

# SPIRITUAL LESSONS GONE VIRAL

## *Selected Scripture*

Insights from the pandemic on living for Christ

### LET'S GET STARTED

Romans 13:1, 4—Everyone must submit himself to the governing authorities, for there is no authority except that which God has established. For he is God's servant to do you good.

### LET'S HEAR THE WORD

Romans 5:12—Therefore, just as sin entered the world through one man, and death through sin, and in this way death came to all men, because all sinned.

Genesis 2:16-17—And the LORD God commanded the man, "You are free to eat from any tree in the garden; but you must not eat from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, for when you eat of it you will surely die."

Psalms 46:1—God is our refuge and strength, an ever present help in trouble, therefore we will not fear.

Romans 8:28—And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.

### WHAT SPIRITUAL LESSONS CAN WE LEARN FROM THIS PANDEMIC?

#### #1: Avoid close contact.

1 Thessalonians 5:22-23—Avoid every kind of evil. May God himself, the God of peace, sanctify you through and through. May your whole spirit, soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

## Quotable

*Faith is the refusal  
to panic.*

—Martyn Lloyd-Jones

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Psalms 1:1—Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers.

Mark 2:17—Jesus said to them, “It is not the healthy who need a doctor, but the sick. I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners.”

## #2 Stay at home when you are sick.

James 5:14-16—Is any one of you sick? He should call the elders of the church to pray over him and anoint him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise him up. If he has sinned, he will be forgiven. Therefore, confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective.

## #3 Avoid touching your eyes, nose or mouth.

Proverbs 4:23—Above all else, guard your heart, for it is the wellspring of life.

2 Corinthians 7:1—“...dear friends, let us purify ourselves from everything that contaminates body and spirit, perfecting holiness out of reverence for God.”

## #4 Wash your hands.

James 4:4,7—You adulterous people, don't you know that friendship with the world is hatred toward God? Anyone who chooses to be a friend of the world becomes an enemy of God. . . . Submit yourselves, then, to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Come near to God and he will come near to you. Wash your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded.

Isaiah 1:18—“Come now, let us reason together,” says the LORD. “Though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red as crimson, they shall be like wool.”

STAY AWAY FROM THE SICK

STAY HOME IF YOU ARE SICK

AVOID TOUCHING MOUTH, NOSE, AND EYES

WASH YOUR HANDS

Matthew 26:28—This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins.

1 John 1:9—If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.