

Welcome to *HBC*

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Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD
Psalm 33:12;

Daniel 10

We read the following and wanted to share it with you today.

THE VISION BY THE RIVER

This chapter gives a glimpse into the great conflict which is always in progress between heaven and hell. For three weeks the radiant Being who came to Daniel as he prayed and fasted by the great river, was withstood by the mighty fallen spirit, who was concerned with the destinies of the kingdom of Persia; and it was only when he was succored and reinforced that he was able to accomplish the divine errand, Daniel 10:13 *“But the prince of the kingdom of Persia withstood me one and twenty days: but, lo, Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me; and I remained there with the kings of Persia.”*

What a revelation is here- ultimately each country is ruled by the God or god it serves. No country, no person can serve two masters. Just after what we know as the “Lord’s Prayer” just said in Matthew 6:24; *“No man can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon.”*

The fight is at times almost overpowering even for bright unfallen angels; and that the blessings which are ours are sometimes delayed because of the storms that sweep the ocean through which they come.

Perhaps by our prayer we are able to throw an ounce-weight into the scale, and turn the battle. How reassuring the touch of that hand and tender the address of that voice. Who cannot be strong when strengthened by the right hand of God? Go forth into the fight of another day! God holds thy right hand. Be true and strong; thou canst not fail!

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We Continue Our Journey with

DANIEL



Sunday

10:30 Worship Service
In Person and on Facebook Live

6:00 Sunday Night Bible Study

Wednesday

6:30 - Praying & Singing

PRAY FOR AMERICA - PRAY FOR REVIVAL