
Remember, History, Free Speech, Censorship

Platforms and Policies—part 7

September 22, 2024

History: Remember; Do Not Forget

*Deut. 32:7 **Remember the days of old; consider the generations long past.** Ask your father and he will tell you, your elders, and they will explain to you.⁸ When the Most High gave the nations their inheritance, when he divided all mankind, he set up boundaries for the peoples according to the number of the sons of Israel.*

What God remembered:

Ex. 2:24 God heard their groaning and he remembered his covenant with Abraham, with Isaac and with Jacob.²⁵ So God looked on the Israelites and was concerned about them.

His covenant, His promises, His redemptive purposes, etc.

What people were to remember, in general:

*Ps. 119:52 **I remember, Lord, your ancient laws,** and I find comfort in them.*

*Num. 15:39 You will have these tassels to look at and so you will **remember all the commands** of the Lord, that you may obey them and not prostitute yourselves by chasing after the lusts of your own hearts and eyes.*

*1 Chr. 16:12 **Remember** the wonders he has done, his miracles, and the judgments he pronounced...*

*Est. 9:28 **These days should be remembered and observed in every generation** by every family, and in every province and in every city. And these days of Purim should never fail to be celebrated by the Jews—**nor should the memory of these days die out** among their descendants.*

Key: p3. Pessimistic. Optimistic. Idealistic. Pessimistic & optimistic

You can LISTEN to or VIEW video
of past PCI messages at www.pacificchurch.com

What people remembered, in specifics:

Deut. 5:15 Remember that you were slaves in Egypt and that the Lord your God brought you out of there with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm. Therefore the Lord your God has commanded you to observe the Sabbath day.

Deut. 8:2 Remember how the Lord your God led you all the way in the wilderness these forty years, to humble and test you in order to know what was in your heart, whether or not you would keep his commands.³ He humbled you, causing you to hunger and then feeding you with manna, which neither you nor your ancestors had known, to teach you that man does not live on bread alone but on every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord.

Neh. 4:14 After I looked things over, I stood up and said to the nobles, the officials and the rest of the people, "Don't be afraid of them. Remember the Lord, who is great and awesome, and fight for your families, your sons and your daughters, your wives and your homes."

Ps 25:7 Do not remember the sins of my youth and my rebellious ways; according to your love remember me, for you, Lord, are good.

Ps. 42:4 These things I remember as I pour out my soul: how I used to go to the house of God under the protection of the Mighty One with shouts of joy and praise among the festive throng.

77:11 I will remember the deeds of the Lord; yes, I will remember your miracles of long ago.¹² I will consider all your works and meditate on all your mighty deeds.

Ps. 78:35 They remembered that God was their Rock, that God Most High was their Redeemer.

What the people did not remember:

Judges 8:33 They set up Baal-Berith as their god³⁴ and did not remember the Lord their God, who had rescued them from the hands of all their enemies on every side.

Neh. 9:17 They refused to listen and failed to remember the miracles you performed among them. They became stiff-necked and in their rebellion appointed a leader in order to return to their slavery.

Ps. 106:7 When our ancestors were in Egypt, they gave no thought to your miracles; they did not remember your many kindnesses, and they rebelled by the sea, the Red Sea.

Isa. 17:10 You have forgotten God your Savior; you have not remembered the Rock, your fortress. Therefore, though you set out the finest plants and plant imported vines,¹¹ though on the day you set them out, you make them grow, and on the morning when you plant them, you bring them to bud, yet the harvest will be as nothing in the day of disease and incurable pain.

4 views of history

1. Pessimistic _____
2. Optimistic _____
3. Idealistic _____
4. Pessimistic & optimistic _____

Our history
