2020 - For His Glory

...Pray His Glory Across The Earth...*

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Habakkuk 2:14 - For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord as the waters cover the sea.

Agape love always trusts and this too fills the earth with the knowledge of His glory as the waters cover the sea. This is next in 1 Corinthians 13:7.

'Love is patient and kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud.
'It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.

'Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth.

'It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

<u>Love always trusts & the glory of the Lord</u> - Agape love always trusts. This is hard for us now and was impossible for us before we met the Lord for we have all been burned by promises that were not kept. How then can agape love trust? How then can the Lord even trust us for we also have let others down, including Him, not fulfilling all of our promises either?

Agape love can always trust because it's a work of the Lord in us to always trust despite the mistakes that others may make or that we may make. It forgives, trusting the Lord to help us get things right the next time and doesn't give up on us because we fail once or twice or even more than a few times. Agape love covers over a multitude of sins and this is what we have now so that we can always trust the work of the Lord in others despite mistakes or things happening differently than expected.

Therefore, as we seek the Lord today, let's ask Him to teach us how to agape —love-always-trust one another. If we mess up, let's get back in the race and if others mess up, let's help them get back in the race as well. And, let's rejoice because our Lord Jesus doesn't give up on us despite the mistakes we make and is always working in us to help us seek Him, to love one another and to be the people who always trust for this fills the earth the knowledge of His glory, of what He can do in the lives of those who belong to Him. Lord Jesus, help us truly love one another just as you have loved us and bring glory and honor to You! Amen!

Sincerely yours,

Pastor Ron

The 2020 Prayer Focus – <u>that we all would always trust for this brings the Lord honor and glory and that prayer would be restored in our public schools for this too will bring Him honor and glory!</u>

Today's Bible Chapters - 4/29

Numbers 6 Psalms 40-41 Song of Solomon 4 Hebrews 4

On the following words, I staked everything, and they have never failed, "Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world." David Livingstone (1813-1873)**

Proverbs 29

Thursday's Bible Chapters - 4/30

Numbers 7 Psalms 42-43 Song of Solomon 5 Hebrews 5

Be not, therefore, to confident in thine own opinion; but be willing to hear the judgment of others. Thomas a Kempis (1380-1472)**

Proverbs 30-31

Friday's Bible Chapters - 5/1

Numbers 8

Psalm 44

Song of Solomon 6

Hebrews 6

And thou knowest, O Lord, that in these matters I am not accustomed to being denied. (Concerning intercession for the lost) Charles G. Finney (1792-1875)**

Proverbs 1

Saturday's Bible Chapters – 5/2– The 68th National Day of Prayer

Numbers 9

Psalm 45

Song of Solomon 7

Hebrews 7

He who has enabled us to stick to Him will surely stick to us. Charles H. Spurgeon (1834-1892)**

Proverbs 2

Sunday's Bible Chapters - 5/3

Numbers 10

Psalms 46-47

Song of Solomon 8

Hebrews 8

<u>The world may frown – Satan may rage – but go on! Live for God. May I die in the field of battle!</u> James B. Taylor (1801-1829)**

Proverbs 3

Monday's Bible Chapters - 5/4

Numbers 11

Psalms 48

Isaiah 1

Hebrews 9

You are all guilt; He is a fountain to wash you. You are all naked; He has a wedding garment to cover you. You are dead; He is life. You are all wounds; He is the balm of Gilead. Robert M. McCheyne (1813-1843)**

Proverbs 4

Tuesday's Bible Chapters - 5/5

Numbers 12-13

Psalms 49

Isaiah 2

Hebrews 10

<u>I wish to bear testimony to the fact that we can do no good without a broken and contrite heart</u>. Ira D. Stanley (1840-1908)**

Proverbs 5

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God will neither expect nor desire his blessing without exertion; for it has always been God's way to crown only those that run the race that is set before them, and fight the good fight of faith. William Jay (1769-1853)**

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