

RISE - OUT OF DISCOURAGEMENT AND "LESS-THAN" LIVING



Psalm 85 was written some time after the Israelites had returned home after a long time in _____.

Psalm 85

John Wesley: "Where is the _____ I knew
when first I saw _____?"

THE FORMULA TO RISE

R _____ **what God** _____

- This involves listing and naming the _____ things God has done in your past.

Jot down here a couple of specific things that come to your mind:

The Psalmist recounts both *situational* and s_____ blessings

*How can all of life be _____ when we realize how
_____ God has been to us?*

I _____ **God to do** _____

Vs. 6 "Will you not R _____ us again, that your people may
R _____ in you?"

God is the source of _____; when there is a decline in our closeness to Him, there will be a decline in our sense of _____.

The Psalmist prays, "R _____ us, again."

_____ **is a key to RISING up** out of discouragement and spiritual decay.

You won't be revived without _____.

S_____ **to His will,** _____

Vs. 8: "I will L_____ to what God the Lord _____."

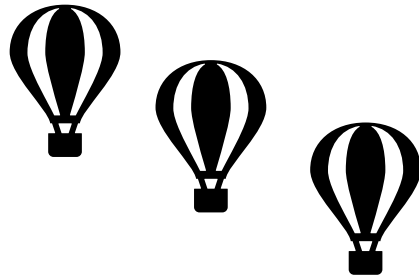
The Hebrew word literally means, "to _____ attentively with a commitment to _____".

Vs. 9 -- "fear" God = maintain an " _____ " of God's _____.

The way you live your life indicates what you really _____ about God and how you really _____.

E_____ **God to do what is _____ and what is _____**

Apply it -- Situationally and Spiritually



R_____ **what God** _____

I_____ **God to do** _____

S_____ **to His will,** _____

E_____ **God to do what is _____ and what is _____**