



Promises, Promises!

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Numbers 23 ¹⁹ God is not a man, so he does not lie. He is not human, so he does not change his mind. Has he ever spoken and failed to act? **Has he ever promised and not carried it through?** NLT

2 Peter 1 ³ **Everything we could ever need for life and godliness has already been deposited in us by his divine power.** *For all this was lavished upon us* through the rich experience of knowing him who has called us by name and invited us to come to him through a glorious manifestation of his goodness. ⁴ As a result of this, he has given you magnificent promises that are beyond all price, so that **through the power of these tremendous promises we can experience partnership with the divine nature,** by which you have escaped the corrupt desires that are of the world. TPT

Romans 8 ³⁰ Having determined our destiny ahead of time, he called us to himself and transferred his perfect righteousness to everyone he called. And those who possess his perfect righteousness he co-glorified with his Son! ³¹ So, what does all this mean? If God has determined to stand with us, tell me, who then could ever stand against us? ³² For God has proved his love by giving us his greatest treasure, the gift of his Son. And **since God freely offered him up as the sacrifice for us all, he certainly won't withhold from us anything else he has to give.** TPT

Luke 12 ³² So don't ever be afraid, dearest friends! **Your loving Father joyously gives you his kingdom with all its promises!** TPT ³² "So don't be afraid, little flock. For it gives your Father **great happiness** to give you the Kingdom. NLT

Romans 8 ¹⁵ And you did not receive the "spirit of religious duty," leading you back into **the fear of never being good enough.** But you have received the "Spirit of full acceptance," enfolding you into the family of God. And you will never feel orphaned, for as he rises up within us, our spirits join him in saying the words of tender affection, "Beloved Father!" ¹⁶ For the Holy Spirit makes God's fatherhood real to us as he whispers into our innermost being, "You are God's beloved child!" ¹⁷ And since we are his true children, we qualify to share all his treasures, for indeed, we are heirs of God himself. And **since we are joined to Christ, we also inherit all that he is and all that he has.** We will experience being **co-glorified** with him provided that we accept his sufferings as our own. TPT

The Choice Is Ours!

Deuteronomy 30 ¹⁵ **Now listen! Today I am giving you a choice between life and death, between prosperity and disaster.** ¹⁶ For I command you this day to love the LORD your God and to keep his commands, decrees, and regulations by walking in his ways. If you do this, you will live and multiply, and the LORD your God will bless you and the land you are about to enter and occupy. ¹⁷ "But if your heart turns away and you refuse to listen, and if you are drawn away to serve and worship other gods, ¹⁸ then I warn you now that you will certainly be destroyed. You will not live a long, good life in the land you are crossing the Jordan to occupy. ¹⁹ **Today I have given you the choice between life and death, between blessings and curses. Now I call on heaven and earth to witness the choice you make. Oh, that you would choose life, so that you and your descendants might live!** ^{20a} You can make this choice by loving the LORD your God, obeying him, and committing yourself firmly to him. **This is the key to your life.**" NLT

Galatians 3 ¹³ Yet, Christ paid the full price to set us free from the curse of the law. He absorbed the curse completely as he became a curse in our place. For it is written: "Everyone who is hung upon a

tree is cursed.”¹⁴ **Jesus Christ dissolved the curse from our lives, so that in him all the blessings of Abraham can be poured out upon gentiles.** And now through faith we receive the promised Holy Spirit *who lives in us.* TPT

Hebrews 8 ⁶ But now Jesus, our High Priest, has been given a ministry that is far superior to the old priesthood, for he is the one who mediates for us **a far better covenant with God, based on better promises.** NLT ^{6b} ... since he is the catalyst of **a better covenant which contains far more wonderful promises!** TPT

Deuteronomy 28 ¹ **If you fully obey** the LORD your God and carefully keep all his commands that I am giving you today, the LORD your God will set you high above all the nations of the world. ² **You will experience all these blessings** if you obey the LORD your God: ³ Your **towns** and your **fields** will be **blessed.** ⁴ Your **children** and your **crops** will be **blessed.** The offspring of your **herds** and **flocks** will be **blessed.** ⁵ Your fruit baskets and breadboards will be blessed. ⁶ **Wherever you go and whatever you do,** you will be **blessed.** ⁷ “The LORD will conquer your enemies when they attack you. They will attack you from one direction, but they will scatter from you in seven!” ⁸ **The LORD will guarantee a blessing on everything you do** and will fill your storehouses with grain. The LORD your God will bless you in the land he is giving you. ⁹ “If you obey the commands of the LORD your God and walk in his ways, the LORD will establish you as his holy people as he swore he would do. ¹⁰ Then all the nations of the world will see that you are a people claimed by the LORD, and they will stand in awe of you. ¹¹ “The LORD will give you **prosperity** in the land he swore to your ancestors to give you, **blessing you with many children,** numerous livestock, and abundant crops. ¹² The LORD will send rain at the proper time from his rich treasury in the heavens and will **bless all the work you do.** You will lend to many nations, but you will never need to borrow from them. ¹³ If you listen to these commands of the LORD your God that I am giving you today, and if you carefully obey them, the LORD will make you the head and not the tail, and you will always be on top and never at the bottom. ¹⁴ You must not turn away from any of the commands I am giving you today, nor follow after other gods and worship them. ¹⁵ “But **if you refuse to listen to the LORD your God...curses... 20 ...for doing evil and abandoning me. 21 ...diseases... 22 ...disasters... 47 If you do not serve the LORD your God with joy and enthusiasm for the abundant benefits you have received, 48a ...hungry, thirsty, naked, and lacking in everything. 61 ...every sickness and plague there is, even those not mentioned in this Book of Instruction...**” NLT

Genesis 12 ² **I will make you into a great nation. I will bless you and make you famous, and you will be a blessing to others.** ³ I will bless those who bless you and curse those who treat you with contempt. All the families on earth will be blessed through you.” NLT

Genesis 13 ² Now Abram was **extremely rich** in livestock and in silver and in gold. AMP

Proverbs 10 ²² **The blessing of the LORD makes a person rich, and he adds no sorrow with it.** NLT

Proverbs 13 ²² **The benevolent man leaves an inheritance that endures to his children’s children, but the wealth of the wicked is treasured up for the righteous. 23 The lovers of God will live a long life and get to enjoy their wealth,** but the ungodly will suddenly perish. TPT

Mark 11 ²⁴ **This is the reason I urge you to boldly believe for whatever you ask for in prayer—be convinced that you have received it and it will be yours.** TPT

1 John 5 ¹⁴ Since we have this confidence, we can also have **great boldness** before him, for if we ask anything agreeable to his will, he will hear us. ¹⁵ **And if we know that he hears us in whatever we ask, we also know that we have obtained the requests we ask of him.** TPT