



May
GOD
Bless America



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Psalm 33:10-12

Sermon in a Sentence:

Our nation needs the blessings of God in all their forms like no other time in history.

Question:

What do God's blessings look like?

**Most assume that when a nation is blessed by God
it will experience prosperity, peace, and protection.
But these are only byproducts of the true blessings of God.**

I. The LORD blesses a nation through holy confusion.

- A. The psalmist reminds us that sometimes God must interfere in a nation's plans in order to produce the greater good.
- B. There have been instances in which God had to bring confusion to accomplish his plan.
 - 1. *But "God is not the author of confusion."*
 - 2. *This nation has also experienced confusion that led to God's blessings.*
 - 3. *At times, the greatest blessing a nation can experience is for God to sow holy confusion that He might save us from ourselves.*

II. The LORD blesses a nation through holy counsel.

- A. The psalmist reminds the people that the wisdom and counsel of God lasts forever.
- B. Because God's wisdom and counsel stand forever, we should seek His leadership for our nation.

1. Our founding fathers understood this.

- a. *"I have lived, Sir, a long time, and the longer I live, the more convincing proofs I see of this truth—that God governs in the affairs of men." "I therefore beg leave to move—that henceforth prayers imploring the assistance of Heaven, and its blessings on our deliberations, be held in this Assembly every morning before we proceed to business..."*

Benjamin Franklin

Constitutional Convention, June 28, 1787

- b. *"It would be peculiarly improper to omit in this first official act my fervent supplications to that Almighty Being who rules over the universe, who presides in the councils of nations..."*

George Washington

First Inaugural Address, April 30, 1789

- c. *"That He would preside over the councils of the nation at this critical period, enlighten them to a just discernment of the public interest, and save them from mistake, division, and discord."*

John Adams

National Day of Humiliation, Fasting, and Prayer, March 6, 1799

- 2. **It is our responsibility as citizens to pray for God's wisdom for our leaders and for His will to be done.**

C. If we will seek God's wisdom for ourselves and for our leaders, He will grant it.

- 1. **Proverbs 2:6**

For the LORD gives wisdom; from his mouth come knowledge and understanding...

- 2. **Isaiah 28:29-**

This also comes from the LORD of hosts; He is wonderful in counsel and excellent in wisdom.

III. The LORD blesses a nation through holy consecration.

- A. The psalmist concludes this section by reminding Israel that it is a blessing to have the LORD as their God.
- B. The greatest blessing the people of any nation can experience is to be part of God's people.
- C. America will not be a Christian nation until it is a nation of Christians.

- 1. *"Without God, there is no virtue, because there's no prompting of the conscience. Without God, we're mired in the material, that flat world that tells us only what the senses perceive. Without God, there is a coarsening of the society. And if we ever forget that we're one nation under God, then we will be a nation gone under."*

Ronald Reagan

Prayer Breakfast, Dallas, TX, August 23, 1984

- 2. **We must remind this nation again of the blessings of being one nation under God in Christ Jesus.**