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Daniel 9:9 - 11

“To the Lord our God belong mercy and forgiveness, though we have rebelled against Him. We have not obeyed His voice... therefore the curse... written in the Law of Moses has been poured out on us, because we have sinned against Him.” Daniel 9:9 – 11

Let's cut to the chase!

Obedience brings the blessing of God.

Disobedience brings the curse of the Law.

How elementary, yet we have a most difficult time it seems grasping this concept, don't we?! “If you are willing and obedient, you shall eat the good of the land; but if you refuse and rebel, you shall be devoured by the sword.” (Isaiah 1:19 – 20).

“As it is written in the Law of Moses, all this disaster has come upon us; yet we have not made our prayer before the LORD our God, that we might turn from our iniquities and understand Your truth.” (Daniel 9:13)

The Israelites who were carried away captive to Babylon are experiencing the final fruits of their national disobedience to God. And now Daniel sees that it is also their refusal to come before the LORD to humble themselves and ask for His mercy, forgiveness and renewed blessing. (You aren't this stubborn are you?)

When faced with disaster – of any size – set backs or troubles, stop and draw near to the Lord. Find out where He is in relation to this set of circumstances! “Lord, have I sinned? Have I been rebellious? What are You saying to me through this situation?

“Father, bless me once again and grace me to walk in whole hearted obedience to Your Spirit and to Your ways.”

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