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Dave (1953-2022) and Kim Butts are the founders of Harvest Prayer Ministries. As long-time teachers on prayer and revival, Dave and Kim have published multiple books between them. They have written for multiple magazines and publications. Along with the abundance of articles on this website, categorized for your convenience, these blogs reflect Dave and Kim's thoughts, experiences, insights and teaching on prayer.



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by [Dave Butts](#)

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CHRISTMAS . . . A TIME FOR REFLECTION I admit it! I love Christmas. Oh, I get turned off by all the commercialization and secularization like many of you. But it's our holiday! By our, I mean the Church. And I'm not letting other people ruin our holiday....

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WAITING IS GOOD FOR US I'm sitting on a plane, hoping they can

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