

SOME THINGS WE MUST NOT FORGET

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Today, we want to examine some things the Bible tells us we "must not forget."

We Must Not Forget The Lord. "Then beware, lest you forget the LORD who brought you out of the land of Egypt, from the house of bondage. "{Deuteronomy6:12} Israel was warned by Moses after she received the Promised land not to forget who made it all possible – God! In life, when things are going well and we have need of nothing, we tend to forget that all these temporal blessings come from God. History teaches us that God's people tend to forget Him when they enjoy prosperity. Be careful!

We Must Not Forget The Word Of God. "My life is continually in my hand, yet I do not forget Your law." {Psalm 119:109} God's word is a lamp unto our feet, Psalm 119:105. It is God's power to save the sinner, Romans 1:16. God's word must be kept in our hearts to make sure we stay on that straight and narrow way, Matthew 7:13,14.

We Must Not Forget That Life Is Short. "Whereas you do not know what will happen tomorrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapor that appears for a little time and then vanishes away. "{James 4:14} We are not going to live forever on this earth. Our lives will come an to end, Hebrews 9:27. One doesn't know when, where, how, or why-but it can be over very quickly. It is imperative we prepare for our death so we are not caught off guard.

We Must Not Forget The Lord's Death. "For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death till He comes. " {1 Corinthians 11 :26} Yes, we gather around the Lord's table every first day of the week, Acts 20: 7. Why? So we will remember what the Lord did for us when He went to the cruel cross of Calvary and shed His precious blood for the sins of the world, Hebrews 9:26-28.

The Jews gave us plenty of examples of the danger of forgetting God! ***