



A Heart for Revival

June 2 | Weekly Devotionals

OPEN with prayer.

Begin this devotional exercise by finding a quiet place where you can spend time with God in his Word. Before reading, pray that the Holy Spirit would open your eyes and heart to what God wants to say to you through his Word.

READ 2 Kings 22:1-23:25 and 2 Timothy 2:20-22.

- What does Paul instruct Timothy to do in this passage? What does Josiah do in these pages that is so commendable? Paraphrase Paul's encouragement to Timothy and Josiah's feats in your own words.
- What theological takeaways are there regarding the nature of consecration from these verses? Write that in the space below.
- Read the passage one last time. Pray to God any final takeaways you have from this third and final reading. What applications does this have for you personally?

REFLECT.

- Imagine yourself in either Josiah or Timothy's shoes – Josiah is a new and young king, Timothy is a young church leader – what obstacles of full consecration to God do you think they'd uniquely face in their lives? Is there any correspondence between their obstacles to consecration and obstacles you face? Explain.
- What do you think are common things that Christians need to "flee" from today? What are "high places" that need torn down for Christians today? What are those things for you personally (or what have they been)?
- How has *not* fleeing or tearing down those high places in your own life harmed your own relationship with God? Have you ever noticed a correlation – positive or negative – between God using you and your consecration to God? Explain.

PRAY.

Like last week, take anything that you reflected on above and pray that to God. Next, take a moment to intentionally pray to live a life consecrated to God. Consider writing your prayer out in the space below.