

In His Shadow Creations

Advancing God's Kingdom through the Worship Arts

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PURPOSES AND SIGNIFICANCE OF FLAGS AND BANNERS

- 1) **JEHOVAH'S NAME (JEHOVAH MY BANNER)**
(Exo 17:15 MKJV) And Moses built an altar, and called the name of it Jehovah My Banner.
- 2) **FLAGS/BANNERS TELL OF GOD'S SALVATION**
Psa 20:5 We will rejoice in your salvation, and in the name of our God we will set up banners; may Jehovah fulfill all your prayers. ; Psa 60:4 You have given a banner to those who fear You, to lift it up because of the truth. Selah.
- 3) **FLAGS/BANNERS TELL OF GOD'S PROTECTION**
(Isaiah 59:19) So shall they fear the name of the LORD from the west and his glory from the rising of the sun. When the enemy shall come in like a flood, the Spirit of the LORD shall lift up a standard against him. Strongs 5127 IS "NUWC", which means to cause to flee, to lift up a standard.
(Song of Solomon 2:4) He brought me to the banqueting house, and His banner over me was love.; (Psalms 60:4) You have given a banner to those who fear You, to lift it up because of the truth. Selah..
- 4) **FLAGS/BANNERS TELL OF GOD'S POWER**
(Song of Solomon 6:4) O my love, you are as beautiful as Tirzah, as lovely as Jerusalem, as inspiring as an army with banners.
- 5) **FLAGS/BANNERS ARE FIGURATIVE OF GOD'S UPLIFTED HAND**
Isaiah 11:10-12 And in that day there shall be the Root of Jesse standing for a banner of the people; to Him the nations shall seek; and His resting place shall be glorious. (11) And it shall be in that day, the Lord shall again set His hand, the second time, to recover the remnant of His people that remains, from Assyria and from Egypt, and from Pathros, and from Ethiopia, and from Persia, and from Shinar, and from Hamath, and from the coasts of the sea. (12) And He shall lift up a banner for the nations, and shall gather the outcasts of Israel and gather together the scattered ones of Judah from the four corners of the earth.
- 6) **FLAGS/BANNERS ARE FIGURATIVE OF CHRIST**
IS. 11:10-12
- 7) **FLAGS/BANNERS RALLY THE TROOPS IN WAR**
IS. 5:26; 13:1-5; 30:17
- 8) **FLAGS/BANNERS BESTOW HONOR**
PS. 60:4
- 9) **FLAGS/BANNERS TELL PEOPLE WHO YOU REPRESENT - (TRIBE, FAMILY)**
NU.1:52; 2:2,3; 10:14

Expressing passionate worship through the arts.

- 10) **FLAGS/BANNERS SIGNAL OR ATTRACT ATTENTION**
IS.62:10-12; JER. 4:6; 51:12
- 11) **FLAGS/BANNERS HERALD EVENTS**
IS.49:22; JER. 50:2; 51:12
- 12) **FLAGS/BANNERS UNIFY THE COMPANY - DIRECTING THE WARFARE IN PRAISE.**
IS. 13:2-5
- 13) **FLAGS/BANNERS SHOW VICTORIES WON**
The word banner or flag in PS.20: 5 IS "DAGAL", which means "to flaunt, to raise a flag, to be conspicuous, to set up with banners".
PS.20:5-9; S. OF S.6:4,10
- 14) **FLAGS/BANNERS ARE DEMONSTRATIVE OF GOD'S PRESENCE LIFTED IN OUR MIDST**
EX.17:8-15; S. OF S.6:4,10
- 15) **FLAGS/BANNERS CAN BE A RALLYING POINT OF HEALING**
NU. 21:8-9; IS.11:10; JN.3:14-15; 12:32
- 16) **FLAGS/BANNERS PUT THE ENEMY TO FLIGHT**
PS. 60:4,5; S. OF S.6:4,10; IS.31:8-9; 59:19
- 17) **FLAGS/BANNERS MARK THE SAFE PATH TO FOLLOW**
JER.4:6; 51:12,27
- 18) **FLAGS/BANNERS MINISTER TO AND CELEBRATE THE LORD**
PS.20:5; 69:24-29, 31-35; IS.13:1-3; ZECH.9:9-16
- 19) **FLAGS/BANNERS ARE USED BY ARMIES**
NUM.2:2,3; S. OF S.6:4,10
- 20) **FLAGS/BANNERS WERE A SIGNAL FOR BLOWING OF THE TRUMPET**
IS.18:3; JER.51:27