

“Fearing God’s Word: (part 3)”

Text: Isaiah 66:1-2

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A. Fearing God’s Word: The Person Who Does: Isaiah 66:1-2

1. Has a humble heart: Matthew 5:1-3
 1. To be poor in spirit is to know we are destitute of any spiritual abilities.
 2. To be poor in spirit is to be spiritually minded.
2. Has a tender heart: Psalm 51:17, 2 Kings 22:19
3. Has a trembling heart: Ezra 9:4, 10:3, Isaiah 66:5, John 12:48

B. Fearing God’s Word: The Person of One Who Does

1. We have favor with God: The Christian life in process
 - a. In Justification
Eph. 2:11-16
 - b. In Sanctification
2 Cor. 7:1, 1 Peter 2:1-3
 - c. In Glorification
Jude 24-25, Jude 3, Col. 1:21-23
2. We have _____ with God: 2 Cor. 13:14
 - a. **Spirit-given** _____
 1. Of the truth: John 16:13; Eph. 6:14
 2. Of our Lord Jesus: 2 Corinthians 4:6
 3. Of our Heavenly Father: Ephesians 1:3
 - b. **Spirit-directed** _____

JOHN BUNYAN, "Prayer is a sincere, sensible, affectionate pouring out of the heart or soul to God, through Christ, in the strength and assistance of the Holy Spirit, for such things as God has promised, or according to His Word, for the good of the church, with submission in faith to the will of God."

1. To stand in the evil day: spiritual stability

Ephesians 6:11-14

2. To persevere in the evil day: spiritual continuance

Ephesians 6:18

3. To intercede in the evil day: spiritual intercession

Ephesians 6:18-20

AUSTIN PHELPS, "We are never more like Christ than in prayers of intercession."