

PRAYER PORTION

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*He taketh away the heart of the chief of the people of the earth, and causeth them to wander in a wilderness where there is no way. They grope in the dark without **light**, and he maketh them to stagger like a drunken man. Job 12:24-25*

*We have heard with our ears, O God, our fathers have told us, what work thou didst in their days, in the times of old How thou didst drive out the heathen with thy hand, and plantedst them; how thou didst afflict the people, and cast them out. For they got not the land in possession by their own sword, neither did their own arm save them: but thy right hand, and thine arm, and **the light** of thy countenance, because thou hadst a favour unto them. Thou art my King, O God; command deliverances for Jacob. Psalm 44:1-4*

*Praise ye the LORD, Praise, O ye servants of the LORD, praise the name of the LORD. Blessed be the name of the LORD from this time forth and for evermore. From the rising of **the sun** unto the going down of the same the LORD'S name is to be praised. The LORD is high above all nations, and **his glory** above the heavens. Who is like unto the LORD our God, who dwelleth on high, Who humbleth himself to behold the things that are in heaven, and in the earth! Psalm 113:1-6*

*Nevertheless the dimness shall not be such as was in her vexation, when at the first he lightly afflicted the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, and afterward did more grievously afflict her by the way of the sea, beyond Jordan, in Galilee of the nations. The people that walked in darkness have seen **a great light**: they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath **the light shined**. Isaiah 9:1-2*

***The light** of Israel shall be for a fire, and his Holy One for **a flame**: and it shall burn and devour his thorns and his briers in one day; Isaiah 10:17*

*Now, saith the LORD that formed me from the womb to be his servant, to bring Jacob again to him, Though Israel be not gathered, yet shall I be glorious in the eyes of the LORD, and my God shall be my strength. And he said, It is a light thing that thou shouldst be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob, and to restore the preserved of Israel: I will also give thee for **a light** to the Gentiles, that thou mayest be my salvation unto the end of the earth. Isaiah 49:5-6*

*Arise, shine: for **thy light** is come, and the glory of the LORD is risen upon thee. For, behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, and gross darkness the people: but the LORD shall arise upon thee, and his glory shall be seen upon thee. And the Gentiles shall come to **thy light**, and kings to **the brightness** of thy rising. Isaiah 60:1-3*

*The sun shall be no more **thy light** by day; neither for brightness shall the moon give **light** unto thee: but the LORD shall be unto thee **an everlasting light**, and thy God thy glory. Thy sun shall no more go down; neither shall thy moon withdraw itself: for the LORD shall be thine **everlasting light**... Isaiah 60:19-21*

*For Zion's sake will I not hold my peace, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until the righteousness thereof go forth as **brightness**, and the salvation thereof as **a lamp** that burneth. Isaiah 62:1*

*They that be wise shall shine as **the brightness** of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness as **the stars** for ever and ever. Daniel 12:3*

Then Jesus went thence, and departed into the coasts of Tyre and Sidon. And, behold, a woman of Canaan came out of the same coasts, and cried unto him, saying, Have mercy on me, O Lord, thou Son of David; my daughter is grievously vexed with a devil. But he answered her not a word. And his disciples came and besought him, saying, Send her away; for she crieth after us. But he answered and said, I am not sent but unto the lost sheep of the house of Israel. Then came she and worshipped him, saying, Lord, help me. But he answered and said, It is not meet to take the children's bread, and to cast it to dogs. And she said, Truth, Lord: yet the dogs eat of the crumbs which fall from their master's table. Then Jesus answered and said unto her, O woman, great is thy faith: be it unto thee even as thou wilt. And her daughter was made whole from that very hour. Matthew 15:21-27

*Go ye into all the world, and preach **the gospel** to every creature. He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned. And these signs shall follow them that believe; In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues; They shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover. So then after the Lord had spoken unto them, he was received up into heaven, and sat on the right hand of God. And they went forth, and preached every where, the Lord working with them, and confirming the word with signs following. Amen. Mark 16:15-20*

*All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made. In him was life; and the life was **the light** of men. And **the light shineth** in darkness; and the darkness comprehended it not. There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. The same came for a witness, to bear witness of **the Light**, that all men through him might believe. He was not **that Light**, but was sent to bear witness of **that Light**. That was **the true Light**, which **lighteth** every man that cometh into the world. He was in the world, and the world was made by him, and the world knew him not. John 1:3-10*

Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am **the light** of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have **the light of life**. John 8:12

At midday, O king, I saw in the way **a light from heaven, above the brightness of the sun, shining** round about me and them which journeyed with me. And when we were all fallen to the earth, I heard a voice speaking unto me, and saying in the Hebrew tongue, Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me? ...I said, Who art thou, Lord? And he said, I am Jesus whom thou persecutest. But rise, and stand upon thy feet: for I have appeared unto thee for this purpose, to make thee a minister and a witness both of these things which thou hast seen, and of those things in the which I will appear unto thee; delivering thee from the people, and from the Gentiles, unto whom now I will send thee, To open their eyes, and to turn them from darkness to **light**, and from the power of Satan unto God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins, and inheritance among them which are sanctified by faith that is in me. Acts 26:13-18

If our gospel be hid, it is hid to them that are lost: In whom the god of this world hath blinded the minds of them which believe not, lest **the light of the glorious gospel of Christ**, who is the image of God, should **shine** unto them. For we preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord; and ourselves your servants for Jesus' sake. For God, who commanded **the light** to shine out of darkness, hath **shined** in our hearts, to give **the light of the knowledge of the glory of God** in the face of Jesus Christ. 2 Corinthians 3:3-6

That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father...Do all things without murmurings and disputings: That ye may be blameless and harmless, the sons of God, without rebuke, in the midst of a crooked and perverse nation, among whom ye **shine as lights** in the world; Holding forth the word of life... Philippians 2:10-11, 14-16

Be not thou therefore ashamed of the testimony or our Lord...Our Saviour Jesus Christ, who hath abolished death, and hath brought life and immortality to **light** through the gospel: whereunto I am appointed a preacher, and an apostle, and a teacher of the Gentiles. 2 Timothy 1:9, 10-11

I saw another angel fly in the midst of heaven, having **the everlasting gospel** to preach unto them that dwell on the earth, and to every nation, and kindred, and tongue, and people, Saying with a loud voice, Fear God, and give glory to him; for the hour of his judgment is come: and worship him that made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and the fountains of waters. Revelation 14:6-7