

**“From Drought to Flood – 10 Day Drought Plan for Spiritual Dry Season”**

**Isaiah 58:11**

“The LORD will guide you continually, giving you water when you are dry and restoring your strength. You will be like a well-watered garden, like an ever-flowing spring.” (NLT)

**Isaiah 58:9-12 The Message (MSG)**

A Full Life in the Emptiest of Places

“If you get rid of unfair practices, quit blaming victims, quit gossiping about other people’s sins, If you are generous with the hungry and start giving yourselves to the down-and-out, Your lives will begin to glow in the darkness, your shadowed lives will be bathed in sunlight. I will always show you where to go. I’ll give you a full life in the emptiest of places— firm muscles, strong bones. You’ll be like a well-watered garden, a gurgling spring that never runs dry. You’ll use the old rubble of past lives to build anew, rebuild the foundations from out of your past. You’ll be known as those who can fix anything, restore old ruins, rebuild and renovate, make the community livable again.”

**4 Seasons of the Christian Life:**

1. Dry Season
2. The Waiting Season
3. The Grinding Season (productivity)
4. The Tests and Trials Season

**CAUTION: Droughts can set us up for UNFAVORABLE conditions in our lives.**

- Doubt
- Drifting
- Distractions
- Discontent
- Damage

**Causes for a Spiritual Drought:**

1. S \_\_\_\_\_ - Psalm 32
2. E \_\_\_\_\_ - Holes in your life cause drainage and emptiness.
3. Priorities = I \_\_\_\_\_ What is your main pursuit?
  - Wycliffe commentary – “An idol is anything which occupies the place due to God. Anything in your life that take priority over God.”
4. Divine Purposes - the Lord is going for something!

**Cures for a Spiritual Drought:**

1. R \_\_\_\_\_ - Acts 3:19 Repent and turn...so times of refreshing may come.
2. T \_\_\_\_\_ - Develop an attitude and actions of gratefulness.
3. S \_\_\_\_\_ - Hebrews 11:6...he is the rewarder of those who diligently seek him.
  - Droughts should increase seeking, looking, listening and obeying
4. Wait Well in the Wilderness Season– Be a good “waiter”.
5. R \_\_\_\_\_ - Do what’s right...regardless! Phil 1:7-11, 4:6-7, 2:13, 4:13
6. Super Thrive! Get Water! Water Yourself! Let others water you.