

The Year of Sowing

Prayer Guide

Week 52

The Year of Sowing – The Christmas Seed

For a child is born to us, a son is given to us. The government will rest on his shoulders. And he will be called: Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Isaiah 9:6 (NLT)



Prayer Focus: The greatest example of the principle of sowing was our recent celebration of Christmas, the birth of Christ, the Son of God. The eternal seed was planted in Mary, born in Bethlehem, meaning the house of bread, and the bread of life sowed the seeds of the Kingdom of God, of salvation, of healing, of forgiveness and love for God above all things. Jesus sowed the seeds of the kingdom into the lives of His disciples, who began to take that seed into all the world. Those seeds have been sown and have been reaping a harvest in all the world of healthy families, financial blessings, servants who have changed the world. The Church has taught the world the power of honor and servanthood. Through the sowing of the gifts of the Spirit, the Church has taken the Gospel to the ends of the earth in obedience to the mandate of the risen Lord Jesus Christ. At this end of the year, let us not forget the powerful impact that the sowing of one divine seed has had on our world. The truth of the power of sowing seeds of the Kingdom is still active, still effective, still the mandate and still changing the world. The power of the seed of Emmanuel continues to this day to transform lives, families, and cities. Praise the Lord for the power of God to us one simple seed to change not only the world, but eternal destinies. At this end of the year, praise God for His wisdom and power.

- Day 1:** Take time to worship the Lord today for the power of the Christmas seed, Emmanuel.
- Day 2:** Praise the Lord for the many ways that the world has been changed by the power of this seed.
- Day 3:** Repent for the ways that you have not understood the power of that seed God sowed so long ago.
- Day 4:** Pray for the continuation of the results of the seed that has the power to change the world.
- Day 5:** Pray that your church will have a vision to continue to cooperate with God in sowing these seeds into the coming year.
- Day 6:** Pray for other churches in your city to work together to sow the seeds of the Kingdom in your city.
- Day 7:** Pray for missionaries to be encouraged as they continue to sow the seeds of the truth of Emmanuel, God with us.