

Ingredients for Revival

If My people who are called by My Name **humble** themselves and **pray** and **seek My face** and **turn** from their wicked ways Then I will **hear** from heaven and will **forgive** their sins and will **heal** their land **2 Chronicles 7:14**

Ingredients for Revival PRAYER - REPENTANCE - HOLINESS - HUMILITY
Result of Revival - RESTORATION - SALVATION - MANIFESTATION OF GOD

1st Church wasn't prosperous wasn't intellectual it had no social standing but it knew what it was to rely on God not Christian programmes or Christian entertainment nor Christian committee's 1st Church began in the Upper Room Revival is simply NT Christianity

Today in Church 3 Ps Prosperity Popularity Personalities

Revival is simply a natural & expected outcome when the right spiritual conditions are meet (**Finney**)

You can't plan for it it's a divine intervention a Visitation/Invasion of God

Revival The restoring of the near dead & bringing it to life (**Ezekiel Dry Bones**)
Don't walk by sight but by Faith - need to begin see it in the Spirit realm

PRAYER Acts 1:14 /6:4 They all were with one mind and were continually devoting themselves to prayer **1John 5:14,15** If we ask anything according to His he hears us And if we know He hears us in whatever we ask we know that we have the requests which we have asked Him for **Jeremiah 29:13** And you shall seek Me & find Me if you shall search for Me with your whole heart

NO church is greater than its prayer meeting NO Christian is greater than their prayer life There's never ever been Revival that hasn't been preceded by agonizing prayer Need to wrestle with God till He tarries (never give up)

REPENTANCE Acts 2:37,38 They were pierced to the heart and they said what can we do Peter replied Repent and each of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit

Acts 3:19 Therefore repent and return so that your sins may be wiped away in order that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord **James**

5:16 Therefore confess your sins to one another and pray for one another so that you may be healed

RA Torrey I have a theory that there is not a Church on earth where you cannot have revival provided there is a little nucleus of faithful people who will hold onto God until He comes down 1st let a few Christians get thoroughly right with God themselves This is the prime essential 2nd let them bind themselves together to pray for revival until God opens the heavens and comes down 3rd let them put themselves at the disposal of God to use them as He sees fit in winning others to Christ That's all This is sure to bring revival I have given this prescription to many Churches and in no instance has it ever failed & it cannot fail

Sorrow for our Sin have to see sin like God sees it disgusted by evil Deal a death blow to the flesh Paul No longer I that lives but Christ within me It's not a fleshly battle (**Eph 6:12**) Natural man v Spiritual man (**1Cor 2:14**)

HOLINESS Acts 2:43 Everyone kept feeling a sense of awe and many wonders and signs were taking place **Hebrews 12:14** Pursue peace with all men and the sanctification without which no man will see the Lord **Isaiah 64:1** Oh that You would rend the heavens and come down **Genesis 32:30** So Jacob named the place Peniel saying indeed I have seen God face to face yet my life has been spared **Psalm 80:3,7,19** Oh God restore us and cause your face to shine upon us **Psalm 24:3,4** Who may ascend to the hill of the Lord Who may stand in His holy place He who has clean hands and a pure heart **Ezekiel 36:25,26** Then I will sprinkle water on you & you will be clean I will cleanse you from all your filthiness and from all your idols Moreover I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you and will remove the heart of stone from your flesh I will put My spirit within you

Revival is God coming down to Earth For fire to fall & consume the sacrifice it must be innocent & without blemish but above all it must be on the altar (Murillo Mario) The world has yet to see what God can do with for through & in a man who is fully & holy consecrated to Him (**DL Moody**)

You must deny yourself to make progress with God You must refuse everything that is not pure & holy God wants you pure in heart He wants you to have an

intense desire for holiness 2 things are required to be successful in God
PURITY & FAITH (Smith Wiggsworth)

You never have to advertise a Fire people will come come all over to see it FIRE purges cleanses spreads consumes destroys chaff [Acts 2:3](#) Tongues of fire [Matt 3:6](#) Baptise you with fire & HS [1 Kings 18:38,39](#) Elijah He quietly called upon God to manifest His power in order to bring back the people to Him Then the fire of the Lord fell Revival has to begin in our hearts set our hearts on fire Lord – dangerous prayer

HUMILITY opposite Pride [Acts 2:45](#) And they began selling their property and possessions and were sharing them with all as anyone might have need [1 Corinthians 1:26-29](#) For consider your calling Church that there were not many wise according to the flesh not many mighty not many noble but God has chosen the foolish things of the world to shame the wise and God has chosen the weak things of the world to shame the things which are strong and the base things of the world and the despised He has chosen the things that are not so that He may nullify the things that are so that no man may boast before God [Joel 2:17](#) had begun leadership Let the priests & ministers of God weep & let them say Spare the people

Bend the Church & save the World Salvation Army 2 new officers out in mission field asked William Booth what they were doing wrong He said two words TRY TEARSCOST involved *Broken* vessel God can remake involves *Sacrifice* giving up things like doing *Selflessness*

FRUIT: RESTORATION SALVATION MANIFESTATION

[Jer 1:10](#) destructive & constructive I have appointed you this day over the nations and over the kingdoms to pluck up and to break down to destroy and to overthrow to build and to plant

when revival comes it changes the moral climate of a community (**Tozer**)

Not just inform but transform [1Thess 1:5](#) Our Gospel did not come in Word only but also in power of the Holy Spirit

True Revival is marked by powerful & unprecedented outpouring of the Spirit

Salv Army when the Holy Ghost came down & men resisted the Holy Ghost the Spirit of God would lift people from the back of the Church & carry them over the audience & drop them at the altar

David Wilkerson The Church of Jesus Christ is not going out with a whimper or a limp Its going out victorious & with unspeakable joy There'll be a revival of righteousness the barren Church is going to travail & bring forth multitudes into the Kingdom Isaiah 53:1-3 Gods Church will be a holy remnant a praying God-fearing people who are uncompromising righteous believers wholly given over to Christ

Smith Wigglesworth vision early part of WW1 as was told to Lester Sumrall 'I see the greatest revival in the history of mankind coming to planet earth And I see every disease healed I see whole hospitals emptied with no one in there Even the doctors are running down the streets shouting He told me there would be untold numbers of uncountable multitudes that would be saved No one will be able to count those who come to Jesus No disease will be able to stand before Gods people It will be a worldwide situation not local he said a worldwide thrust of Gods power and Gods anointing upon mankind Then he opened his eyes & looked at me & said I will not see it The Lord says that I am to go onto my reward but there to come mighty works that He will do upon the earth in the last days'

Church we need to admit we have failed God that we need to return to God asking to be cleansed & seek His face & to move in the anointing in a world that so desperately needs God