**Date**: August 2013 **Scripture**: Isaiah 41:10

Food for thought: Reject Your Fears.

Isaiah 41:10 "Fear not, for I Am with you; do not look around you in terror and be dismayed, for I AM your God. I will strengthen and harden you to difficulties, yes, I will help you; yes, I will hold you up and retain you with my right hand of rightness and justice."

As the month of August begins God is declaring a few things through Isaiah 41:10. May every promise in this scripture be yours.

First He says "FEAR NOT" Beloveds everything the enemy is clogging your mind with, every anxiety and worry I command them to be silenced IJN! I decree all worries and anxious thoughts will not stand and they will not come to pass. Next God declares "I AM WITH YOU" When the Father stands with you, no bully can come near you. No weapon that is released in your direction will be able to prosper. God declares He will stand with you, to protect you. He will be your strong tower to run into and you will be saved. The third is " DO NOT LOOK AROUND IN **TERROR**" Yes, your situation might be looking hopelessly terrifying BUT do not look around in terror. Remember the floods that killed many during Noah's time were the same waters that lifted up the ark in which was him and his entire household. That situation will not drown you! You are covered IJN! The fourth is " I WILL STRENGTHEN YOU and HARDEN YOU TO **DIFFICULTIES"** this month He will fill your heart with joy even in the midst of difficulties. He will stabilize you. Any areas where fears have engulfed you, He will stabilize you. He will stabilize your health, your finances and your family. The fifth "I WILL HELP YOU" What a glorious assurance! Friends, God's help is timely. God's help is sufficient, and does not come with strings attached. Don't fret He will take care of you, He will help you. The 6th is "I WILL **HOLD YOU UP"** That means any forces desiring to hold you down, to oppress you, to limit you will be rendered powerless IJN! He will hold you up. Glory to God!! he says "HE WILL RETAIN **YOU** by His right hand of righteousness- listen, God is committed to personally keep you. When God retains you, no force of darkness can arise against you. Your help will be retained. Your strength will be retained. You stability will be retained. Any acts of unrighteousness towards you will be thwarted IJN!

In all you embark on this month remember His banner over you is VICTORY! That means the Egyptians you see today you shall see no more! No concession to the devil. You are an over comer IJN! Have a blessed, fear free month IJN!

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