

We are called to hold God above all else; all other gods, all other people, and all other distractions. Seeing God as who He is and affording Him the reverence that He is entitled to puts everything else into correct focus.

DAY ONE:

1. Read the following and record insights.

a. Proverbs 1:7

b. Job 28: 12-28

c. Proverbs 9: 10

d. Psalm 111: 7-10

e. Proverbs 15:33

2. Define awe

What about God is to produce awe?

How does who and what God is illuminate having the awe of God?

Where does wanting to be in control enter the picture?

DAY TWO AND DAY THREE:

Before looking at New Testament verse, let's look at some of the benefits of fearing the Lord.

a. Psalm 3:19

b. Psalm 33: 18

c. Psalm 34: 7

d. Psalm 103: 11

e. Psalm 103: 13

f. Psalm 103: 17

g. Psalm 112: 1-3

h. Psalm 115: 11,13

i. Psalm 145: 19

j. Psalm 147: 11

k. Proverbs 14: 27

l. Proverbs 14: 26

m. Proverbs 19: 23

n. Proverbs 22:4

o. Proverbs 31:30

p. Psalm 25: 14

q. Psalm 31: 19

r. Psalm 56: 4

s. Psalm 60: 4

t. Psalm 111:5

DAY FOUR:

1. Read I Peter 1: 13-21.

According to this passage, why fear God?

What do you see as tools to enable walking in fear or awe?

2. Read II Corinthians 6: 14 through II Corinthians 7:1.

What are the promises that enable?

What is the called for response to the fear of the Lord?

What do you understand to be the defilement of the flesh and spirit?

How would fear of the Lord affect the desire to have all defilement gone?

3. Read Philippians 2: 12-13 .

According to this passage what prompts the awe of God?

If God is working His will and His work, then what does fear have to do with my working out my salvation?

4. Read Philippians 2: 14-16.

How do you see grumbling and disputing reflecting on the fear of God?

How does the fear of God make you a light?

5. Read Hebrews 12: 22-29.

What prompts awe according to this passage?

DAY FIVE:

There is no contradiction in scripture. Spend today on these last verses and seeking God for understanding.

1. Read Malachi 3: 16-18 and record insights.

2. Read I John 4: 16-19 and record insights.

3. Read I Peter 3: 13-15 and record insights.

Does fearing God preclude loving Him and being loved by Him?

How?

Finally

His Plan_____

His Purpose_____