

The single greatest need in our nation today is Jesus Christ living within a revived church.

What is revival? Ultimately Christ Himself seen, felt, heard, and active moving in and through His body on earth.

A true pursuit of God for revival includes:

- A grateful reflection on God's past work – vv. 1-3
- An humble admission of our present need – vv. 4-9
- An Godward anticipation of our future hope – vv. 10-13
- A holy passion for God's ultimate purpose – vv. 6 & 9
 - “that” we would find joy and satisfaction in Him alone!
 - “that” His glory would be preeminent in our lives and churches!

Questions for Discussion:

What is your reaction to Pastor Daniel's “history lesson?”

Have you personally witnessed God at work in the sense He has in the past revivals?

What evidence have you observed that we are in need of revival today?

Do you believe that Christians in the United States today have the humility to admit our need?

What gives many Christians more joy than Christ Himself?

Are any of these true for you personally? If, so which one(s)?

Resolve to repent of any idols in your heart today.

Recommended Reading:

John Dickerson's *The Great Evangelical Recession* (Baker, 2013)

Daniel Henderson's *Old Paths, New Power* (Moody, 2016)

Make church great again.

