

Prepare Your Heart

Overview: 1Ch 29:18 O LORD God of Abraham, Isaac, and of Israel, our fathers, keep this for ever in the imagination of the thoughts of the heart of thy people, and **prepare their heart** unto thee: **KJV**

A. Webster's Dictionary

1. The meanings of Prepare:

- a. In a general sense, **to fit**, adapt or qualify for a particular purpose, end, use, service or \state, by any means whatever
- b **To make ready**;
- c. **To set; to establish and steadfast**

B. Prepare Your Heart

Pro 23:7 For as he thinketh in his heart, so *is* he:...

Pro 4:23 Keep thy heart with all diligence; for out of it *are* the issues of life.

Joh 16:33 These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world."

Psa 57:7 My heart is **steadfast**, O God, my heart is steadfast; I will sing and give praise.

Psa 108:1 O God, my heart is **steadfast**; I will sing and give praise, even with my glory.

Psa 112:7 He will not be afraid of evil tidings; His heart is **steadfast**, trusting in the LORD.

Col 3:2 Set (Fix) your mind on things above, not on things on the earth. **GNB**

Heb 12:2 Let us keep our eyes **fixed** on Jesus, on whom our faith depends from beginning to end. He did not give up because of the cross! On the contrary, because of the joy that was waiting for him, he thought nothing of the disgrace of dying on the cross, and he is now seated at the right side of God's throne.
GNB

1Pe 1:21 Through him you believe in God, who raised him from death and gave him glory; and so your faith and hope are **fixed** on God. **GNB**

Gen 17:7 And I will **establish** my covenant between me and thee and thy seed after thee in their generations for an everlasting covenant, to be a God unto thee, and to thy seed after thee.

Deu 28:9 The LORD shall **establish** thee an holy people unto himself, as he hath sworn unto thee, if thou shalt keep the commandments of the LORD thy God, and walk in his ways.

Psa 89:4 Thy seed will I **establish** for ever, and build up thy throne to all generations. Selah.

C. His Word

Lam 3:25 The Lord is good to those who wait hopefully *and* expectantly for Him, to those who seek Him [*inquire of and for Him and require Him by right of necessity and on the authority of God's word*]. **AMPC**

Heb 11:3 Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the **word of God**, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear. **KJV**

Heb 1:3 Who being the brightness of *his* glory, and the express image of his person, and upholding all things **by the word of his power**, when he had by himself purged our sins, sat down on the right hand of the Majesty on high; **KJV**

Psa 119:89 **Your word, O LORD, will last forever; it is eternal in heaven.** **GNB**

Mat 24:35 Heaven and earth shall pass away, **but my words shall not pass away.** **KJV**

1Pe 2:24 Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: **by whose stripes ye were healed.**

1Jn 2:14 I have written unto you, fathers, because ye have known him *that is* from the beginning. I have written unto you, young men, because ye are strong, and the **word of God** abideth in you, **and ye have overcome the wicked one.**

1Th 2:13 For this cause also thank we God without ceasing, because, when ye received the **word of God** which ye heard of us, ye **received it not as the word of men but as it is in truth, the word of God**, which effectually worketh also in you that believe.

D. Humility

1Pe 3:15 But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and **be ready** always to *give* an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with **meekness** and fear:

1Pe 5:5 Likewise, ye younger, submit yourselves unto the elder. Yea, all *of you* be subject one to another, and be clothed with **humility**: for God resisteth the proud, and giveth grace to the humble.

1Pe 5:6 **Humble** yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time:

Pro 18:12 Before destruction the heart of man is **haughty**, and before honour is **humility**.

Zep 2:3 Seek ye the LORD, all ye **meek** of the earth, which have wrought his judgment; seek righteousness, seek **meekness...**

1Jn 2:15 Love not the world, neither the things *that are* in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.

1Jn 2:16 For all that *is* in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the **pride of life**, is not of the Father, but is of the world.

Isa 14:13 For thou hast said in thine heart, **I** will ascend into heaven, **I** will exalt my throne above the stars of God: **I** will sit also upon the mount of the congregation, in the sides of the north:

Isa 14:14 **I** will ascend above the heights of the clouds; **I** will be like the most High.

E. Visualize it and Believe it

Rom 10:9 That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.

Rom 10:10 For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.

Pro 16:3 Commit thy works unto the LORD, and thy thoughts shall be established.

Pro 16:12 *It is* an abomination to kings to commit wickedness: for the throne is established by righteousness.

Pro 16:13 Righteous lips *are* the delight of kings; and they love him that speaketh right.