

BEWARE LEST THOU FORGET

Deu 4:9 Only take heed to thyself, and keep thy soul diligently, lest thou forget the things which thine eyes have seen, and lest they depart from thy heart all the days of thy life: but teach them thy sons, and thy sons' sons;

Deu 6:10 And it shall be, when the LORD thy God shall have brought thee into the land which he swore unto thy fathers, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, to give thee great and goodly cities, which thou buildedst not,

Deu 6:11 And houses full of all good *things*, which thou filledst not, and wells digged, which thou diggedst not, vineyards and olive trees, which thou plantedst not; when thou shalt have eaten and be full;

Deu 6:12 *Then* beware lest thou forget the LORD, which brought thee forth out of the land of Egypt, from the house of bondage.

1Ti 1:19 Holding faith, and a good conscience; which some having put away concerning faith have made shipwreck:

WE MUST NEVER FORGET

.We should remember the horrific events of that day like it was yesterday.

We must never forget that day, when the worst attacks on American soil occurred since the attack on Pearl Harbor almost sixty-six years ago.

We must never forget that a hateful group of terrorists set out on a course of unspeakable evil.

They struck at the World Trade Center, the symbol of world economic might.

They struck at the Pentagon, the symbol of America's military might.

And - if it were not for the bravery of the passengers on United Flight 93 - the White House or the Capitol, true beacons of democracy, might have also been struck.

We must never forget that the terrorists were deliberate - or that they operated in cold blood. They lived under the misguided

philosophy of hatred for freedom and for those who enjoy its benefits.

And we must never forget that they consciously and intentionally targeted thousands of innocent civilians.

The perpetrators believed Americans were soft. They thought these attacks would dishearten us. They wanted to vanquish our will and divide our country.

In a word, the terrorists were wrong. Their unprovoked acts of callous aggression actually unified our nation. The attacks rallied our nation - and nations around the world - because it wasn't just an attack on America ... **eighty-four nations had personnel perish in the World Trade Center.**

**WHEN NATIONS AND PEOPLE FORGET GOD THERE
IS A HIGH PRICE OF CONSEQUENCE THAT
FOLLOWS**

Psa 9:17 The wicked shall be turned into hell, *and* all the nations that forget God.

1. Aleksandr the Russian who was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize was asked the question, "What made it possible for the Russian Revolution to take place and for Communism to rise to power? His reply was simple and direct: "Men forgot God."
2. There have been man and women who have grown up in church, filled with the Holy Ghost and living a godly life and been active in the church and who get caught up in the secular world system with its thirst for material gain and seek to climb the ladder of success – and little by little drift away from the church, forsake their Christian heritage, and gradually forget God. And many years later, have made shipwreck of their lives.
3. Committing our lives to the Lord won't deliver us from the problems of life, but our faith in Him gives us an anchor to hold on to when the storms of life surround us and the tough times threaten to overwhelm us.

4. Sometimes life can be heartbreaking. We ask why but cannot find an answer. We search for a light to see us through the night but are overcome by the darkness. But when we have a solid faith in Jesus, as the song says “I have faith he is going to see me through.”

WHAT WE MUST NEVER FORGET

We must never forget where He brought us from

Psa 40:2 He brought me up also out of a horrible pit, out of the miry clay, and set my feet upon a rock, *and* established my goings.

Psa 40:3 And he hath put a new song in my mouth, *even* praise unto our God: many shall see *it*, and fear, and shall trust in the LORD.

Psa 40:4 Blessed is that man that maketh the LORD his trust, and respecteth not the proud, nor such as turn aside to lies.

Zec 9:11 As for thee also, by the blood of thy covenant I have sent forth thy prisoners out of the pit wherein is no water.

2. We must never forget the joy of repentance with tears coursing down our cheeks and the feeling that our sins had been forgiven. And the cool waters of baptism washing away our sins.
3. And the infilling of God’s spirit in our lives, with joy unspeakable and full of glory.

Joh 5:24 Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that heareth my word, and believeth on him that sent me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation; but is passed from death unto life.

WE MUST NEVER FORGET THE HOUSE OF GOD

Psa 137:1 By the rivers of Babylon, there we sat down, yea, we wept, when we remembered Zion.

Psa 137:2 We hanged our harps upon the willows in the midst thereof.

Psa 137:3 For there they that carried us away captive required of us a song; and they that wasted us *required of us* mirth, *saying*, Sing us *one* of the songs of Zion.

Psa 137:4 How shall we sing the LORD's song in a strange land?

Psa 137:5 If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget *her cunning*.

Psa 137:6 If I do not remember thee, let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth; if I prefer not Jerusalem above my chief joy.

Psa 84:1 How amiable *are* thy tabernacles, O LORD of hosts!

Psa 84:2 My soul longeth, yea even fainteth for the courts of the LORD: my heart and my flesh crieth out for the living God.

Psa 84:3 Yea, the sparrow hath found a house, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may lay her young, *even* thine altars, O LORD of hosts, my King, and my God.

Psa 84:4 Blessed *are* they that dwell in thy house: they will be still praising thee. Selah.

Psa 84:5 Blessed *is* the man whose strength *is* in thee; in whose heart *are* the ways of *them*.

Psa 84:6 *Who* passing through the valley of Baca make it a well; the rain also filleth the pools.

Psa 84:7 They go from strength to strength, *every one of them* in Zion appeareth before God.

Psa 84:8 O LORD God of hosts, hear my prayer: give ear, O God of Jacob. Selah.

Psa 84:9 Behold, O God our shield, and look upon the face of thine anointed.

Psa 84:10 For a day in thy courts *is* better than a thousand. I had rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God, than to dwell in the tents of wickedness.

Psa 84:11 For the LORD God *is* a sun and shield: the LORD will give grace and glory: no good *thing* will he withhold from them that walk uprightly.

Psa 84:12 O LORD of hosts, blessed *is* the man that trusteth in thee.

1. **I want to have the spirit of the one leper that came back to give Him thanks.**

WE MUST NEVER FORGET THAT HE IS COMING BACK **FOR US**

Joh 16:7 Nevertheless I tell you the truth; It is expedient for you that I go away: for if I go not away, the Comforter will not come unto you; but if I depart, I will send him unto you.

Act 1:9 And when he had spoken these things, while they beheld, he was taken up; and a cloud received him out of their sight.

Act 1:10 And while they looked steadfastly toward heaven as he went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel;

Act 1:11 Which also said, Ye men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven? this same Jesus, which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven.

Joh 14:1 Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me.

Joh 14:2 In my Father's house are many mansions: if *it were* not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.

Joh 14:3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, *there* ye may be also.

Tit 2:13 Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Savior Jesus Christ;

Tit 2:14 Who gave himself for us, that he might redeem us from all iniquity, and purify unto himself a peculiar people, zealous of good works.

Tit 2:15 These things speak, and exhort, and rebuke with all authority. Let no man despise thee.