



**Message:**

# Courage by the Sword

**Scripture Text:**

Rev 21:1-8, Joshua 1, Ro.8, Eph 4, Mt. 25:13-29



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**Announcements: Pinewood Durby Cars, Tent Set Up, Family Day (Durby Races), Fathers Day, Fireworks Fundraiser!**

**Introduction:** We Are All Called To Be Courageous In and For The Day We Were Called To Live, You Have Been Called, Will You Answer?

## **Intro: What Does God Think About Cowards?**

Revelation 21:1-8

## **1. The Word Comes From God's Mouth, To Us & Through Us**

Joshua 1:1-18

## **2. We Get Courage By The Presence of His Word & Spirit**

Is 41:8-10, Psalms 23:4

## **3. Our Courage Is Not Based On Our Qualifications, But His**

Romans 8:31-39

## **4. We Must Stand For The Word of God & Prophecy Against The Evil of OUR DAY! - This Is Our Courageous Acts**

- The Government didn't give us our rights, God did!

\* Preamble to the Declaration of Independence

We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.

### 3 John 1:11 (Amplified Bible)

Palm 56:4, Romans 5:1-6, Hebrews 6:20, Ephesians 1:17-21, Deut 31:6-8, James 3:17-18, Lam 3:21-25, Philippians 4:12-13, 1 Peter 5:7, Ephesians 2:13-14, Acts 2:26-28, Psalms 23:4, John 14:26-27, Mark 13:5-13

## 5. Truth Must Come In Love, w/o Love It becomes Harsh & Unpalatable

When we speak lies and compromise (or even fail to warn) we are not speaking the truth in love!  
Ephesians 4:1-32

\* Let the Word of God Minister to You & You Minister with the Word of God!

## 6. A Wicked & Fearful Servant Hides His Talent (Gifting=Sword?)

Matthew 25: 13-29

### Conclusion:

**- There is a time for fear, a thing our society has lost.**

Luke 12:4-5

**YOUR COURAGE COMES FROM THE ABIDING WORD/SWORD IN YOU!**

God isn't found where He Promised You To Go! He is Found With You To Go There!

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What did I LEARN most? \_\_\_\_\_

How will I LIVE out what I Learned? \_\_\_\_\_

How can I GIVE it, or help someone else with what I have learned? \_\_\_\_\_

I Choose to be a Life-Giver, This Week In This Way? \_\_\_\_\_