

Can America Ever Become A Nation That Hears God?

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2 Chronicles 7:1-16

The Declaration of Independence:

“We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.”

“And for the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our Lives, our Fortunes and our sacred Honor.”

1. There is a Circumstantial Part of the Promise

¹³ If I shut the sky so there is no rain, or if I command the grasshopper to consume the land, or if I send pestilence on my people,

2. There is a Personal Part of the Promise

¹⁴ and my people, who bear my name, humble themselves, pray and seek my face, and turn from their evil ways,

3. There is God’s Part of the Promise

(2 Chronicles 7:14b-15) ...then I will hear from heaven, forgive their sin, and heal their land. ¹⁵ My eyes will now be open and my ears attentive to prayer from this place.

○ America **Can** Become a Nation That Hears God if She Will:

- (1) Listen to God
- (2) Humble Herself
- (3) Pray
- (4) Seek the Lord
- (5) Repent