

PERILOUS TIMES

Psalm 11:1-7 KJV

[1] In the Lord put I my trust: how say ye to my soul, Flee as a bird to your mountain? [2] For, lo, the wicked bend their bow, they make ready their arrow upon the string, that they may privily shoot at the upright in heart. [3] If the foundations be destroyed, what can the righteous do? [4] The Lord is in his holy temple, the Lord's throne is in heaven: his eyes behold, his eyelids try, the children of men. [5] The Lord trieth the righteous: but the wicked and him that loveth violence his soul hateth. [6] Upon the wicked he shall rain snares, fire and brimstone, and an horrible tempest: this shall be the portion of their cup. [7] For the righteous Lord loveth righteousness; his countenance doth behold the upright.

What are the foundations referred to in verse 3? He likens it to a building, our nation is built on Godly principles and scriptural laws. These were the firm foundations God gave us to live by. There is a way that seems right unto a man but in the end they are the ways of death. We have allowed the laws of God to be slowly chipped away at until the foundations of this nation are in serious jeopardy.



SOME OF THE PRINCIPLES THIS NATION WAS FOUNDED ON:

1. LAW AND ORDER
2. JUSTICE AND TRUTH
3. MORALITY
4. INTEGRITY
5. FAITH
6. DECENCY
7. LOVE



The unbelievers are going to continue disbelieve in God and turn away from him unto their own ungodly desires, it's up to the believers to fight for Godly virtues and principles in this country.



2 Chronicles 7:14 KJV

If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.



God hates the lovers of violence, his soul hateth the wicked, we should keep this in mind. Those who mock and lie stand already in Gods crosshairs, treasuring up wrath. God chooses to react based on how his people respond. God loves his people and if we obey him, nothing can stop us, but if we turn away from God, he will leave us to our own. We cannot sit quietly by and say nothing. We need to pray for redemption and revival and not stop until God answers us.



WHAT ARE THE RESPONSES OF THE GODLY PEOPLE TO OUR PERILOUS TIMES



1. **TURN TO GOD** - a general repentance towards God and humbling ourselves. Turn from our ways and ask forgiveness and for the power of God to heal this land.



2. **STAY PUT, FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT, DON'T RUN** - did God create you for this moment of time, in this hour, to be a light and salt in a land that desperately need Revival.



3. **CLEANSE OUR HEARTS BEFORE GOD AND GOD WILL HEAR OUR CRIES.**

4. **STAND FIRM, BOLD, COMMITTED, AND RESOLUTE IN THE WORD OF GOD.**

5. **KNOW THE TRUTH AND UNDERSTAND IT TO BE ABLE TO DEFEND IT.**

6. **PRAY EARNESTLY AND WITHOUT STOPPING.**