

## Scripture Texts

### **PSALM 92 (A PSALM. A SONG. FOR THE SABBATH DAY.)**

It is good to praise the Lord  
and make music to your name, O Most High,  
proclaiming your love in the morning  
and your faithfulness at night,  
to the music of the ten-stringed lyre  
and the melody of the harp.

For you make me glad by your deeds, Lord;  
I sing for joy at what your hands have done.  
How great are your works, Lord,  
how profound your thoughts!  
Senseless people do not know,  
fools do not understand,  
that though the wicked spring up like grass  
and all evildoers flourish,  
they will be destroyed forever.

But you, Lord, are forever exalted.

For surely your enemies, Lord,  
surely your enemies will perish;  
all evildoers will be scattered.  
You have exalted my horn like that of a wild ox;  
fine oils have been poured on me.  
My eyes have seen the defeat of my adversaries;  
my ears have heard the rout of my wicked foes.

The righteous will flourish like a palm tree,  
they will grow like a cedar of Lebanon;  
planted in the house of the Lord,  
they will flourish in the courts of our God.  
They will still bear fruit in old age,  
they will stay fresh and green,  
proclaiming, "The Lord is upright;  
he is my Rock, and there is no wickedness in him."

### **MATTHEW 24:6-8**

You will hear of wars and rumors of wars, but see to it that you are not alarmed. Such things must happen, but the end is still to come. Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be famines and earthquakes in various places. All these are the beginning of birth pains.

### **JOHN 7:37,38**

On the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried out, saying, "If anyone thirsts, let him come to Me and drink. He who believes in Me, as the Scripture has said, out of his heart will flow rivers of living water."

### **JOHN 15:16**

You did not choose Me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit, and that your fruit should remain, that whatever you ask the Father in My name He may give you.

# Big Ideas

1

It is one thing to praise after victory;  
it is another thing to praise  
in the hallway of testing  
on the way to victory.

2

In a world gone mad,  
it is an act of spiritual warfare  
to develop the regular habit  
of praising the Lord, and thanking God  
for His goodness.

3

Sabbath is not  
“I’m tired so therefore I need a rest.”  
Sabbath is  
“I’m trusting that God is working  
even when I’m not”.

4

Don’t ever be dismayed by the  
temporary victory of God’s enemies...  
for in the final estimation of things,  
God Himself will balance  
the books of history.

5

Anointing does not announce  
a conclusion,  
it prepares us for the journey;  
we need the Spirit’s anointing  
more than ever before.

6

Anointing is not an event;  
it is a lifestyle of being empowered  
by the Holy Spirit  
for God’s calling on our lives.

# Questions & Takeaways

- What steps can we take to make Sabbath more meaningful?
- Are we operating in God's anointing, prepared by His Holy Spirit, to meet the challenges ahead?

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