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Foundational Scripture (NKJV):

“Arise, shine; For your light has come! And the glory of the LORD is risen upon you.

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.

The Gentiles shall come to your light, And kings to the brightness of your rising.”

— **Isaiah 60:1–3 (NKJV)**

SECTION 1 — A DIVINE WAKE-UP CALL

Isaiah 60 does not begin with a suggestion. It begins with a **command**.

“Arise.”

God is speaking to people who have been surrounded by darkness, delay, oppression, and weariness. After the desperate condition described in Isaiah 59, heaven interrupts history with a decisive word: **Get up**.

This is not a natural awakening. This is a **spiritual summons**.

To arise means:

- To come out of passivity
- To stand after seasons of collapse
- To move from survival into assignment

- To respond to God’s initiative with obedience

God does not tell them to *create* light. He tells them to **respond** to light.

“For your light has come.”

This means:

- Light arrives before action
- Grace precedes obedience
- God moves first

You are not being asked to shine in your own strength.

You are being called to **stand in what God has already released.**

Section Summary:

This is not a season to stay down. Heaven has already acted. Light has arrived, grace has been given, and God’s voice is calling you out of delay. The command to arise is proof that your season has shifted.

SECTION 2 — YOUR LIGHT IS NOT FUTURE, IT IS PRESENT

The phrase **“your light has come”** is written in the past tense.

Not *will come*.

Not *might come*.

Has come.

Many believers live in constant postponement:

- “One day I’ll walk in purpose.”

- “One day I’ll be healed.”
- “One day God will use me.”

But Isaiah 60 destroys spiritual procrastination.

Light is not coming later.

Light is already here.

This light is:

- Revelation you already carry
- Grace already deposited
- Authority already assigned

The problem is not the absence of light.

The problem is remaining seated when God says stand.

Darkness does not disappear because light exists.

Darkness disappears when light is **revealed and expressed**.

Section Summary:

Stop waiting for permission from tomorrow. God has already released what you need. Your responsibility is not to ask for more light, but to walk in the light you already have.

SECTION 3 — THE GLORY OF THE LORD HAS RISEN UPON YOU

This light is not emotional excitement.

It is **the glory of the Lord**.

The glory of God represents:

- His manifested presence
- His weight, honor, and authority
- His power resting on ordinary people

The text does not say the glory will rise *around* you.
It says the glory has risen **upon** you.

This means:

- You carry heaven's imprint
- You reflect God's nature
- You host divine presence

Just as Jesus was transfigured before His disciples, God intends His people to visibly carry His glory.

You are not meant to blend in.

You are meant to **stand out by presence, not noise.**

Section Summary:

God's glory resting on you is not a reward for perfection. It is a calling to representation. You carry His presence so others can see what He is like.

SECTION 4 — DARKNESS DOES NOT CANCEL DESTINY

Isaiah does not deny reality.

“Darkness shall cover the earth, and deep darkness the people.”

This is not symbolic language alone.

It speaks of:

- Moral confusion
- Spiritual blindness
- Widespread despair

Yet notice the contrast:

- Darkness covers the earth
- **But the Lord rises upon you**

Darkness may be global, but glory is **personal**.

God never waits for conditions to improve before releasing purpose.

You were born for dark times because:

- Light is most visible in darkness
- Purpose is revealed under pressure
- Glory shines brightest in contrast

Section Summary:

Do not misinterpret darkness as disqualification. Darkness is the backdrop that proves your assignment. You were designed for moments like this.

SECTION 5 — ARISING IS A CHOICE

Light does not force you to stand.

It **invites** you.

To arise requires:

- Decision
- Movement
- Faith-driven obedience

Many believers receive light but refuse responsibility.

You can be illuminated and still inactive.

You can be called and still seated.

Arising looks like:

- Breaking agreement with fear
- Letting go of spiritual slumber
- Moving despite uncertainty

Section Summary:

God will not arise for you. He rises **upon** you so you can arise in response.
Destiny begins with obedience.

SECTION 6 — SHINING IS A RESPONSIBILITY

Once you arise, God says **shine**.

Shining is not performance.

It is **expression**.

You shine by:

- Living truthfully
- Walking boldly
- Reflecting Christ consistently

Light that is hidden is disobedient light.

Jesus said:

“You are the light of the world... A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden.” (Matthew 5:14 NKJV)

Section Summary:

Shining is not optional. If God placed light in you, He expects illumination through you.

SECTION 7 — YOUR RISING DRAWS OTHERS

Isaiah declares:

“The Gentiles shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your rising.”

Your obedience has impact beyond you.

When you rise:

- People are drawn
- Influence increases
- Doors open

You do not chase impact.
Impact follows obedience.

Section Summary:

Your rising is not self-promotion. It is divine attraction. Others will come because God is visible in you.

SECTION 8 — THIS IS BOTH NOW AND ETERNAL

Isaiah 60 points toward a future kingdom, but it also releases **present power**.

God does not delay obedience because of prophecy.
He invites participation now.

What will fully manifest later is already active now.

Section Summary:

Do not postpone obedience because of theology. Walk now in what God has revealed.

SECTION 9 — GOD HAS GLORY TO RELEASE THROUGH YOU

God's glory does not end with you.
It flows **through** you.

You are not the destination.
You are the vessel.

Section Summary:

The question is not whether God wants to shine. The question is whether He can trust you to carry the light.

SECTION 10 — TODAY IS YOUR RESPONSE MOMENT

Isaiah 60 is not inspirational poetry.

It is a **summons**.

The command still stands:

Arise. Shine.

Your time has come.

CLOSING PRAYER — ARISE AND SHINE

Heavenly Father,

I come before You with humility and faith, acknowledging You as the God of light, glory, and purpose. Your Word declares that my light has come, and today I choose to believe what You have spoken over what I have felt, feared, or faced.

In the name of Jesus, I arise from every low place. I rise from spiritual slumber, from discouragement, from delay, and from every season where I have settled for less than Your will. I break agreement with passivity, fear, doubt, and hesitation. I refuse to stay seated when heaven has commanded me to stand.

Father, I receive Your light. I receive revelation, clarity, direction, and truth. I declare that confusion must leave, heaviness must lift, and darkness must retreat because Your glory has risen upon me. I am not waiting for another season, another sign, or another confirmation. I respond now.

Lord, let Your glory rest upon me. Not for my name, but for Yours. Let Your presence be evident in my words, my decisions, my relationships, and my obedience. Where I have hidden my light, forgive me. Where I have been silent out of fear, strengthen me. Where I have doubted my calling, realign my heart with truth.

I declare today that darkness will not define me. Though darkness may cover the earth and deep darkness the people, You arise upon me. Your glory separates me, covers me, and empowers me. I will not be swallowed by the times. I will shine within them.

Father, I step into my divine purpose. I declare that my rising will draw others—not to me, but to You. Let my life be a testimony. Let my obedience open doors. Let my faith release impact. Let kings, nations, and generations be touched because I said yes to Your command.

I declare that every chain is broken. Every limitation is removed. Every delay is redeemed. I receive divine acceleration, divine alignment, and divine favor. I am not late. I am not overlooked. I am not disqualified. I am chosen, called, and commissioned.

Lord, make me a city on a hill that cannot be hidden. Let my life reflect Your goodness, truth, and power. Wherever I go, let light go with me. Wherever I stand, let glory be revealed. Wherever I speak, let truth be heard.

I seal this prayer by faith. I declare that today marks a turning point. I arise. I shine. My light has come. The glory of the Lord has risen upon me.

In Jesus' mighty name,
Amen.

A Prayer to Arise and Shine

Corporate prayer yet personal, strong, prophetic, and worship-filled

Father God,

In reverence and holy awe, we come before You today, bowing our hearts and lifting our voices to the One who is Light itself. You are the Ancient of Days, the Everlasting God, the Holy One of Israel, the Alpha and the Omega. We thank You for Your Word, because Your Word is living, powerful, and unstoppable. We thank You that at Your Word, chains break, eyes open, and destinies awaken. Today we stand upon Your eternal

decree and we declare with faith and boldness: *“Arise, shine; for your light has come! And the glory of the LORD is risen upon you.”*

Father, we acknowledge that darkness has covered the earth, and deep darkness has covered the people. We see it in the nations, in communities, in families, and even in hearts. Yet we declare that darkness does not have the final word. For You, O Lord, rise upon us, and Your glory is seen upon us. Where shadows have lingered, let Your light now flood in. Where despair has spoken loudly, let hope arise with power. Where weariness has tried to settle into our bones, awaken us with fresh fire from heaven.

In the name of Jesus, we arise from every place of delay, discouragement, fear, depression, and spiritual slumber. We shake off every garment of heaviness and we put on the garment of praise. We refuse to remain seated in places You have already called us out of. We rise because You have called us to rise. We shine because Your glory rests upon us. We do not shine in our own strength, but in the brilliance of Your presence living within us.

Lord, You said that nations shall come to our light, and kings to the brightness of our rising. We receive this promise by faith. Let our lives become living testimonies that draw others out of darkness and into truth. Let our obedience release influence. Let our faith open doors. Let our light shine in homes, in workplaces, in ministries, in cities, and across nations, so that many will see and glorify You.

We lift up our eyes, just as Your Word commands, and we look around with expectation. We declare that everything connected to our destiny will locate us. Every inheritance delayed, every promise deferred, every blessing held back—we call them forth now in Jesus’ name. Let there be restoration where there has been loss. Let joy replace sorrow. Let abundance flow where there has been lack. We declare that we will look and be radiant, and our hearts will swell with joy because You are faithful.

Father, rebuild what has been broken. Restore what has been torn down. Heal what has been wounded. Where walls have fallen through hardship,

sin, or attack, rebuild them stronger than before. Let gates of increase, opportunity, and favor stand open continually—day and night. Let divine connections find us. Let provision pursue us. Let Your favor go before us and make a way where there once was none.

We declare that You are our Everlasting Light. The sun will not strike us by day, nor the moon by night, because You, Lord, are our glory. Our days of sorrow are ending. Our season of mourning is giving way to joy. Our night is turning into morning. We declare peace as our governor and well-being as our ruler. Let Your peace guard our hearts, our minds, our homes, and our future.

Lord, make us a people who display Your splendor. We are the work of Your hands, planted for the showing forth of Your glory. Wherever we go, let Your light go with us. Wherever we stand, let Your presence be felt. Let the least become a thousand and the small become a mighty nation, for You are the Lord, and You will do this swiftly in Your perfect time.

Today, with one voice and one heart, we arise. We shine. We step forward in faith. We testify in advance that Your promises are yes and amen. We overcome by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of our testimony. All glory, all honor, and all praise belong to You alone.

In the mighty, matchless, and victorious name of Jesus Christ we pray,
Amen.

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- Training resources
- Spiritual warfare tools
- Teaching to help you grow into everything God has called you to be

But hear this clearly:

Your freedom begins with your **will**.

You must want it.

When you pursue Jesus with all your heart, **He will meet you.**

He will confront darkness.

He will break every chain.

This is not about religion.

This is about **relationship, obedience, and a relentless pursuit of the King of Kings.**

Prayer:

In the mighty name of Jesus, Father God, I pray right now for every person reading this. Surround them with Your divine protection. Stir their hunger for truth and freedom. Draw them into deeper healing, deeper authority, and deeper intimacy with You. Break every chain and lead them into the fullness of life You promised. In Jesus' name, amen.

Don't wait.

Get connected.

Get trained.

Get free.

Full-On Jesus is the only way.