

The Year of Harvest

Prayer Guide

Week 10

The Year of Harvest – Water from the Throne

Then the angel showed me a river with the water of life, clear as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb.

Revelation 22:1 (NLT)



Prayer Focus: The Apostle John writes of the revelation given to him of the new heavens and the new earth, and the New Jerusalem that comes down from heaven (Revelation 21). As he is shown the New Jerusalem, he sees in the midst of this eternal city is the Throne of God and of the lamb. This throne is the source of light, and the source of a river that is described as the river of life. In a hot and dry country such as Palestine, water was extremely important. The refreshing and life-giving benefits of water made it a biblical symbol to picture spiritual refreshment and eternal life that God gives to those who trust Him. The source of this life-giving water is the throne of God and the Lamb. His very life flows out from the throne to bring life to the tree of life, and the leaves of the tree of life are for the healing of the nations. Life, refreshment, healing, all flow from the throne of God. In John chapter 4, Jesus told the Samaritan woman that those who drink of this water would never thirst again. That means, this water of life would be sufficient for every need (healing). This is the redemptive fulfillment of what was lost in the original creation when a river went out from Eden to water the garden (Gen 2:10-12). It is the river spoken of in Psalm 46:4 that makes glad the city of God. This water of life, Jesus said, is available to us today to flow from our lives. Does the water of life, this river flow through your life today?

Day 1: Worship the Lord for the water of life that is freely given to all who believe.

Day 2: Read other verses that speak of this water of life. Listen to what God wants to tell you.

Day 3: Ask the Lord to fill you today with this water of life, that it might flow from you to others.

Day 4: Pray today for those you meet that they might be touched by the river of life that flows from your life as you interact with them.

Day 5: Pray for this river of life to flow through the life and the teaching of your church, its people and pastors.

Day 6: Pray for other churches in your city to be filled with this river of living water.

Day 7: Pray that the missionaries around the world will have this river of life flow from them.