

There are only two types of fear in our world, reasonable and unreasonable. It may be too early to call which one on the present virus situation, but we can definitely speak about the reasonable fear we should hold for our Maker. Nineteen different times in the Book of Proverbs we read the phrase “**fear the Lord**” (NKJV). A necessary and HEALTHY fear of God is needed to survive any scare; real or perceived. In Proverbs 14:26-27 we read, “***In the fear of the LORD there is strong confidence, And His children will have a place of refuge. The fear of the LORD is a fountain of life, To turn one away from the snares of death.***” We are encouraged to remember this life is fleeting. (James 4:14) Like this life, viruses will come and go. The key is not to become desensitized to the real job at hand; ***to seek and save the lost.*** Satan will use whatever he can to keep us “off track”. If we are going to “stock up” on anything, let it be more Bible Studies and more prayers for those outside of Christ. (Luke 19:10) Maybe we can force Satan’s shelves to become empty. Please make a moment to think on these things. In Christ,

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