

“A Hopeful Heart”

November 26th and 27th 2022

Ezekiel 36:26-27 CSB

I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you; I will remove your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. I will place my Spirit within you and cause you to follow My statutes and carefully observe My ordinances.

Matthew 12:18-21 NIV

“Here is My Servant whom I have chosen, the one I love, in whom I delight; I will put My Spirit on Him, and He will proclaim justice to the nations. He will not quarrel or cry out; No one will hear His voice in the streets. A bruised reed He will not break, and smoldering wick He will not snuff out, till He has brought justice through to victory. In His name the nations will put their hope.”

Proverbs 12:25 NIV

Anxiety weighs down the heart, but a kind word cheers it up.

John 14:1-4 NKJV

“Let not your heart be troubled; you believe in God, believe also in Me. In My Father’s house are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you Myself; that where I am, there you may be also. And where I go you know,

(kardia)

Noun - Nominative Feminine Singular
Strong's Greek 2588: Prolonged from a primary kar; the heart, i.e. the thoughts or feelings; also the middle.

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Noun - Nominative Feminine Plural
Strong's Greek 3438: Lodging, dwelling-place, room, abode, mansion. From meno; a staying, i.e. Residence.

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The leader of California, Governor Newsome signed into law AB 2223 (along with 12 other pro-abortion bills). As we have informed you, AB 2223 is especially egregious because it prevents coroners from investigating deaths “related to or following known or suspected self-induced or criminal abortion,” including deaths of babies during the “perinatal” period – which is up to 28 days AFTER birth. The bill also protects individuals from criminal or civil liability for the death of an infant during the perinatal period, if the death is “due to causes that occurred in utero.”

Excerpt taken from ACLJ website 11-2-22

Romans 15:4-6 NKJV

For whatever things were written before were written for our learning, that we through the patience and comfort of the Scriptures might have HOPE. Now may the God of patience and comfort grant you to be like-minded toward one another, according to Christ Jesus, that you may with one mind and one mouth glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

2020 survey of 2010 Americans were surveyed by the Barna group:

- 1. Would America be worse off, the same or better without the Bible
49% said worse 39% said the same 13% said better*
- 2. The Bible contains everything a person needs to know to live a meaningful life.
37% agree strongly 31% agreed somewhat 32% disagreed with the statement*

Romans 15:13 NKJV

Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Hebrews 12:1-7 NIV

Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before Him He endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the

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throne of God. Consider Him who endured such opposition from sinners, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart. In your struggle against sin, you have not resisted to the point of shedding blood. And have completely forgotten this word of encouragement that addresses his Son? It says, “My son do not make light of the Lord’s discipline, and do not lose heart when He rebukes you, because the Lord disciplines the one He loves, and He chastens everyone he accepts as his son or daughter.” Endure hardship as discipline; God is treating you as His children. For what children are not disciplined by their father?

1 Peter 1:3-9 NIV

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In His great mercy He has given us new birth into a living HOPE through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade. This inheritance is kept in heaven for you, who through faith are shielded by God’s power until the coming of the salvation that is ready to be revealed in the last time. In all this you greatly rejoice, though now for a little while you may have to suffer grief in all kinds of trials. These have come so that the proven genuineness of your faith – of greater worth than gold, which perishes even though refined by fire – may result in praise, glory and honor when Jesus Christ is revealed. Though you have not seen Him, you love Him; and even though you do not see Him now, you believe in Him and are filled with an inexpressible and glorious joy, for you are receiving the end result of your faith, the salvation of your souls.