America Must Have Another Great Awakening

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Joel 1:1-3, 5-6, 9-12, 14, 16, 2:1, Acts 1:8, 2:4, 1

3 Keys from the book of Joel:



The word of the LORD that came to Joel the son

of Pethuel.

Hear this, ye old men, and give ear, all ye inhabitants of the land.

Hath this been in your days, or even in the days of your fathers?

Joel 1:3 Tell ye your children of it, and let your children tell their children, and their children another

generation.

1.) God Cares About Children: We've got to tell them.

Joel 1:5 Awake, ye drunkards, and weep; and howl, all ye drinkers of wine, because of the new wine; for it is cut off from your mouth.

For a nation is come up upon my land, strong, and without number, whose teeth are the teeth of a lion, and he hath the cheek teeth of a great lion.

Joel 1:9 The meat offering and the drink offering is cut off from the house of the LORD; the priests, the LORD's ministers, mourn.

The field is wasted, the land mourneth; for the corn is wasted: the new wine is dried up, the oil languisheth.

Be ye ashamed, O ye husbandmen; howl, O ye vinedressers, for the wheat and for the barley; because the harvest of the field is perished.

The vine is dried up, and the fig tree languisheth; the pomegranate tree, the palm tree also, and the apple tree, even all the trees of the field, are withered: because joy is withered away from the sons of men.

Sanctify ye a fast, call a solemn assembly, gather the elders and all the inhabitants of the land into the house of the LORD your God, and cry unto the LORD,

Joel 1:16 Is not the meat cut off before our eyes, yea, joy and gladness from the house of our God?

2.) Church should be happy.

Joel 2:1

Blow ye the trumpet in Zion, and sound an alarm in my holy mountain: let all the inhabitants of the land tremble: for the day of the LORD cometh, for it is nigh at hand;

3.) Wake people up: We need each other.

We've

got the power!

Acts 1:8

But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

Acts 2:4

And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

Every church should be an outreach church.

Acts 2:1

And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place.

We are not voting for the lesser of two evils, we are voting for the better of two futures.

One vote is for future Hell, The other is for future freedom.

If you haven't already voted, review the platforms & vote for life & freedom.

No matter how the elections go, we will be needed more afterward than ever before.

Together we can do it.

We need God!