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2 Chronicles 7:14

“If My people who are called by My name, shall humble themselves and pray, and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.” 2 Chronicles 7:14

Christian, the responsibility for the moral health and subsequent blessing of your country rests upon your shoulders! “If My people who are called by My name...”

Humility is always a choice. To acknowledge our national sin and to own it is one of the deepest acts of humility Christians can offer. Apart from genuine humility there is no genuine prayer.

Is it possible to walk in humble prayer, seeking God’s face, and not turn from the wickedness of your sin? I think not! For you see, to seek God with all your heart releases the promise of finding God. “And you shall seek Me, and find Me, when you search for Me with all your heart.” (Jeremiah 29:13). A heart of pretense only makes a religious show of searching for God while the truly penitent will go to extreme lengths to walk before the LORD in humility. (Luke 18:9-14)

The promise of a healed land rests upon our national sin, as well as our personal sin being forgiven. And the promise of forgiveness rests upon our willingness to acknowledge, confess, and turn away from our sin. “Bring forth, therefore, fruits befitting repentance.” (Matthew 3:8)

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