

How to Defeat Fear

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Scriptures:

- Isaiah 60:1-5
- James 5:1
- 2 Timothy 1:7
- Job 3:25
- 1 John 4:18

Summary:

We're living in a fearful world surrounded by terrified people. Most of them, including many Christians, mistakenly think it's okay to tolerate living in fear; however, fear is of the devil and opens the door to darkness. Satan wants us to operate in it so that he can control us. The only solution is God's Word, which is a light that can't be extinguished and that overcomes the darkness.

Notes:

1. We're living in spiritual darkness. However, God's light is stronger and will prevail. No matter how deep the darkness gets or how wide it spreads, it will never win; we have God's promise on this.
2. Isaiah prophesied about the coming spiritual darkness; it is now here, and the pandemic has sped up the process. Some people will never recover from the darkness; the only way to overcome it is to trust God.
3. As believers, we are the light of the world. Our lifestyle and the way we conduct ourselves will draw others from darkness to the light.
4. Fear doesn't come from God; therefore, we must never tolerate it. It is neither natural nor normal. If we don't resist fear and fight against it, it will gain a foothold in our lives and begin changing us for the worse.
5. Fear tolerated is faith contaminated.

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