

A pair of black-rimmed glasses is centered in the frame. The background is a light gray surface covered with various letters and numbers in a sans-serif font, some of which are slightly blurred. The text "Resolved. Vision 2025" is overlaid in the center in a white, serif font.

Resolved. Vision 2025

Psalm 20

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May the LORD answer you in the day of trouble;
May the name of the God of Jacob defend you;

2 May He send you help from the sanctuary,
And strengthen you out of Zion;

3 May He remember all your offerings,
And accept your burnt sacrifice. *Selah*

Psalm 20

4 May He grant you according to your heart's *desire*,
And fulfill all your purpose.

5 We will rejoice in your salvation,
And in the name of our God we will set
up *our* banners!

May the LORD fulfill all your petitions.

Psalm 20

6 Now I know that the LORD saves His anointed;
He will answer him from His holy heaven
With the saving strength of His right hand.

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⁷ Some *trust* in chariots, and some in horses;
But we will remember the name of the LORD our God.

⁸ They have bowed down and fallen;
But we have risen and stand upright.

⁹ Save, LORD!

May the King answer us when we call.

I. Help vv. 1-2

- Thank you for your help these last 4.5 years!
- Thank you for your partnership in the gospel!

Philippians 1:3-5 I thank my God upon every remembrance of you, ⁴ always in every prayer of mine making request for you all with joy, ⁵ for your **partnership** in the gospel from the first day until now

II. Heart vv. 4-5

- A. My heart's desire for us—is faithful obedience to the Great Commission. Matthew 28:16-20.
- B. How do people grow as disciples of Christ? Gather for worship. Grow spiritually in small groups & personal devotions. Go serve others both inside & outside the church (evangelism).

Purpose for 2025.

- A. Enhance our outreach—the **Go** in Gather, Grow, **Go**.
- B. Hire an Associate Pastor of Local Missions & Discipleship.
 1. His primary focus will be reaching out to the lost & building relationship bridges to our community.
 2. Equipping & mobilizing us to partner with him to build those relationships and evangelize the lost.

III. Pray that God would Give us a Bold Faith in Him v. 7.

- A. Boldly pray for a heart like Paul's for the people of our community (Ephesians 3:1-13).
- B. Boldly pray that God would send laborers to help (Matthew 9:35-38).
- C. Boldly pray for God to increase our giving.