

### God Makes Great Promises

Exodus 6:6-8 ERV

6 So tell the Israelites that I say to them, 'I am the Lord. I will save you. You will no longer be slaves of the Egyptians. I will use My great power to make you free, and I will bring terrible punishment to the Egyptians. 7 You will be My people and I will be your God. I am the Lord your God, and you will know that I made you free from Egypt. 8 **I made a great promise** to Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. **I promised to give** them a special land. So I will lead you to that land. I will give you that land. It will be yours. I am the Lord.'

### Why don't more people believe His promises?

Exodus 6:9 CEV

When Moses told this to the Israelites,  
**they were too discouraged and mistreated to believe him.**

### The Great Promises of God

2 Corinthians 1:20 NLT

For **all of God's promises have been fulfilled in Christ with a resounding "Yes!"** And through Christ, our "Amen" (which means "Yes") ascends to God for His glory.

✓ **Salvation**

Exodus 6:6a ERV

...I am the Lord. **I will save you....**

1 Timothy 1:15 NKJV

...**Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners...**

✓ **Freedom**

Exodus 6:6b ERV

You will no longer be slaves of the Egyptians. **I will use My great power to make you free**

Luke 4:18 NIV

**He has sent Me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners**

✓ **Justice**

Exodus 6:6c ERV

...**I will bring terrible punishment to the Egyptians.**

Matthew 12:18 NASB

I will put My Spirit upon Him, And **He shall proclaim justice to the Gentiles.**

✓ **To Be His People**

Exodus 6:7 ERV

**You will be My people and I will be your God.**

2 Corinthians 1:21-22 NLT

21 It is God who enables us, along with you, to stand firm for Christ.

He has commissioned us, 22 and **He has identified us as His own by placing the Holy Spirit in our hearts as the first installment that guarantees everything He has promised us.**

### Step Into God's Promises...

#### 1. Step **away** from your unbelief.

Numbers 13:32-33 TLB

32 So the majority report of the spies was negative:

"The land is full of warriors, the people are powerfully built,

33 and we saw some of the Anakim there, descendants of the ancient race of giants.

**We felt like grasshoppers before them, they were so tall!"**

#### 2. Step **out** in faith.

Numbers 14:6-10 ERV

6 Joshua and Caleb became very upset. (Joshua son of Nun and Caleb son of Jephunneh were two of the men who explored the land.) 7 These two men said to all of the Israelites gathered there, "The land that we saw is very good. 8 It is a land filled with many good things. If the Lord is pleased with us, He will lead us into that land. And **the Lord will give that land to us.** 9 **So don't turn against the Lord! Don't be afraid of the people in that land.**

**We can defeat them. They have no protection, nothing to keep them safe.**

**But we have the Lord with us, so don't be afraid!"**

10 **All of the people began talking about killing Joshua and Caleb with stones.**

But the Glory of the Lord appeared over the Meeting Tent where all the people could see it.

#### 3. Step **into** the promise.

Joshua 1:3 Message

**I'm giving you every square inch of the land you set your foot on —**

just as I promised Moses.

#### 4. Step **with** the Holy Spirit.

Numbers 33:51-52 NIV

'When you cross the Jordan into Canaan, 52 drive out all the inhabitants of the land before you. Destroy all their carved images and their cast idols, and demolish all their high places.

53 **Take possession of the land and settle in it, for I have given you the land to possess.**

Galatians 5:25 NIV

Since we live by the Spirit, **let us keep in step with the Spirit.**

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