

Sunday Morning | November 6, 2016



**"GODLY LEADERS, GODLY PEOPLE, BLESSED NATION"**

## **DEUTERONOMY 28:1-7**

**TRUTH:** America struggles under the weight of a national culture clash.

**TRUTH:** Peace is not a goal to be achieved but a consequence of life choices (Isaiah 26:3 Amp).

### **I. VOICES FROM THE PAST**

**TRUTH:** For as long as the world stands there will be a tendency to turn from God and His Laws that sustain any society of people.

**TRUTH:** The Law of God serves three purposes for every society:

- 1) To convict sinners and drive them to Jesus.
- 2) Provide the moral logic for laws that restrain evil in a society of fallen sinners.
- 3) A guide to direct believers in how to live their lives.

### **II. THE LAW OF GOD IS THE BASIS FOR NATIONAL BLESSING.**

**TRUTH:** A nation that lives under the power and influence of the Law of God will enjoy the richest blessings of common grace.

**TRUTH:** The common grace of God on a nation or state is dependent on leaders who have some fear of the Lord God and a will to uphold His Law.

### **III. GOD'S REQUIREMENT FOR NATIONAL LEADERS**

**TRUTH:** Deuteronomy 26 is not about salvation but national, ethical and moral behavior.

**TRUTH:** God blesses any nation that obeys and honors Him.

**TRUTH:** National protection comes to an obedient nation.

**ACTION PLAN:**

1. Vote.
2. Vote to uphold God's Law.
3. Beseech Heaven for godly leaders.
4. Pray for God's mercy on America.
5. Don't react but respond and keep your witness for Christ.
6. Bring friends to worship.