Knowledge of the Glory: Rise and Shine!

Theme Verse for 2025:

Hab 2:14 For the earth will be filled With the knowledge of the glory of the Lord, As the waters cover the sea.

Knowledge: Strong's #3045 *yada* (yaw-dah); to know, to properly ascertain by seeing, instruction, advise, comprehend, consider, declare, be diligent, discover, to make known, skillful, understanding, be learned, teach, wit.

Know: Strong's #3045 **yada** (yah-dah); to perceive, to distinguish, to recognize, to acknowledge, to be acquainted with. **Thank:** Strong's # 3034 **yadah** (Yah-dah); to revere or worship with extended hands; to praise, give thanks, acknowledge, declare the merits of someone.

Hand: Strongs # 3027, *yad* (yahd): means by which work is accomplished, strength, power, and is one of the most symbolic terms in the Bible, used over 1,500 times in the Old Testament alone.

Knowledge summarized: The word knowledge in Hebrew is *yada*, which is tied to *yadah* and *yad*. To **know**, to **thank** and to **release power** from our **hand**. This type of knowledge will manifest the glory of God through miracles. Thus, **Hab 2:14** Could read; "For the earth will be filled **with people knowing and moving in the glory of the Lord**, As the water cover the sea." People will not only know His glory, they will move in that glory! The faithful remnant, the righteous will **move**, **rise and shine** in this knowledge and the entire world will see it!

<u>Hos 4:6</u> My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge. Because you have **rejected knowledge**, I also will reject you from being priest for Me; Because you have forgotten the law of your God, I also will forget your children. "Rejected knowledge" in this sense is knowing what the right thing to do is (righteousness) and refusing to do it.

Glory: Strong's #3519 Hebrew *kabowd* (kaw-bode') or *chabod* (kah-vohd); weightiness, that which is substantial, honor, splendor, power, wealth, authority, magnificence, fame, dignity, riches, excellency. *Chabod* is God's glory, not only His honor, renown, and majesty, but also His visible splendor, which filled Solomon's temple and will someday fill the earth. **Glory**: Greek, *doxa* (dox-ah), #1392 splendor, radiance, majesty, all residing in Christ by evidence of the miracles He performed (see **John 2:11**) SFLB Word Wealth.

Turning water into wine: first miracle to glorify Jesus

<u>John 2:11</u> This beginning of signs Jesus did in Cana of Galilee, and **manifested His glory**; and His disciples believed in Him. The manifestation of His glory (His miracle working power) is so people will believe in Jesus.

<u>Num 24:17</u> "I see Him, but not now; I behold Him, but not near; A **Star** shall come out of Jacob; A **Scepter shall rise** out of Israel, And batter the brow of Moab, And destroy all the sons of tumult. The prophecy of the Bright and Morning Star, establishing His Kingdom.

Dedication of Solomon's Temple: Praising, Singing, Shouting, Trumpets, Instruments bring His glory!

2 Chron 5:11-14 And it came to pass when the priests came out of the Most Holy Place (for all the priests who were present had sanctified themselves, without keeping to their divisions), 12 and the Levites who were the singers, all those of Asaph and Heman and Jeduthun, with their sons and their brethren, stood at the east end of the altar, clothed in white linen, having cymbals, stringed instruments and harps, and with them one hundred and twenty priests sounding with trumpets — 13 indeed it came to pass, when the trumpeters and singers were as one, to make one sound to be heard in praising and thanking the Lord, and when they lifted up their voice with the trumpets and cymbals and instruments of music, and praised the Lord, saying: "For He is good, For His mercy endures forever," that the house, the house of the Lord, was filled with a cloud, 14 so that the priests could not continue ministering because of the cloud; for the glory of the Lord filled the house of God.

The Glory of One (5x)

<u>John 17:20-24</u> "I do not pray for these alone, but also for those who will believe in Me through their word; 21 that they all may be **one**, as You, Father, are in Me, and I in You; that **they also may be one in Us**, that the world may believe that You sent Me. 22 And the **glory which You gave Me I have given them**, that they may be **one** just as We are **one**: 23 I in

them, and You in Me; that they may be made perfect in **one**, and that the world may know that You have sent Me, and have loved them as You have loved Me. 24 "Father, I desire that they also whom You gave Me may be with Me where I am, that **they may behold My glory** which You have given Me;

The Morning Star Authority: Rise and Shine! We Reflect the Glory of Jesus!

<u>Isa 60:1-3</u> Arise, shine; For your light has come! And the glory of the Lord is risen upon you. 2 For behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, And deep darkness the people; But the Lord will arise over you, And His glory will be seen upon you. 3 The Gentiles shall come to your light, And kings to the brightness of your rising.

<u>Isa 60:5</u> Then you shall **see** and **become radiant**, And your heart shall swell with joy; Because the abundance of the sea shall be turned to you, The wealth of the Gentiles shall come to you.

<u>Dan 12:1</u> Those who are wise **shall shine** Like the brightness of the firmament, And those who turn many to righteousness Like **the stars** forever and ever.

<u>Mal 4:1-3</u> "For behold, the day is coming, Burning like an oven, And all the proud, yes, all who do wickedly will be stubble. And the day which is coming shall burn them up, "Says the Lord of hosts, "That will leave them neither root nor branch. 2 But to you who fear My name **The Sun of Righteousness shall arise** With healing in His wings; And you shall go out And grow fat like stall-fed calves. 3 You shall trample the wicked, For they shall be ashes under the soles of your feet On the day that **I do this**," Says the Lord of hosts.

Ps 110:1-6 The Lord said to my Lord, "Sit at My right hand, Till I make Your enemies Your footstool." 2 The Lord shall send the rod of Your strength out of Zion. Rule in the midst of Your enemies! 3 Your people shall be volunteers In the day of Your power; In the beauties of holiness, from the womb of the morning, You have the dew of Your youth. 4 The Lord has sworn And will not relent, "You are a priest forever According to the order of Melchizedek." 5 The Lord is at Your right hand; He shall execute kings in the day of His wrath. 6 He shall judge among the nations,

Hag 2:6-9 "For thus says the Lord of hosts: 'Once more (it is a little while) I will shake heaven and earth, the sea and dry land; 7 and I will shake all nations, and they shall come to the Desire of All Nations, and I will fill this temple with glory,' says the Lord of hosts. 8 'The silver is Mine, and the gold is Mine,' says the Lord of hosts. 9 'The glory of this latter temple shall be greater than the former,' says the Lord of hosts. 'And in this place I will give peace,' says the Lord of hosts."

<u>Matt 5:14-16</u> "You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden. 15 Nor do they light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a lampstand, and it gives light to all who are in the house. 16 **Let your light so shine** before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

<u>Matt 13:40-43</u> Therefore as the tares are gathered and burned in the fire, so it will be at the end of this age. 41 The Son of Man will send out His angels, and they will gather out of His kingdom all things that offend, and those who **practice lawlessness**, 42 and will cast them into the furnace of fire. There will be wailing and gnashing of teeth. 43 Then the **righteous will shine forth as the sun** in the kingdom of their Father. He who has ears to hear, let him hear!

Rev 2:26-28 And he who overcomes, and keeps My works until the end, to him I will give power over the nations — 27 'He shall rule them with a rod of iron; They shall be dashed to pieces like the potter's vessels' — as I also have received from My Father; 28 and I will give him the morning star.

2 Peter 1:19-21 And so we have the prophetic word confirmed, which you do well to heed as a light that shines in a dark place, until the day dawns and **the morning star rises in your hearts**; 20 knowing this first, that no prophecy of Scripture is of any private interpretation, 21 for prophecy never came by the will of man, but holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit.

<u>Phil 2:14-16</u> Do all things without complaining and disputing, 15 that you may become blameless and harmless, children of God without fault in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation, among whom **you shine as lights** in the world, Complaining and disputing dulls our light. Many times, this comes from pride and being offended. It is a critical spirit that tears down instead of building up.