

Last Amen, week 3 Devotionals

Things Which Will Be

Day 1: The Holiness of God

Devotional: There is power in the presence of God! How often do we take the time and opportunity to sit with him and say, “God, you are holy, holy, holy?” The whole earth is full of your glory. We can spend now until eternity in His presence acknowledging the greatness of God and we still wouldn't have enough breath in our lungs, enough time in eternity to declare how “holy, holy, holy” is the Lord. Isaiah 6 gives us a glimpse of this heavenly worship, where the seraphim call out to one another, “Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory.” This is a powerful reminder of God's absolute holiness and awesomeness – and our call to worship Him. As we start this week, let's focus on the holiness of God and how it should shape our lives.

Verse: “Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory.” - Isaiah 6:3

Question: How does acknowledging God's holiness impact your daily life and decisions?

Quote: When we spend time focusing on God, we are the ones who receive the greatest benefit.

Prayer: Lord, help us to see Your holiness and be in awe of Your glory. May our lives reflect Your holiness in all that we do. Amen.

Day 2: The Patience and Mercy of God

Devotional: God is gracious and merciful in the reality that He does not need to spare any of humanity. The fact that does, is a demonstration of the infinite love and grace of God, whose desire is to redeem humankind to Himself. Despite this, the response of the masses will not be repentance and turning to His grace. The overwhelming response of people in the end times will be rebellion. This shows the depth of human rebellion but also highlights God's incredible patience and mercy. He is giving the world time and opportunity to repent. Let's reflect on God's patience and mercy in our own lives and how we can extend that to others.

Verse: “The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. Instead He is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance.” - 2 Peter 3:9

Question: In what ways can you demonstrate God's patience and mercy to those around you?

Quote: God having the patience that He has, and the mercy that He does, to spare any of us is a demonstration of the infinite love and grace of a merciful God.

Prayer: Heavenly Father, thank You for Your patience and mercy. Help us to reflect these qualities in our interactions with others. Amen.

Day 3: The Certainty of Christ's Return

Devotional: Jesus Christ is going to come and put an end to all the chaos that He's allowed the world to go through apart from Him. No matter how chaotic the world may seem, Jesus is in control and will return to establish His reign. The Bible assures us that “At the name of Jesus, one day every knee will bow and every tongue will confess that he is Lord to the glory of the Father.” This should fill us with hope and anticipation. As we navigate through life's challenges, let's keep our eyes fixed on the promise of Christ's return and live in a way that honors Him.

Verse: “For the Lord himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first.”

- 1 Thessalonians 4:16

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Question: How does the certainty of Christ's return influence your daily actions and decisions?

Prayer: Lord Jesus, we eagerly await Your return. Help us to live each day in a way that honors You and reflects our hope in Your promises. Amen.

Day 4: Living with an Eternal Perspective

Devotional: We do not live for this life, but the next. We must encourage each other to live with an eternal perspective, focusing on the hope and anticipation of God's ultimate plan and promises. God tells us, "Behold, I am making all things new." This promise of a new heaven and earth should inspire us to live with purpose and hope, knowing that our present sufferings are not worth comparing with the glory that will be revealed in us. Let's strive to keep our eyes on the eternal and live in a way that reflects our hope in God's promises.

Verse: "He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away." - Revelation 21:4

Question: How can you shift your focus from temporary struggles to the eternal promises of God?

Quote: Take the best, highest pleasure and joy and satisfaction you can take in this life and times that by literally infinity. And that's what awaits us on the other side.

Prayer: Father, help us to live with an eternal perspective, focusing on Your promises and the hope of a new heaven and earth. Amen.

Day 5: Faithful Service

Devotional: When Christ does return, may He find us faithfully serving Him, doing what He's called us to do. As we await Christ's return, we are called to be faithful in our service to Him. The Bible encourages us, "Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain." Let's commit to faithfully serving Him in all that we do, knowing that our labor is not in vain.

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- 1 Corinthians 15:58

Question: In what ways can you faithfully serve God in your daily life?

Quote: May He find us faithfully serving him, doing what He's called us to do.

Prayer: Lord, help us to be faithful in our service to You. May our efforts bring glory to Your name and further Your kingdom. Amen.

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