MESSAGE OUTLINE

July 4, 2021

Series: God & Country Scripture: Psalm 33:12 Message #1: Why I Love America Other Verses: James 1:12, Psalm 127:1 Psalm 65:9-13; 2 Chronicles 7:14

Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord, the people he has chosen for his inheritance (Psalm 33:12).

"The trouble with socialism is that eventually you run out of other people's money." Margaret Thatcher

Today, many people, even Americans, are expressing hatred and vitriol for our country, and while we do have plenty of problems, there are more reasons to love America today than there are to hate it.

Let's talk about America, why we love her:

1. Because of it's A_____ R_____

You care for the land and water it; you enrich it abundantly. The streams of God are filled with water to provide the people with grain, for so you have ordained it. ¹⁰ You drench its furrows and level its ridges; you soften it with showers and bless its crops. ¹¹ You crown the year with your bounty, and your carts overflow with abundance. ¹² The grasslands of the wilderness overflow; the hills are clothed with gladness. ¹³ The meadows are covered with flocks and the valleys are mantled with grain; they shout for joy and sing. (Psalm 65:9-13)

2. Because of it's F_____ P_____

Unless the LORD builds the house, the builders labor in vain. Unless the LORD watches over the city, the guards stand watch in vain (Psalm 127:1)

3. Because of it's P_____ F_____

"I believe that no one can read the history of our country without realizing that the Good Book and the Spirit of the Savior have from the beginning been our guiding geniuses." Earl Warren, Chief Justice, SCOTUS

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June 13	Kiss the Wave	Exodus 14
June 20	Eat the Frog	Deuteronomy 6; Colossians 3:1-17
June 27	Fly the Kite	Zechariah 4; Matthew 17:20-21
July 4	Stand Alone message fo	r Independence Day Weekend
July 11	Cut the Rope	Matthew 14:22-33; Mark 4:35-41
July 18	Wind the Clock	Ephesians 2; 5:15-17
July 25	Seed the Clouds	1 Kings 18; 2 Corinthians 9:6-15