

# DO NOT BE AFRAID, FEAR NOT!

People have many fears of all sorts of things. What do you fear? What are your deepest, most horrifying fears? Fear of loss? Fear of losing something or someone? Fear of the future? Fear of humiliation or failure? Fear of אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah)'s judgment? Fear of death? Fear of eternal judgment? What do you fear?

## אָרָא (Yara) Fear

אָ (Yad/Yod) Worship, Work, Deed. אָ (Resh) First, Beginning. אָ (Al/Aleph) Strength, Strong, Leader. The word picture of the Hebrew letters tells us that In our Worship, Work and Deed. Due it unto The First, the Beginning. Our Strong, Leader.

Fear in Hebrew is the word Yara (yaw-ray) H3372; a primitive root; to fear; more to revere; honor, cause to frighten; to stand in awe of; to be afraid of.

Yara (H3373) to fear; revere, reverence, dreadful.

Meaning of Fear: To be afraid of; to have a strong emotion caused by anticipation or awareness of danger; the flowing or quivering of the gut from fear or awe; to dread what is terrible or revere what is respected.

**Genesis 15:1** – After this, the word of אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) came to Abram in a vision: ‘Do not be afraid, Abram. I am your shield, your very great reward.’

**Genesis 26:24** – That night אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) appeared to him and said, ‘I am the Alhym (God) of your father Abraham. Do not be afraid, for I am with you; I will Barak (Bless) you and will increase the number of your descendants for the sake of my servant Abraham.’

**Genesis 46:3** – ‘I am אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah), the Alhym (God) of your father,’ he said. ‘Do not be afraid to go down to Mitsrym (Egypt), for I will make you into a great nation there.’

**Genesis 50:21** – ‘So then, don’t be afraid. I will provide for you and your children. And he reassured them and spoke kindly to them.’

**Exodus 14:13** – Mashah (Moses) answered the people, ‘Do not be afraid. Stand firm and you will see the deliverance אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) will bring you today.’

**Exodus 20:20** – Msshah (Moses) said to the people ‘Do not be afraid. אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) has come to test you, so that the fear of אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) will be with you to keep you from Sinning.’

**Leviticus 26:6** – I will grant Shalum (Peace) in the land, and you will lie down and no one will make you afraid.

**Number 14:9** – Only do not rebel against אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah). And do not be afraid of the people of the land, because we will devour them. Their protection is gone, but אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) is with us. Do not be afraid of them.

**Deuteronomy 1:17** – Do not show partiality in judging; hear both small and great alike. Do not be afraid of anyone, for judgment belongs to אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah).

**Deuteronomy 1:21** – See, אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) your Alhym (God) has given you the land.

Go up and take possession of it as אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah), the Alhym (God) of your ancestors, told you. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged.

**Deuteronomy 3:22** – Do not be afraid of them; אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) you Alhym (God) himself will fight for you.

**Deuteronomy 7:18** – But do not be afraid of them; remember well what אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) your Alhym (God) did to Pharaoh and to all Mitsrym (Egypt).

**Deuteronomy 31:6** – ‘Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid or terrified because of them, for אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) your Alhym (God) goes with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you.’

**Deuteronomy 31:8** – ‘אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) himself goes before you and will be with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged.’

**Joshua 1:9** – ‘Have I not Commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) your Alhym (God) will be with you wherever you go.’

**Joshua 10:8** – אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) said to OWHYAH (Yahusha/Joshua), ‘Do not be afraid of them; I have given them into your hand. Not one of them will be able to withstand you.’

**Joshua 10:25** – OWHYAH (Yahusha/Joshua) said to them, ‘Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged. Be strong and courageous. This is what אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) will do to all the enemies you are going to fight.’

**Judges 6:23** – But אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) said to him, ‘Shalum (Peace)! Do not be afraid. You are not going to die.’

**II Kings 6:16** – ‘Don’t be afraid,’ the prophet answered. ‘Those who are with us are more than those who are with them.’

**I Chronicles 22:13** – Then you will have success if you are careful to observe the decrees and Turah (Instructions/laws) that אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) gave to Mashah (Moses) for Yasharal. Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid or discouraged.

**I Chronicles 28:20** – David also said to Solomon his son, ‘Be strong and courageous, and do it. Do not be afraid or discouraged, for אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) Alhym (God), my Aluah (God), is with you. He will neither fail you nor forsake you before all the work for the service of the house of אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) is finished.

**II Chronicles 20:15** – This is what אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) says to you: ‘Do not be afraid or discouraged because of this vast army. For the battle is not yours, but אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah)’s’.

**II Chronicles 20:17** – ‘You will not have to fight this battle. Take up your positions; stand firm and see the deliverance אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) will give you, Yahudah (Judah) and Yarusalym. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged.

**Job 5:21** – You will be protected from the lash of the tongue, and need not fear when destruction comes.

**Job 11:15** – then, free of fault, you will lift up your face; you will stand firm and without fear.

**Job 21:9** – Their homes are safe and free from fear; the rod of אַיָּהּ (Yahuah) is not on them.

**Psalms 3:6** – I will not fear though tens of thousands assail me on every side.

**Psalms 4:8** – In Shalum (Peace) I will lie down and sleep, for you alone, אַיָּהּ (Yahuah), make me dwell in safety.

**Psalms 16:7-9** I will Hallu (Praise) אַיָּהּ (Yahuah) who counsels me; even at night my heart instructs me. I keep my eyes always on אַיָּהּ (Yahuah). With him at my right hand, I shall not be shaken. Therefore my heart is glad and my tongue rejoices; my body also will rest secure.

**Psalms 23:4** Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff they comfort me.

**Psalms 27:1** אַיָּהּ (Yahuah) is my light and my Salvation – whom shall I fear? אַיָּהּ (Yahuah) is the stronghold of my life – of whom shall I be afraid?

**Psalms 27:3** – Though an army besiege me, my heart will not fear; though war break out against me, even then I will be confident.

**Psalms 29:11** – אַיָּהּ (Yahuah) gives strength to his people; אַיָּהּ (Yahuah) Baruk (Blesses) his people with Shalum (Peace).

**Psalms 46:2** – Therefore we will not fear, though the earth give way and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea.

**Psalms 56: 3-4** – When I am afraid, I put my trust in you. In אַיָּהּ (Yahuah), whose word I Hallu (Praise) – in אַיָּהּ (Yahuah) I trust and am not afraid. What can mere mortals do to me?

**Psalms 56:11** – in אַיָּהּ (Yahuah) I trust and shall not be afraid. What can man do to me?

**Psalms 78:53** – He guided them safely, so they were unafraid; but the sea engulfed their enemies.

**Psalms 91:5** – You will not fear the terror of night, nor the arrow that flies by day.

**Psalms 94:19** – When anxiety was great within me, your consolation brought me joy.

**Psalms 118:6** – אַיָּהּ (Yahuah) is with me; I will not be afraid. What can mere mortals do to me?

**Psalms 119:165** – Great Shalum (Peace) have those who love your Torah (instructions/law), and nothing can make them stumble.

**Proverbs 3:24** – When you lie down, you will not be afraid; when you lie down, your sleep will be sweet.

**Proverbs 3:25** – Have no fear of sudden disaster or of the ruin that overtakes the wicked.

**Ecclesiastes 11:10** – So then, banish anxiety from your heart and cast off the troubles of your body, for youth and vigor are meaningless.

**Isaiah 8:12** ‘Do not call conspiracy everything this people calls a conspiracy; do not fear what they fear, and do not dread it.’

**Isaiah 12:2** – Surely **אֲיָהוָה** (Yahuah) is my Salvation; I will trust and not be afraid. **אֲיָהוָה** (Yahuah), **אֲיָהוָה** (Yahuah) himself, is my strength and my defense; he has become my Salvation.’

**Isaiah 35:4** – say to those with fearful hearts, ‘Be strong, do not fear; your Alhym (God) will come, he will come with vengeance; with divine retribution he will come to save you.’

**Isaiah 40:9** – You who bring good news to Zion, go up on a high mountain. You who bring good news to Yarusalym, lift up your voice with a shout, lift it up, do not be afraid; say to the towns of Yahudah (Judah), ‘Here is your Alhym (God)!’

**Isaiah 41:10** – So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your Alhym (God). I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.

**Isaiah 41:13** – For I am **אֲיָהוָה** (Yahuah) your Alhym (God) who takes hold of your right hand and says to you, ‘Do not fear; I will help you.’

**Isaiah 41:14** – ‘Do not be afraid, you worm Yaaqob, little Yasharal, do not fear, for I myself will help you’ declares **אֲיָהוָה** (Yahuah), your Redeemer, the Qadosh (Holy) One of Yasharal.

**Isaiah 43:1** – But now, this is what **אֲיָהוָה** (Yahuah) says – he who created you, Yaaqob, he who formed you, Yasharal: ‘Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have summoned you by Name; you are mine.’

**Isaiah 43:5** – Do not be afraid, for I am with you; I will bring your children from the east and gather you from the west.

**Isaiah 44:2** – This is what **אֲיָהוָה** (Yahuah) says – he who made you, who formed you in the womb, and who will help you: do not be afraid, Yaaqob, my servant, Yasharal, whom I have Chosen.

**Isaiah 44:8** – Do not tremble, do not be afraid. Did I not proclaim this and foretell it long ago? You are my witnesses. Is there any Aluah (God) besides me? No, there is no other Rock; I know not one (1).’

**Isaiah 54:4** – ‘Do not be afraid; you will not be put to shame. Do not fear disgrace; you will not be humiliated. You will forget the shame of your youth and remember no more the reproach of your widowhood.’

**Isaiah 54:14** – In righteousness you will be established: tyranny will be far from you; you will have nothing to fear. Terror will be far removed; it will not come near you.

**Jeremiah 1:8** – ‘Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you and will rescue you,’ declares **אֲיָהוָה** (Yahuah)

**Jeremiah 10:5** – Like a scarecrow in a cucumber field, their idols cannot speak; they must be carried because they cannot walk. Do not fear them; they can do you no harm nor can they do any good.’

**Jeremiah 17:8** – They will be like a tree planted by the water that sends out its roots by the stream. It does not fear when heat comes; its leaves are always green. It has no worries in a year of drought and never fails to bear fruit.’

**Jeremiah 42:11** – Do not be afraid of the king of Babylon, whom you now fear. Do not be afraid of him, declares אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah), for I am with you and will save you and deliver you from his hands.

**Jeremiah 46:28** – Do not be afraid, Yaaqob my servant, for I am with you; declares אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah). ‘Though I completely destroy all the nations among which I scatter you, I will not completely destroy you. I will discipline you but only in due measure; I will not let you go entirely unpunished.’

**Jeremiah 51:46** – Do not lose heart or be afraid when rumors are heard in the land; one (1) rumor comes this year, another the next, rumors of violence in the land and of ruler against ruler.

**Ezekiel 3:9** – I will make your forehead like the hardest stone, harder than flint. Do not be afraid of them or terrified by them, though they are a rebellious people.

**Daniel 10:12** – Then he continued, ‘Do not be afraid, Daniel. Since the first (1<sup>st</sup>) day that you set your mind to gain understanding and to humble yourself before your Alhym (God), your words were heard, and I have come in response to them.’

**Daniel 10:19** – ‘Do not be afraid, you who are highly esteemed,’ he said. ‘Shalum (Peace)! Be strong now; be strong;’ When he spoke to me, I was strengthened and said, ‘Speak , my Adon (lord), since you have given me strength.’

**Haggai 2:5** – “This is what I covenanted with you when you came out of Mitsrym (Egypt). And my Ruch (Spirit) remains among you. Do not fear.”

**Zechariah 8:13** – ‘Just as you, Yahudah (Judah) and Yasharal (Israel), have been a curse among the nations, so I will save you and you will be a Barakah (Blessing). Do not be afraid, but let your hands be strong.’

**Malachi 3:5** – So I will come to put you on trial. I will be quick to testify against sorcerers, adulterers and perjurers, against those who defraud laborers of their wages, who oppress the widows and the fatherless, and deprive the foreigners among you of justice, but do not fear me’, says אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah) Almighty.

**Matthew 10:26** – ‘So do not be afraid of them, for there is nothing concealed that will not be disclosed, or hidden that will not be made known.’

**Matthew 10:31** – So don’t be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows.

**Matthew 14:27** – But OWYָּהוָה (Yahusha) immediately said to them: ‘Take courage! It is I. Don’t be afraid.’

**Matthew 17:7** – But OWYָּהוָה (Yahusha) came and touched them. ‘Get up,’ he said. ‘Don’t be afraid.’

**Mark 5:36** – Overhearing what they said, OWYָּהוָה (Yahusha) told him, ‘Don’t be afraid; just believe.’

**Mark 6:50** – because they all saw him and were terrified. Immediately he spoke to them and said, ‘Take courage! It is I. Don’t be afraid.’

**Luke 1:30** – But the malak (angel) said to her, ‘Do not be afraid, Miriam (Mary), you have found favor with אַיָּהוָה (Yahuah).’

**Luke 8:50** – Hearing this, OWYָּהוָה (Yahusha) said to Jairus, ‘Don’t be afraid; just

believe, and she will be healed.'

**Luke 12:7** – Indeed, the very hairs of your head are all numbered. Don't be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows.

**Luke 12:32** – 'Do not be afraid, little flock, for your Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom.'

**John 12:15** – 'Do not be afraid, Daughter Zion; see, your king is coming, seated on a donkey's colt'

**John 14:27** – Shalum (Peace) I leave with you; my Shalum (Peace) I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.

**John 16:33** – 'I have told you these things, so that in me you may have Shalum (Peace). In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world.'

**Acts 18:9** – One night **OWYAZL** (Yahusha) spoke to Shaul (Paul) in a vision: 'Do not be afraid; keep on speaking, do not be silent.'

**Romans 5:1** – Therefore, since we have been justified through Amunah (Faith), we have Shalum (Peace) with **AYAZL** (Yahuah) through our adon (Lord) **OWYAZL** (Yahusha) HaMashiach.

**Hebrews 13:6** – So we say with confidence, '**AYAZL** (Yahuah) is my helper; I will not be afraid. What can mere mortals do to me?'

**I Peter 3:6** – like Sarah, who obeyed Abraham and called him her adon (lord). You are her daughters if you do what is right and do not give way to fear.

**I Peter 3:14** – But even if you should suffer for what is right, you are Baruk (Blessed). 'Do not fear their threats; do not be frightened.'

**1 John 4:18** – There is no fear in love. But perfect love drives out fear, because fear has to do with punishment. The one who fears is not made perfect in love.

**Revelation 1:17** – When I saw him, I fell at his feet as though dead. Then he placed his right hand on me and said: 'Do not be afraid. I am the First (1<sup>st</sup>) and the Last.'

**Revelation 2:10** – Do not be afraid of what you are about to suffer. I tell you, HaSatan (the Devil) will put some of you in prison to test you, and you will suffer persecution for ten (10) days. Be faithful, even to the point of Death, and I will give you Life as your victor's crown.

So **AYAZL** (Yahuah) reassures his people. For a time they will suffer his punishment. They will face many horrific situations. But **AYAZL** (Yahuah) will not abandon them. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you. When you walk through the fire, you will not be burned; **Isaiah 43:2**.

Do not be afraid, for I am with you. Fear not, for I have redeemed you... To redeem something means to pay a price to get it back. **AYAZL** (Yahuah)'s people are called and chosen. Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have summoned [or called] you by name....

יְהוָה (Yahuah)'s passion for his people is breathtaking. In his sight they are precious and honored and he simply loves them!

### **THE FEAR OF יְהוָה (YAHUAH)**

Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. Rather be afraid of the One (1) who can destroy both Soul and Body in Gehenna (everlasting fire, which is the 2<sup>nd</sup> death). **Matthew 10:28**

'I tell you, my friends, do not be afraid of those who kill the body and after that can do no more.' **5** But I will show you whom you should fear: Fear the One (1) who, after you have been killed, has power to throw you into Gehenna (everlasting fire, which is the 2<sup>nd</sup> death). Yes, I tell you, fear Him! **Luke 12:4-5**

Do you know what it truly means to Fear יְהוָה (Yahuah)? Many do not realize that we are actually Commanded to fear Him. This fear keeps us in submission to His Turah (Instructions) and it also keeps His favor upon our lives.

The Fear of יְהוָה (Yahuah) means: to have a reverential awe of (fear of) יְהוָה (Yahuah).

Fear is an abstract concept, but the Abry (Hebrew) words translated as "fear" have a more concrete definition behind them. The first (1<sup>st</sup>) root we will examine is Pachad (Paw-kkad') [H6342]. Fear (Pachad [H6342] - noun) came upon me, and trembling, and caused all my bones to shake (Pachad [H6342] – verb). **Job 4:14**

In this verse, the word "fear" is the noun Pachad [H6343] meaning "Shaking," while the word "Shake" is the verb Pachad [H6342] meaning "to Shake."

The second (2<sup>nd</sup>) Abry (Hebrew) root is H3372 Yare (Yaw-ray): a primitive root; to fear; more to revere; honor, cause to frighten; to stand in awe of; to be afraid of; fear. From Yare (H3373) to fear; revere, reverence, dreadful.

In the following verse, we will see that this verb means "fear" in the sense of what we would consider fear.

And he said, I heard your voice in the garden and I feared (H3372 Yare (Yaw-ray)) because I was naked and I hid myself. **Genesis 3:10**

In the next verse, we see the same Abry (Hebrew) word in a more positive context.

You will Revere (H3372 Yare (Yaw-ray)) יְהוָה (Yahuah) your Aluah and you will serve him and in his Name you will swear. **Deuteronomy 6:13**

Many would conclude from these two (2) passages this Hebrew word has two (2) different meanings, fear and reverence. This assumption is made with many Abry (Hebrew) words, but this is caused by an understanding of the Abry (Hebrew) vocabulary from a non-Hebraic perspective. Each Abry (Hebrew) word has only one (1) meaning but can have different applications. The literal concrete meaning of Yare is a "flowing of the gut, " which can be applied to "Fear" or "Reverence. Essentially, this "flowing of the gut" feeling is to be in the presence of something so amazing that you could feel it in your body. False fear can be found in your body too. But Yara feels different. " Have you ever been so scared or been in the presence of something so amazing that you could feel it in your gut? This "feeling" is the meaning of this word. The Abrys (Hebrews) were emotional people, and in many cases their words

are describing a "feeling," rather than an "action."

𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yaraah)

𐤏 (Yad/Yod), Work, Deed, Worship. 𐤓 (Resh), First, Top, Beginning. 𐤀 (Al/Aleph), Strength, Leader. 𐤅 (He), Look, Reveal, Breath.

The fear (Yaraah (Yar-aw' -H3374) of 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) is the beginning of Wisdom: and the Knowledge of the Qadosh (Holy) is Understanding. **Proverbs 9:10**

The word "fear" in the this verse is the noun Yaraah (Yar-aw') (H3374), dreadful, exceedingly, fearfulness, is derived from the verb Yara (H3372), more to revere; honor, cause to frighten; to stand in awe of; to be afraid of;. The common understanding of this verse is if one is afraid of or in great awe of 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah), he will have Wisdom.

A primary and basic element in the fear of 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) is revelation.

**Deuteronomy 4:1-15** opens with a call to Yasharal to hold tight to the words of 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) (v.1-3), which is equivalent to clinging to 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) Himself (v.4-5). Mashah (Moses) stresses that it is the possession of this verbal revelation which is both their national wisdom and their point of distinction (v.6-8). So they must hold fast the words and the memory of their encounter with 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) (v.9-10).

**Deuteronomy 4:10** reads: "...the day that you stood before 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) your Alhym (God) at Horeb, 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) said to me, 'Gather the people to me, that I may let them hear my words, so that they may learn to fear me all the days that they live on the earth, and that they may teach their children.'"

From this verse and the larger context I isolate two (2) observations:

1. "Fear" here clearly is not merely an emotion—or else I think that the fire and all (v.11) would have done the trick.
2. "Fear" here is something that must be learned, and that requires revelation from 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah). 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) Commanded that the people hear His words "so that they may learn to fear" Him, and that they might teach the fear of 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) to their children.

And then we see in verses (12-14) where 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) Himself directs the spotlight in that entire encounter. Darkness, clouds, fire, the very voice of 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah). Is that where 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) fixes their attention? No. In fact, 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) expressly says, "You heard the sound of words, but saw no form; there was only a voice" (v.12b). He goes on to relate at length the fact that He revealed and inscribed the Ten (10) Commandments (v.13) and Commanded Mashah (Moses) to teach them "Statutes and Rules" that they might do them (v.14).

There was no form, only the word of 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) (v.15). 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) emphasizes His word, and specifically stresses that He spoke to them, that He rendered Himself quotable. Therefore, if anyone wishes to learn to fear 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) today, he will not chase off after reports of supernatural outbreaks here and there. Instead, he will open his Scripture, and he will pray that 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) opens his heart to hear His voice speaking through it, and will teach him to fear 𐤏𐤃𐤏 (Yahuah) thereby (**Psalms 119:18; Hebrews 3:7**).

The point comes up again in **Deuteronomy 31:9–13**, where Mashah (Moses) Commanded the Levites to read the Word of אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) to the people at their national assembly “in order that they may hear and learn and fear אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) your Alhym (God), and be careful to observe all the words of this Turah (Instructions /law)” (v.12, emphases added), and that their children may also hear, and learn to fear אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) (v.13).

What אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) stresses is the reading of His Word as essential to Yasharalites coming to fear Him.

**Deuteronomy 31:13** is worth further emphasis, in that אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) expressly declares that this is how the children “who have not known” would learn to fear Him. “Have not known” what? In context, they have not known His miraculous deeds (**11:2**). By saying this, אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) is indicating that the truth and power of His Word are sufficient, not only sufficient, but superior.

**Leviticus 19:32; 25:17, 35 & 36, 43...** Fear of אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) is a Commandment. Fear (H3372: more to revere; honor, cause to frighten; to stand in awe of; to be afraid of) ‘Alhym אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) made Solomon an extremely wise man, and part of the Knowledge tells us to be in the fear (H3374: dreadful, exceedingly, fearfulness) of אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) all day long **Proverbs 23:17; Deuteronomy 5:28 & 29**.

אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) has said that it would be well with us and our children forever **Proverbs 10:27; 19:23**...if we fear (H3372: more to revere; honor, cause to frighten; to stand in awe of; to be afraid of) Him (**Jeremiah 32:36-40**...if we fear (H3372: more to revere; honor, cause to frighten; to stand in awe of; to be afraid of) Him, we will not turn aside. **Deuteronomy 6:1 & 2, 13, 24 & 25; 8:5 & 6; 10:12 & 13, 20; 13:4; 14:22 & 23; 17:14-19**...Fearing (H3372: more to revere; honor, cause to frighten; to stand in awe of; to be afraid of) אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) is walking in the Turah.

I will Give them one (1) Heart and one (1) way, that they may Fear Me forever, for their own good and the good of their children after them. **Jeremiah 32:39**

I Will make with them an Everlasting Covenant, that I will not turn away from doing good to them. And I will put the Fear of ME in their hearts, that they may not turn from ME. **Jeremiah 32:40**

For this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Yasharal after those days, declares אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah): I will put my Turah (Instructions/law) within them, and I will write it on their hearts. And I will be their Aluah (God), and they shall be my people. **Jeremiah 31:33, Hebrews 10:16, Hebrews 8:10**

אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) Commanded us to obey all these decrees and to Fear אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) our Aluah the Almighty-One, so that we might always prosper and be kept alive. **Deuteronomy 6:24**

**Deuteronomy 25:17-19** ...Those that do not fear (H3373: to fear; revere, reverence, dreadful) אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) are ruthless and cold...Amalaq did not fear אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah): his remembrance was blotted out from under Shamym (Heavens).

Teach me your way, אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah), that I may rely on Your Trustworthiness; give me an undivided heart, that I May Fear Your Name. **Psalms 86:11**

In **Proverbs 15:33**, the fear of אֱלֹהִים (Yahuah) is described as the "Discipline" or

"Instruction" of Wisdom.

Believers are not to be scared of **יְהוָה** (Yahuah). We have no reason to be scared of Him. We have His promise that nothing can separate us from His love (**Romans 8:38-39**). We have His promise that He will never leave us or forsake us (**Hebrews 13:5**). Fearing **יְהוָה** (Yahuah) means having such a reverence for Him that it has a great impact on the way we live our lives. The fear of **יְהוָה** (Yahuah) is respecting Him, obeying His Torah (Instructions/Teachings), submitting to His Discipline, and Worshiping Him in awe.