

Bob Duram: Prayer for America

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1. Why has all this evil befallen America? What's the problem, what's the solution, what's the answer?
2. Well, the problem is that:
3. In 1962 prayer was removed from schools by 8-1 vote in Supreme Court as result of Madelyn O'Hair's petition
4. In 1973 on January 22, the Supreme Court legalized abortions as result of Roe v Wade
5. In 1980, the Supreme Court: voted it was no longer legal to display the 10 Commandments in public schools
6. We have had Inept leadership at the highest levels of government
7. We and our country have turned away from God
8. This allowed the door to be opened, giving Satan a foothold
9. God's hand of protection was removed, most notably 9/11 & subsequent school shootings
10. Jonathan Cahn, in his latest book "The Return of the gods" reminds us of the parable of Jesus where Jesus mentions that when a demon is driven out, the void left behind can eventually be filled with evil spirits, a 'return of the gods', if you will. That is exactly what has happened to America! But our gods are greed, lust, sex, money, things.
11. So, God had a warning for Solomon and us in II Ch 7:19-22
12. We know the answer! It's our sin and our turning away!
13. So, in II Chronicles 7:14 God speaks to Solomon, and gives Solomon and us the answer.
14. We must repent now right here at SLC. It's an urgency we can no longer ignore. Our country is doomed if we do not heed God's warnings. ***'It's a doomsday narrative'***
15. ***"There's hope - we've read the last page of the last book, and we know we win!"***
16. So, Let us pray.

Father, we come before Your throne of grace this morning humbling ourselves, seeking your face, acknowledging our sins, for You have told us ALL have sinned and fallen short of Your glory.

Forgive us for ever allowing prayer to be taken out of schools, forgive us for ever allowing abortion to be legalized and forgive us for allowing the 10 commandments to be removed from schools and public places. We could of taken a stronger stand against these evil things and we did not!

So now Father, we repent of our sins and pray that you hear from heaven, forgive and cleanse us. Father, heal us and our country before it's too late.

We pray in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior.

AMEN!

Note: italicized items were added impromptu during the presentation