

A FIXED, UNAFRAID HEART

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Ps 112:1 Praise ye the LORD. Blessed is the man that feareth the LORD, that delighteth greatly in his commandments.

Ps 112:6-8 Surely he shall not be moved for ever: the righteous shall be in everlasting remembrance. He shall not be afraid of evil tidings: his heart is fixed, trusting in the LORD. His heart is established, he shall not be afraid.

We are living in a world full of fear. The media has our world worked up into panic mode. Nobody I know and nobody you know has the Corona Virus, yet the world is acting like it is everywhere and every person you meet has it. That is a lie! The media wants us to be afraid, but the Word of God tells us hundreds of times, not to be afraid.

Who are you going to listen to? Who are you going to believe? God or man? The Bible or the media? I'm going to listen to what God has to say and live like He tells me to live.

Psa. 112 tells us about a man who does not live in fear. His life is not filled with apprehension. He is not intimidated by the uncertainty of life. He does not sit around listening to the news and getting all worked up into a frenzy of hysteria.

“His heart is established and he shall not be afraid.”

Who's heart? The man who fears the Lord. The man who delights in His commandments. The ability of the man that enables him to live without fear is not something that he acquired by reading some book about how to overcome fear. It isn't something that he just mustered up within himself by himself. This blessing is a supernatural blessing. A blessing that comes from God and is given to the man or woman who fears the Lord. It is given to those individuals who greatly delight in His commandments.

Why is this man not afraid? Because his heart is fixed, trusting in the Lord. He is stable; He is unmovable; He is anchored in the Lord.

Anchored in who? The Lord. Not the government. Not the job. Not some family member. His trust is in the same person our trust should be in and that is the Lord.

Ps 37:39-40 But the salvation of the righteous is of the LORD: he is their strength in the time of trouble. And the LORD shall help them and deliver them: he shall deliver them from the wicked, and save them, because they trust in him.