

Prayers of Biblical Hope

Seek GOD for the CITY

2019

FORTY DAYS TO PALM SUNDAY

March 6 to April 14, 2019

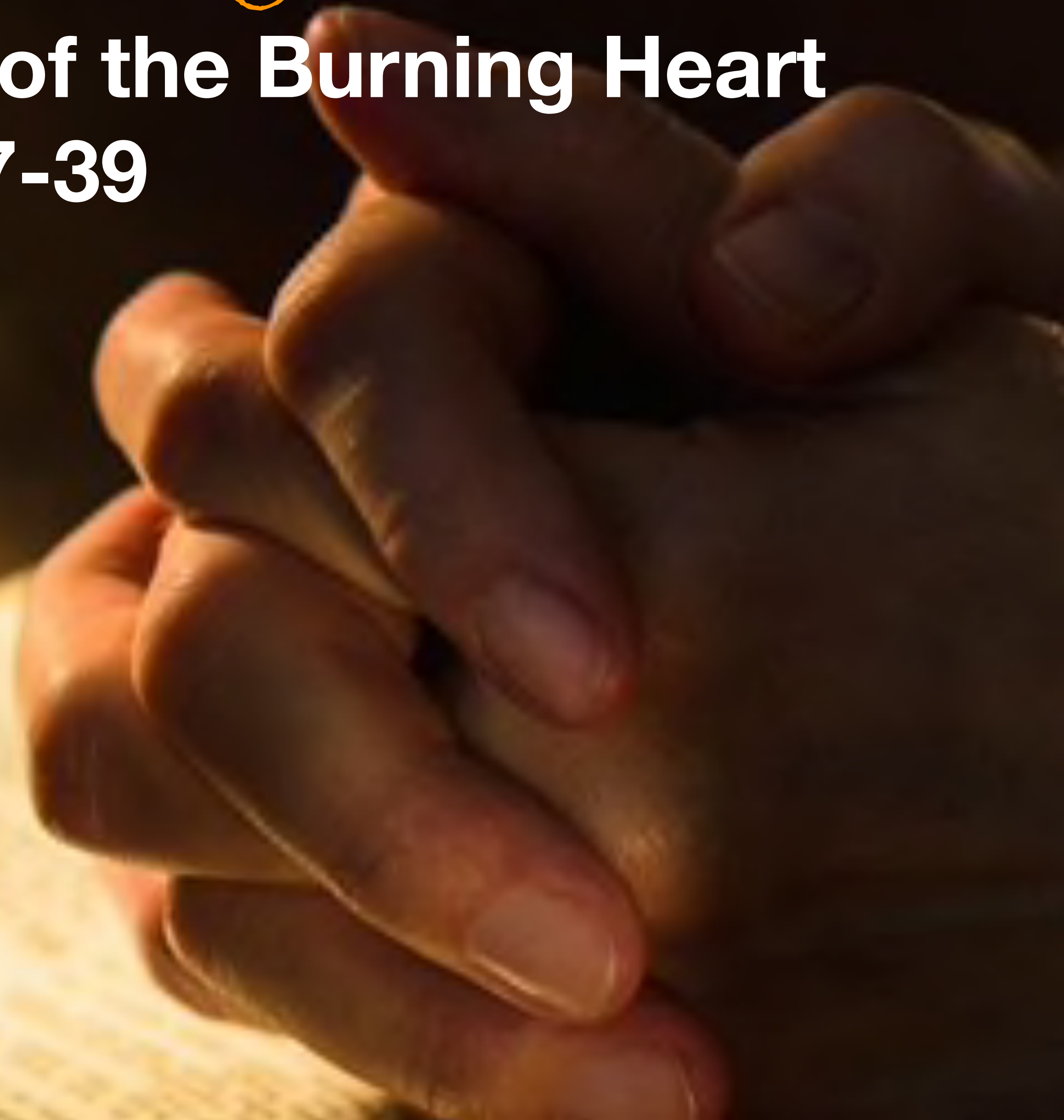
To Know and Be Fully Known

Part One: The Fellowship of the Burning Heart

Luke 5:27-39

Jesus would often go to
some place where He
could be alone and pray.

(5:16)



One day some people said to Jesus, "John the Baptist's disciples fast and pray regularly, and so do the disciples of the Pharisees. Why are your disciples always eating and drinking?" Jesus responded, "Do wedding guests fast while celebrating with the groom? Of course not. But someday the groom will be taken away from them, and then they will fast."

Use the **ACTS** acrostic

- **A**doration
- **C**onfession
- **T**hanksgiving
- **S**upplication



Prayer and fasting are declarations that without Christ we can do nothing. And they serve as expressions of faith in God's power, fueled by a desire for more of Him.

To neglect prayer is to assert our independence from God and to put our trust in our own sufficiency to meet needs.

Five Basic Principles of fasting

✓ Private

✓ Voluntary

✓ Specific

✓ Intimate

✓ Spiritual

Steadfast and Immovable

- *Full dependance in an independent world.
(Proverbs 3:5, 6)*
- *Being fully known in an isolating world.
(I Cor. 3:12)*
- *Embracing inadequacy in the Face of
the All Sufficient One. (II Cor. 3:5)*
- *Consecrating ourselves to the level that
“Even if you don’t” (Daniel 3:16-18)*

“Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where He prayed.”

Mark 1:35

