
They said to me, "The remnant there in the province who survived the captivity are in great distress and
reproach, and the wall of Jerusalem is broken down and its gates are burned with fire." When I heard
these words, I sat down and wept and mourned for days; and I was fasting and praying before the God
of heaven. I said, "I beseech You, O LORD God of heaven, the great and awesome God, who preserves
the covenant and lovingkindness for those who love Him and keep His commandments, let Your ear now
be attentive and Your eyes open to hear the prayer of Your servant which I am praying before You now,
day and night, on behalf of the sons of Israel Your servants, confessing the sins of the sons of Israel
which we have sinned against You; I and my father's house have sinned. " We have acted very corruptly
against You and have not kept the commandments, nor the statutes, nor the ordinances which You
servant Mo "Remember the word which You anded Your vant Moses,
unfaithful I atter you among the peoples; but if you return to and keep My
Nehemiah
Come Let Us Rebuild.

Walking in the Fear of God

Nehemiah 13:15-22

Nehemiah

Walking in the Fear of God

- Bounty = Blessing?

  Nehemiah saw & admonished

- Call a spade a spade

  Nehemiah reprimanded, declaring evil

- Fermé La Porte

  Nehemiah commandments to shut the door



Nehemiah

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Nehemiah

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material blessing $\stackrel{?}{=}$ Gods approval



Nehemiah

Again I said, "The thing which you are doing is not good; should you not walk in the fear of our God because of the reproach of the nations, our enemies? Neh. 5:9

But the former governors who were before me laid burdens on the people and took from them bread and wine besides forty shekels of silver; even their servants domineered the people. But I did not do so because of the fear of God. Neh. 5:15

Nehemiah

Hananiah the commander of the fortress, in charge of Jerusalem, for he was a faithful man and feared God more than many. Neh. 7:2

Isaiah 33:6
And He will be the stability of your times,
A wealth of salvation, wisdom and knowledge;
The fear of the Lord is his treasure.

When you fear God, you fear nothing else. When you don't fear God, you fear everything else… ~ Oswald Chambers

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Nehemiah

“Until we have seen ourselves as God sees us, we are not likely to be much disturbed over conditions around us as long as they do not get so far out of hand as to threaten our comfortable way of life.”

A.W. Tozer
The Knowledge of The Holy

But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh in regard to its lusts. Romans 13:14

pronoia; from Greek 4306 (ðñïíïÝù, Σ Σ Σ Σ Σ ∫ Σ Σ); **foresight**, **forethought**:— providence(1), provision(1).

If you address as Father the One who impartially judges according to each one's work, conduct yourselves in fear during the time of your stay on earth;

1 Peter 1:17