

Watchman's Prayer Letter



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A Lamp To Our Feet

“Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path” (Psalm 119:105).



This instructive Bible verse is very familiar to Jews and Christians; however, how much time do we spend meditating on God's Word actually resembling a light on the path of prayer for Israel – the path we travel upon this earth? Whenever “*or*” (Hebrew for light) shines it dispels darkness and exposes what is around us. What a dark place the world would be if none of us owned a Bible! With gloom and doom the order of the day, and shadows falling around the world, the voices of many who hate the Lord God of Israel, and His Son, Jesus the Messiah, would quickly turn our days into obscurity and confusion if we did not have God's Word. How we need to thank Him for this wonderful gift we possess.

The Jewish Psalmist, who penned Psalm 119, certainly knew how to enter into God's Presence and allow the light of God's Truth to shine on him in a way in which he could pray and praise the Lord God. One thing is certain to me, there is NOTHING as important to me, not one earthly possession more valuable and more loved, than my Bible. Daily it gives me hope, strengthens my inner person and rekindles the light of my candle from within its pages. It definitely shines deep within my heart, and teaches me how to pray God's Word. When I pray His Word, it results in my praying His Will into each matter of concern for Israel.

When it comes to praying for the Jewish people, we must always have God's Word within our reach, to refer to the Promises of God for His Chosen People. The commands God laid down in the Scriptures and the prophetic word given to them, will help us pray into each difficult situation Israel faces. As the night grows darker in these end times, God will illuminate His light, which will grow brighter and brighter. That same light is found in the Bibles we carry every day and from which we glean God's will. The next time you meet for prayer with God, hold up your Bible to God and thank Him for it, for in Him is light and in His Word is light so that we will have understanding in our hearts how to pray for beloved Israel.

“At midnight I will rise to give thanks unto thee because of thy righteous judgments. I am a companion of all them that fear thee, and of them that keep thy precepts...thou hast dealt well with thy servant, O LORD, according unto thy Word” (Psalm 119:62-63, 65, KJV).

God's Word is truly a LIGHT and a source of truth radiating His mercy, love and commitment to His beloved People: Israel.

“For ever, O LORD, thy word is settled in heaven” (Psalm 119:89).



Let's Enter Our Prayer Rooms Together

With spiritual indifference everywhere, thank God He knows those who belong to Him around the world. Together, in one accord, we bring our petitions and supplications into His presence, speaking God's wisdom. The rulers of this generation, such as the United Nations, various summits and conferences, all are trying to solve problems using the wisdom of this age – their own wisdom and the spirit of the world guides them. **(1 Corinthians 2:6,14)**. We must pray hard and sincerely, as we live in a very difficult age.

- **Petition Heaven** to prevent Tomorrowland (an event that has multitudes of young people in its grip, which totally mesmerizes them and openly promotes the worshipping of demons) from entering Israel. It has been travelling the world enticing our youth to enter its grips and now it is due to come to the borders of Israel. This cult is tied with Kali the Hindu goddess of death and destruction. "The organizers of this event are intending to extend a Jerusalem invitation be given to Lucifer in the form of the anti-Messiah from the Payis Arena in Jerusalem..." (*The Carmel Alert*).
- **Pray for** our congregations around the world to assemble and call upon the Lord. Include world assemblies and those in decision-making positions. It seems the call to fast has become a thing of the past when God is waiting for us to seek His Face in humility. **"Sanctify ye a fast, call a solemn assembly, gather the elders and all the inhabitants of the land into the house of the LORD your God, and cry unto the LORD"** (Joel 1:14).
- **Intercede for** those caught in the grip of deceit, hatred and murder, such as ISIS, Hizbullah, Hamas and other terror groups who live to plot terror attacks on Israeli citizens (such as a 13-year-old Jewish girl stabbed to death in her bed and a Jewish father of 10 children who was shot by terrorists). These are only two examples of many senseless murders in Israel. These wicked people are caught in the darkness of deep-seated hatred and murder, and they need to be freed from the chains of satanic strongholds that bind their souls. Only God can cause this freedom to come about. **"And they have cast lots for my people..."** (Joel 3:3). Pray for their salvation.
- **Pray fervently for** Israel – a country that shines in levels of science, medical breakthroughs, startups, helping other nations in trouble, saving lives of their enemies and maintaining the most moral army in the world – to return to God as a nation. They need to seek His Face for the morality and corruption problems within the nation. Pray for their redemption and for the light of Messiah to shine upon the wonderful people of Israel. **"In those days, and in that time, saith the Lord, the children of Israel shall come, they and the children of Judah together, going and weeping: they shall go, and seek the LORD their God..."** (Jeremiah 50:4). **"Afterward shall the children of Israel return, and seek the LORD their God, and David their king; and shall fear the Lord and His goodness in the latter days"** (Hosea 3:5).
- **Plead for the Day** when Israel will truly be a "light (spiritual) to the nations" (**Isaiah 49:6**) so that they can lead the nations of the world in the true light of God. That will take place when the Prince of Peace arrives and sets up His Father's Kingdom. This will be a day when all governments, including Israel's, will no longer be able to find corruption within their gates nor men working by human precepts alone. **"I will go and return to my place, till they acknowledge their offence, and seek my face: in their affliction they will seek me early"** (Hosea 5:15).

Once again, in your early morning prayer times, prayer watches throughout the day, at midnight (Psalm 119:62), lying down and upon rising, before the dawning of the morning, (Psalm 119:147), the night watches (Psalm 119:148) and your Israel prayer times, press through to the gates and allow prayer from the Word of God to do its work.

Until He Comes,

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