

Blinded By Fear

"Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in Me." John 14:1, English Standard Version

Isaiah 41:10 – We can deal with our _____ by turning to _____.

Are People Really Blinded By Fear?

A. The concept presented in God's word:

1. 2 Kings 6:16,17 – When God _____ his eyes, he saw the great _____ God had for their situation.
2. Matthew 8:25,26 – Their _____ kept them from realizing the _____ Jesus had over the _____ and the _____.
3. Matthew 14:31 – Peter _____ because of his fear; that's why he began to _____.
4. 2 Corinthians 4:3,4 – The _____ of this world _____ the minds of _____.

B. Hebrews 11:6 – If we _____ God, we will learn that He _____ such people.

Allowing The Lord To Open Our Eyes

A. Ephesians 1:18,19 – God can _____ the eyes of our _____ so we can see His great _____ toward us.

B. Opening our eyes to God's comfort:

1. Matthew 6:30 – Our _____ faith keeps us from seeing how God _____ for His creation – especially us.
2. Matthew 10:28 – Should we fear _____ who can only _____ the body?
3. Daniel 3:17,18 – These men didn't fear the _____!
4. Philippians 1:21-23 – Should we fear _____ if it means going to be with the _____?
5. 2 Corinthians 5:8 – For Christians, to be _____ from the _____ means being at _____ with the Lord.

C. John 14:1 – If we _____ in God and in _____, our fears will be minimized greatly.

Mark 9:24 – The man believed in Jesus' _____, but needed help with his _____. Growing our _____ is a lifelong process.

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