PSALMS 85

OPEN: IF WE DO NOT PRAY ON BEHALF OF OUR NATION WHO WILL? WHO CAN SEEK GOD FOR HIS MERCY AND FAVOR?

IT'S NOT NO VOTE NO GRUMBLE......FOR THE BELIEVER IT'S NO PRAY NO GRUMBLE

WHICH WAY TO YOUR VILLAGE RIDDLE

THE SIMPLEST ANSWER IS USUALLY THE RIGHT ANSWER OCCAM'S RAZOR = WILLIAM OF OCKHAM

"when you have two competing theories which make exactly the same predictions, the one that is simpler is the better"

EVEN THOUGH IT SOUNDS SIMPLE, IT STILL TAKES CRITICAL THINKING TO CHOSE WHICH IS THE SIMPLEST CHOICE OVER THE MORE COMPLEXED.

ESPECIALLY IF YOU ALWAYS MAKES THING COMPLICATED

GOD IS COMPLEXED IN CHARACTER, BUT SIMPLE IN SOLUTIONS. MAN IS SIMPLE IN CHARACTER, BUT COMPLEXED IN SOLUTIONS.

BECAUSE GOD IS SO COMPLEXED IN HIS THINKING HE CAN EASILY SOLVE MAN'S COMPLEXED SITUATIONS

BECAUSE MAN IS SIMPLE IN HIS THINKING HE OVER THINKS EVERYTHING AND MAKES THINGS MORE COMPLICATED

VS 1-3 THE DESCRIPTION OF GOD'S MERCIFUL WAYS

HIS FAVOR TOWARDS ISRAEL AND ANY LAND THAT WELCOMES HIM AS THERE GOD

PS 33:12

<u>Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD</u>, The people whom He has chosen for His own inheritance.

THIS IS NOT A PATRIOTIC THING......GOD BLESS AMERICA.....THIS IS ABOUT ANY NATION THAT WILL BLESS GOD AND CALL HIM LORD / YHVH! BLESSED IS THE NATION WHO'S ELOHIM / GOD / JUDGE IS YHVH [A JUDGE WHO HAS MERCY]

NOT ADONAI AS IN LORD / MASTER..... BUT YHVH THE EXISTING ONE, THE
COMPASSIONATE ONE IS OUR GOD

3 RESULTS OF YHVH' MERCY TOWARDS A NATION THAT RETURNS TO HIM

1] GOD'S FAVOR ON THE LAND VS 1

RATSAH = to be pleased with, be favourable to, accept favourably SO GOD HAS FAVORITES AFTER ALL THOSE THAT MAKE HIM THEIR YHVH

2] THE FORGIVING OF INIQUITY [THE CONSEQUENCES OF YOUR SIN] VS 2
THE BY-PRODUCT OF THE ACT OF OUR SINS WHICH ARE BENT AND TWISTED

3] ELOHIM' WRATH / ANGER IS REMOVED A STAY OF JUDGEMENT VS 3
AS A NATION WE ARE GUILTY BEFORE GOD SO WAS NINEVEH
WORSHIP: HOW GREAT IS OUR

VS 4-7] THE BASES OF ASKING GOD TO RESTORE US IS BASED ON HIS SALVATION / YESHUA NOT OURS ["RESTORE US AGAIN"]
BECAUSE GOD SAVED US WE HAVE THE RIGHT TO PLED WITH HIM ON BEHALF OF OUR LAND
THE RESTORATION OF A NATION HAS TO COME FROM THE SAVED OF GOD HE WILL NOT BE ANGRY FOREVER

IT'S ONLY THE SAVE WHO CAN PLED WITH GOD FOR THE RESTORATION OF THEIR LAND "YOUR PEOPLE MAY REJOICE IN YOU" [VS 6]

VS 8-9] I WILL HEAR WHAT ELOHIM YHVH WILL SAY = SHEMA
LET ME HEAR = LET ME DO WHAT GOD SAID
HE WILL SPEAK PEACE = SHALOM = PROSPERITY OVER EVER PART OF OUR
LIVES [EMOTIONAL, PHYSICAL SPIRITUAL, HEALTH, OUR WEALTH AND
FAMILIES]

WARNING: WITH THAT BLESSING DO NOT TURN BACK TO OUR SINFUL WAYS AS A NATION

HOW CAN THIS BE POSSIBLE? BECAUSE GOD'S SALVATION IS NEAR TO THOSE
WHO BELIEVE. WE THE SAVED MUST ACT ON OUR SALVATION BY PLEADING
WITH GOD FOR OUR LANDS

<u>THE RESULT WILL GLORY DWELLING IN THE LAND GLORY = kä·vode' = glory,</u>
<u>honour, glorious, abundance</u>

VS 10-13] LOVINGKINDNESS AND TRUTH HAVE MET TOGETHER = THE RESULTS OF WHEN GOD'S PEOPLE'S HEARTS BECOMES LIKE OUR GOD

TRUTH=GOD'S WAYS
RIGHTEOUSNESS AND PEACE KISS = THEY BECOME INSEPARABLE

VS 11-12] HEAVEN AND EARTH IN PARTNERSHIP
WHEN THIS HAPPENS GOD'S BLESSINGS FILL THE LAND

VS 12] GOD WANTS MANKIND TO PROSPER.... BUT HE WANTS US TO PROSPER BY HIS WAY NOT OURS WHY? [LOVINGKINDNESS, RIGHTEOUSNESS LOOK AROUND AND SEE WHAT HAPPENS TO MANKIND WHEN WE PROSPER OUR WAY

VS 13] WILL MAKE HIS FOOTSTEPS INTO A WAY = RIGHTEOUSNESS ALWAYS GOES BEFORE GOD HE KNOWS NO OTHER PATH

***ARE WE GOING TO LET GOD' RIGHTEOUSNESS LEAD US AS HIS CHURCH OR OUR WE GOING TO CONTINUE TO WALK IN THE COMPLEXED WAYS OF OUR SINS?

BEFORE YOU ANSWER THAT QUESTION WHICH IS THE SIMPLE CHOICE? CONTINUING IN THE COMPLEXED PROBLEMS THAT SIN IS CAUSING IN YOUR LIVES, THE CHURCH, THIS NATION.....OR CHOOSING THE SIMPLE WAYS OF GOD'S RIGHTEOUSNESS?

1 JOHN 5:3

For this is the love of God, that we keep His commandments; and HIs commandments are not burdensome.