

Do This in Remembrance of Me

A. A Federal Memorial Military Tribute.

1. On Memorial Day weekend, the USA chose to bring back to our memory and honor all the brave soldiers who died during their military service to this nation.
2. What a blessing they bestowed upon us so that we and other churches can still freely assemble together as the Body of Christ to worship Jesus, especially here at ABC Church.
3. Remembering significant things should be an important part of our lives.
 - a. The memory of the [uncompromisingly] righteous is a blessing, but the name of the wicked shall rot. Prov 10:7 (AMPC)
4. We as a nation remember our heritage and the price that others have paid for our freedom.
 - a. Memorial Day was started after the Civil War and we remember that with many memorial sites; and one of the most famous is at Gettysburg.

B. A Grateful Hebrew Memorial Tribute.

1. When the Hebrews crossed the Jordan and entered into the Promise Land, they built two Memorial Sites to remember what God did for them.
 - a. They built a Memorial with twelve stones from the river when the waters of the Jordan were cut off before the ark of the covenant of the Lord; when the Ark of the Covenant crossed over the Jordan...and these stones shall be for a memorial to the children of Israel forever. Joshua 4:1-9
 - b. They also built a Memorial of twelve stones in the riverbed to remember the miracle that God cut off the waters of the Jordan River so they could pass over on dry ground like He did for them at the Red Sea, so that all the peoples of the earth may know the hand of the Lord, that it is mighty, that everyone may fear the Lord our God forever. Joshua 4:19-24

C. A Spiritual Memorial Tribute to God.

1. The Lord's Supper should be honored as a lasting memorial each time we partake of Communion of the Body and the Blood of Jesus; and it is not a symbol, so we do this in remembrance of the atoning sacrifice Jesus paid for our spiritual freedom because He died as the true sacrificial lamb at the cross for all mankind; and we thank God that Jesus is the only one who rose from the dead to set us free! Matt 26:26; Mark 14:22; Luke 22:15; Ex 11:10-12:13
 - a. ¹⁹ And He (Jesus) took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to them, saying, "This is My body which is given for you; **do this in remembrance of Me.**" ²⁰ Likewise He also took the cup after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in My blood, which is shed for you. Luke 22:19-20

- b. ²⁴ and when He (Jesus) had given thanks, He broke it and said, "Take, eat; this is My body which is broken for you; do this in remembrance of Me." ²⁵ In the same manner He also took the cup after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in My blood. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me." ²⁶ For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death till He comes. ²⁷ Therefore whoever eats this bread or drinks this cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of the body and [c]blood of the Lord. ²⁸ But let a man examine himself, and so let him eat of the bread and drink of the cup. ²⁹ For he who eats and drinks [d]in an unworthy manner eats and drinks judgment to himself, not discerning the Lord's body. ³⁰ For this reason many are weak and sick among you, and many sleep. 1 Cor 11:24-30

D. Maintain a Successful Spiritual Memorial Tribute to God.

1. Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour. 1 Peter 5:8
2. Confess Known Sins frequently each day. 1 John 1:9; Matt 3:2; Heb 10:26
3. Pray the Unaware Sins Prayer frequently each day. 1 John 1:9; John 1:17; John 20:23; Rom 4:16; Rom 5:13; Rom 6:14; Rom 14:23; Gal 5:4; Eph 2:8-9
4. Pray in Tongues frequently each day. 1 Cor 14:18; John 7:38
5. Praise and worship God which helps you to stay in the anointing. Ps 150:1-6; John 4:23-24; 1 John 2:20, 27
6. Believe that you have already received your victory when you prayed one time and before you see the manifestation. Mark 11:22- 24
7. Affirm the Word of God constantly. Titus 3:8; Prov 18:21
8. Use God's Word as the Sword of the Spirit. Eph 6:17; Heb 4:12
9. Study God's Word. Rom 12:2; 2 Tim 2:15; 2 Tim 3:16-17
10. Renew your mind with God's Word daily. Rom 12:2
11. Walk in forgiveness. Mark 11:25
12. Operate in your dominion, authority and power. Gen 1:28; Luke 10:19
 - a. Jesus has been given all authority. Matt 28:18
 - b. At the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of those in heaven, of those on earth, of those under the earth, and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. Phil 2:10-11
 - c. Jesus disarmed principalities and powers and triumphed over them. Col 2:13-15
 - d. Greater works than these that Jesus did, shall you do. John 14:12
 - e. And he who overcomes, and keeps My works until the end, to him I will give power over the nations. Rev 2:26
 - f. He who overcomes shall inherit all things, and I will be his God and he shall be My son. Rev 21:7