

REASONS TO SHOUT

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IS. 58:1a – “Cry aloud, spare not, lift up thy voice like a trumpet...”

INSTRUCTION:

A trumpet is not a mellow instrument. It's loud! When Jesus returns in the clouds with a shout, even the dead will hear. In context, with a loud voice we are to stand against sin and promote righteousness. With a loud voice we are to declare our faith. God hasn't changed and neither has His program. We have more to shout about than what they had under the Old Covenant.

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1. The victory we have in Christ. **PS. 47:1-7**
 - A. This refers to shouts made when victory is obtained.
 - Penguins victory to advance.
 - B. Jesus won the greatest victory ever.
 - **COL. 2:15** He conquered Satan, sin, sickness, and death. He put principalities and powers to public shame.
 - He came down from Heaven to defeat every enemy and returned to Heaven with shouts of triumph.
 - Imagine the scene when He unlocked Abraham's Bosom!
2. God is our defense. **PS. 5:11-12**
 - A. This blessing is for all who put their trust in Him.
 - We trust in Jesus, not chariots, horses, or our own powers, abilities, strength or intelligence.
 - B. We shout for joy because He is a wall of fire around us!
 - He defends, preserves, and keeps us by His power.
3. Our God is great. **IS. 12:3-6**
 - A. Instructions: Praise God, call on His name, declare His doings, mention His name is exalted, sing to the Lord, cry aloud and shout, for God is great.
 - B. God was with them and for them, but He dwells in us now!
 - **1 JOHN 4:4** – Shout it aloud “God is greater in us.”
4. He redeemed us. **IS. 44:23**
 - A. The objects are emblematic referring to angels, the humble, kingdoms, and spacious cities.
 - B. He redeemed them from captivity, a type of our deliverance from Satan, sin and the curse.
EPH. 1:7
5. Our heart is declared right. **PS. 32:10-11**
 - A. His mercy follows us, crowns us and surrounds us.
 - B. Our heart is declared right because of grace and by grace we partake of His glory.
6. God brings down the walls. **JOSH. 6:5,20**
 - A. There are walls all around us to stop us from receiving the blessings of God.
 - B. Pride, prejudice, pre-conceived ideas, attitudes, bitterness, un-forgiveness, doubt and fear.
 - C. It's time to examine the walls in light of the Word and shout until the walls come down.
7. To release a break-through anointing. **2 CHRON. 13:13-16**
 - A. Shout means to rejoice, to break and destroy.
 - B. The walls break, addictions are destroyed, bondages are broken, sickness and depression as well.
8. Mountains are removed. **ZECH. 4:7**
 - A. This mountain stood for satanic opposition.
 - B. We are to shout grace over our children to destroy the plans Satan has to keep them from their destiny.