

## **The Holy Spirit and Revival Prayer**

“Revival is a community saturated with God”

– Duncan Campbell

“There has never been a spiritual awakening in any country or locality that did not begin in united prayer.” - Dr. A.T. Pierson

### **Layman’s Prayer Revival – 1857**

#### **Revival & Prayer**

- “Studying revival throughout history will reveal that they are not all identical. Revivals in Wales, New England, Kentucky, Korea, India, Rwanda, and South Africa had characteristics unique to the people and social environment in which they occurred. However, in every revival the consistent denominator is fervent, faithful, persistent, righteous prayer.” – Blackaby

### **Moravian Mission Revival**

#### **Why doesn’t God pour out revival all the time?**

#### **Prayer and Partnership**

- James 4:2 2 Kings 20:1-6 Matthew 6:9-10 2 Chronicles 7:14  
1 Kings 18:1-2, 42-45 Ezekiel 22:30
- Acts 4:29-31,33

### **Revival in Arnol, Hebredees – 1950**

#### **Revival Praying**

“Time and time again when people have investigated the antecedents of a great move of God, they have invariably traced the divine work back to someone or some group who thoroughly believed God would keep His promises... It is not prayer that tells God what to do. It is praying that has come to understand God’s will and then boldly asks God to do what is in His heart to accomplish. God delights to find people who truly believe He will do what he has promised.” – Blackaby

- Deuteronomy 4:29 1 Chronicles 28:9 2 Chronicles 15:15  
Jeremiah 29:12-13 Malachi 3:7 James 4:8
- Ashbury Revival – 1970

## **SPECIFIC PRAYERS FOR REVIVAL AND SPIRITUAL AWAKENING**

- 1. Ask God to reveal His love and bring genuine repentance among His people.**
- 2. Pray for deep cleansing, genuine repentance, and spiritual power to fill pastors and Christian leaders.**
- 3. Pray for God to give spiritual hunger in His people and draw them to earnest intercession.**
- 4. Pray that God will bring loving unity in our churches and a deep harmony between our churches.** Many churches need healing among members and many churches need to stop competing jealously with other churches. (John 13:35)
- 5. Pray for God to fill His people with a passion to see people saved.** Be sure you are constantly praying for many lost people by name. (Rom. 9:1-3)
- 6. Pray that God will call thousands into ministry, missions and Christian service.**
- 7. Pray that God will pour out His Spirit like a mighty purifying flood.** Ask God to purify our “motives as we pray for revival. After all it is possible to pray for revival for selfish or ambitious reasons. Our motives must be solely for: (a) the glory of God, and (b) the increase of the kingdom of God. We must not pray for revival just to solve our own problems or make our church successful in the eyes of men. (James 4:2)
- 8. Specifically pray for God to pour out His Spirit in mighty ways.**