



Ride the Wave!

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Text: 2 Kings 7:1-20

Passage Summary: As we stand at the threshold of a new year, God invites us to look to Him and His Son and _____ the _____!

180 Degree Truth #1: See that riding the wave reflects the faith filled conviction that God's _____ will continue to _____ amidst the growing darkness and seemingly insurmountable opposition of the present age! (7:1-20)

Prevail: to prove more powerful than opposing forces; to be victorious.

Application: Recognize that when it comes to riding the wave of God's prevailing purposes, it involves a commitment to...

- _____ upon His _____! (v.1-2, 17-20)

Principle: When God _____, we can be sure that what he has said will be _____!

Resolved in the year 2024 to ride the wave of God's prevailing purposes; Being fully convinced that the Word of God will not return _____ (Isaiah 46:10-11, 55:10-11), by the grace of God we will not allow a spirit of _____ to rob us of the powerful strength, hope and understanding that comes through it!

- _____ His _____! (v.3-4)

Principle: When God moves, He will often do so through unlikely _____ and unthinkable _____! (v.3-4)

Resolved in the year 2024 to ride the wave of God's prevailing purposes; Acknowledging we may be unlikely _____ receiving an unlikely call in the face of seemingly impossible circumstances, by the grace of God we will not allow a spirit of _____ to hinder our obedience!

"Expect great things from God; attempt great things for God."

William Carey

"Many Christians estimate difficulty in the light of their own resources, and thus they attempt very little and they always fail. All giants have been weak men who did great things for God because they reckoned on His power and presence to be with them."

Hudson Taylor

- Let His _____ shine _____! (v.5-16)

Principle: When God _____, it is always with a view to _____ others through us! (v.5-16)

Resolved in the year 2024 to ride the wave of God's prevailing purposes; Living with a _____ fire for the Great Commission, by the grace of God we will not allow a spirit of _____ to blind us to the need of a lost and dying world for the glorious riches of the gospel!

"The church is like those four lepers: We have the good news of salvation and we must not keep it to ourselves. If people don't believe the Word of the Lord, they won't be ready for His coming; but if we don't give them the message, they can't be ready for His coming. What will we say when we meet the Lord?"

Warren Wiersbe

Core Conviction to Live By: Resolutely determine as the Spirit of God leads, to move through the year 2024 with a ride the wave mentality; to be sure, _____ will be a part of our experience, but then again, Jesus reminds us in John 16:33 that through Him, we will _____!

"I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world."

John 16:33