

WHY REVIVAL?...The Desperate Need Psalm 85

Revival is the “extraordinary _____ of the Spirit of God in the _____ of God's people, producing extraordinary _____.”

Marked by extra-ordinary...

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C _____ & R _____

L _____ & U _____

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W _____ & S _____

S _____ Awakening among the L _____

Why is revival so important?

1. Because to disregard revival is to misunderstand God's _____
2. Because without revival, we have no _____ against the rising tide of humanism & godlessness around us, carnality & callousness within us.
3. Because times of revival are the greatest means of God's _____ being _____.

Response – being 'doers' of the Word (James 1:22):

- 1) Ask God to take away the _____ of revival
- 2) Become a _____ of revival
- 3) Become an _____ of revival
- 4) Become an _____ of revival

Scripture text: Psalm 85:1-13 NIV

- ¹ You, LORD, showed favor to your land; you restored the fortunes of Jacob.
- ² You forgave the iniquity of your people and covered all their sins.
- ³ You set aside all your wrath and turned from your fierce anger.
- ⁴ Restore us again, God our Savior, and put away your displeasure toward us.
- ⁵ Will you be angry with us forever? Will you prolong your anger through all generations?
- ⁶ ***Will you not revive us again, that your people may rejoice in you?***
- ⁷ Show us your unfailing love, LORD, and grant us your salvation.
- ⁸ I will listen to what God the LORD says; he promises peace to his people, his faithful servants—but let them not turn to folly.
- ⁹ Surely his salvation is near those who fear him, that his glory may dwell in our land.
- ¹⁰ Love and faithfulness meet together; righteousness and peace kiss each other.
- ¹¹ Faithfulness springs forth from the earth, and righteousness looks down from heaven.
- ¹² The LORD will indeed give what is good, and our land will yield its harvest.
- ¹³ Righteousness goes before him and prepares the way for his steps.

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***From TRUTH through TRACTION to TRANSFORMATION:***

What did God say to you today?

What will you do about it?

With whom will you share this...and when?