
- 9. Pray for Powerful Faith, Pure Motives and Godly Wisdom in Seasons of Judgment (Joshua 1:9; Jeremiah 29:16-18, 45:5; Acts 4:29-31; Matthew 6:33, 9:29, 16:18, 17:20; Mark 9:23, 11:22-24; 2 Timothy 1:7; James 4:1-4)
- 10. Plead for Churches to Proclaim Christ's Preeminence, Calvary's Cross and True New-Birth Conversion (John 3:3, 13:32, 16:8-14; Acts 4:12; Romans 6:1-14; Philippians 2:5-11; Colossians 1:9-18)
- 11. Cry Out for an Explosion of Sound Biblical Doctrine and Theology with Full Exaltation of God's Glory and Grace (1 Chronicles 29:10-13; Isaiah 42:8; Acts 20:27; 1 Corinthians 1:29; Ephesians 1:3-6, 2:7-9; 1 Timothy 1:17)
- 12. Plead for God to Rend the Heavens in Sweeping Revival and to Transform the Nations in Spiritual Awakening. Cry Out for Christ's Swift Return! (Psalm 2:8; 72:11, 85:6-7; Isaiah 64:1; Acts 2:1-2, 4:30-31; Ephesians 5:26-27; Revelations 22:17, 20)

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