

SUMMARY

Sermon Notes with Pastor's Teaching Tool

RE-THINK – WORSHIP

Worshipping Warriors (Part XIII)

May 28, 2023

Psalm 149:1-9 (v. 6-9)

6 Let the high praises of God be in their mouth, and a two-edged sword in their hand;

7 To execute vengeance upon the heathen, and punishments upon the people;

8 To bind their kings with chains, and their nobles with fetters of iron;

9 To execute upon them the judgment written: this honour have all his saints. Praise ye the LORD.

PRAISE AND POWER PART #1

Teaching Purpose

Answers the question, “How should I understand this verse?” Is the passage dealing with a:

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| <u>Sin</u> to confess and forsake? | <u>Promise</u> to claim? | <u>Example</u> to follow? | <u>Command</u> to obey? | <u>Situation</u> or <u>State of mind</u> to avoid before it develops into a sin? |

Sermonic Principle(s)

Answers the question, “What’s in it, or what’s the take away for me?”

- I) The weekend of May 28, 2023 is being honored by Citizens of America as **Memorial Day** weekend (a National Holiday) which **commemorates ALL** who gave their lives in Service to this nation
- II) The weekend of May 28, 2023 is being honored by Christians around the world as Pentecost Weekend (a World-Wide Holy Day) which commemorates the Descent of the Holy Spirit on the Apostles and other followers of the Lord Jesus Christ when they were in Jerusalem celebrating the Feast of WEEKS

- III) The name **Pentecost** comes from the Greek word **“Pente Koste”** which means **fiftieth**.
- IV) This **Holy Day** is celebrated on the **seventh** Sunday after **EASTER** (which is also 50 days after **EASTER**)
- V) **Pentecost** is an important day and event in the **Christian** faith that is **described** in the **Book of ACTS** (**chapter 2:1-31**)

VI) The message of **Pentecost** is a message of

Hope and **Grace**

a) **GOD**...is real...therefore we are **not ALONE**

b) The **LJC** sent the **HOLY SPIRIT**...

- to **fill** and to **equip** each believer

- to **work** and to **gather in** the great **“Spiritual Harvest”**

VII) **Pentecost** signifies...

a) a time of **renewal** for **every Christian**

b) a focus on **evangelism**

c) the **empowerment** of the **HOLY SPIRIT**

d) a deeper intimacy with GOD and

e) a greater awareness of Identify/ Mission/ Message/ and Moral Purpose

VIII) PENTECOST is the BIRTHDAY OF THE CHURCH!!!

IX) The presence of THE HOLY SPIRIT in the

Daily Life of the BELIEVER...

Fills and Equips the SAINT for PRAISE and

the SOLDIER with Power!!!

Action Point

Having heard and understood this teaching, answers the question, “WHAT should I do?”

LIVE LIKE IT!

GOD... THE FATHER... provides OUR SALVATION!

GOD... THE SON buys OUR SALVATION!

GOD... THE HOLY SPIRIT... applies our SALVATION

TO OUR EVERYDAY LIVES!

RESPOND TO HIM WITH ALL THAT YOU ARE!

Which Looks Like...Submit to HIM!

Yield to HIM!

Align yourself with HIM!

Line Up under HIM!

Build your LIFE UPON HIM!

Build your LIFE AROUND HIM!

Center your LIFE IN HIM!

REMEMBER / REALIZE / AND NEVER FORGET:

The **GREATEST** Expression of **WORSHIP** is

The **SMALLEST** act of **OBEDIENCE!**

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