

# Your Promise Land

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Welcome to the Brothers of World, because brother you need the word!

And, Pastor has been doing a four-part series right now in entitled, "How to Survive in a Famine." And indeed, we need this wisdom in times such as this and if you happen to miss one of those messages and that series make sure to go to [airjesus.com](http://airjesus.com) and here it. They are message number 5410 through 5413, the series of how to survive in a famine. And pastor series will give you the guidance to help keep you until you breakthrough comes. And I want to speak to you today about how to make sure that your breakthrough does come one day. And do you know that some people they lived their whole lives in wilderness that place they smith just to be temporary. They die in old age. Still living check-to-check in wilderness, in need, they wait for the ship to come in and it never does. And we do not want you to be in that number today.

So, I want to teach today on how to make sure that you get out of the wilderness and all but two of the children of Israel who left Egypt, they died there in the wilderness, without being able to enjoy the fruit, and the prosperity, and the freedom of that land. I just speak to you today from the subject of your promise land. Turn to your neighbor and say, "Your Promise Land". Turn to the other side and say, "We are going to be talking about Your Promise Land today". And just in the last week on the 7<sup>th</sup> day, I know personally of 3 cases here in the ark, where even in a time of recession that financial breakthrough has come into the lives of our members. And even both of the companies that pastor and I worked with. We are expecting to have the largest product launches of the histories of those companies on next year. And if next is a year of a breakthrough for your spiritual healing, then I truly believe that for those of you that I am in the right position, the all of blessing will flow down into your life.

And even though you may be in the wilderness right now, what you do in the wilderness is will determine whether and how soon you get into the promise land. Look at in your bibles, the book of Joshua Chapter 1, starting at verse one. The word of the Lord reads, "Now after the death of Moses, the servant of the Lord, it came to pass that the Lord speaks unto Joshua with the son of Nun". Moses is minister saying, "Moses my servant is dead, now therefore arise go over this Jordan thou and all these people onto the land which I do give to them even to the children of Israel". And before we go on to the third, first I want you to do something that is a little unorthodox for church but my wife spoke up it prophetically. She do not know what I was going to speak about today and she told you earlier that she prayed that God bless us your socks of today.

I want everybody to just take your shoes off right now, to hear this next verse. Sometimes you cannot listen to with your shoes on, I do not care what kind of socks you got on today, and whether your sock may have a hole in it. I need you to catch this word of the Lord and you cannot catch it with your shoes on. Today, some

places you have to stand and be without shoes on even as Moses was. And not only are your ears to hear this word but even your bare feet, and how many sermons had you heard in your life, where just minister to your toes. And, you can feel it your toes tingling. And most of the times, I am going to take mine off. You cannot even preach these words with shoes on. And most of the times I pray to God would open you spiritually, but today I just pray that your feet will even hear the word that I am speaking. You can go home that day and say that the message spoke to your soul and even if you did not feel anything you could be talking about the soul under your feet today.

Now, that you have your shoes off we are going to read the third verse. When I read this in my private time, this message just leap off of the page under my spirit and I knew that this word was for you this day. Just off of this one verse, Joshua 1:3 continuances said that, "Every place that the sole of your foot shall tread upon that I have given unto you, as I said unto Moses." Every place that the sole of your foot shall tread upon that have I given unto you, as I said unto Moses and the two main cautions dealing with your promise land are: number one, what is God promised you? Question number two, what is God commanded you to do? Let us look at the first question, what has God promised you? We are not talking the day about just any land, we are talking about a promise land and the key word is the word "Promise". We are also not talking about what man has promised you, we are talking about what God has promised you.

Politicians, the Government may have made some promises to you but you can break on those promises sometimes. Sometimes when they are trying to get elected, they will say things that will tickle your ear. That would be what the people want to hear, but I tell you God is like no politicians. What He says, you can depend on. He did not have to hold a lesson to become God; he is already the ruler, the Lord of Lords, the King of Kings. He does not have to have a campaign to rule the universe and before God that any great thing in the bible, he promised it through his prophets. God just saying something is a promise. Unlike man who has to swear and say, "I promise I will do this and that". All he has to do is say it, and is so. He is not the man that he should lie, his "yey" means "yey" and his "nay" means "nay." And if he said it, it will come to pass. Before the Jews became a people, He promised a childless father a great nation will come out of his lines. Before he sent Moses, he promised the people a deliverer, before he anointed David he promised the people a king. Before the people settled, he promised a land, before the people's souls were saved, he promised his people a savior and that savior is Jesus, the Christ. And I have come to ask you today, what has He promised you?

When the economy seems like it wants to turn from a recession into a depression, hold fast to what God has promised you. For if you do not lose faith and give up, it will come to pass and he sends his promises in different ways, he may send it on a dream, it may come to you on a vision, it may come to you as a still small voice, it

may come to you as a prophetic work through one of his children, it may come to you in different ways. The promise can come to you or to an ancestor concerning their descendants. When you get the promise, you need to write it out explicitly, if you do not, it will become a mist to you later and you are trying to recapture what God has spoken onto you. When God makes a promise, every word is important, and the only way you can get every word right is to write it down.

Many things he shows us have to be interpreted and it is only when it is written that you can look back and see the fulfillment of the actions that have happened. And we have had many prophetic words, where one single word in the prophecy changed the whole meaning of the prophetic word, and when we had not it written, we would not have understood when it was fulfilled. And even asks mama and daddy, grandma and grandpa, what God promised them and their offspring? When God promises you and your children something, write it down and then past in down. And the result an anointing that God places on you and your promise land, that you will not experience in any other place other than your promise land. And that promise land does not have to be a place, it can be a vocation, it can be a business, it can be just joined up with a surd spouse. That promise land can be an experience, it can be a ministry. And if the children of Israel had decided to dwell any where else besides the promise land, they would not have a land to call their own today.

The state of Israel would be inhabited by other people. And God would not have been able to bless in the same way that he has through the years. If it seems like in your life, you keep working hard and it seems like you just cannot break through in that area. Ask yourself what did God promised me concerning this area? And even when I was Junior in college, I received an audio tape in the mail, and it was from a person that I did not know, I have never met, it was just a random tape in the mail. So, I put it there on my night stand and said, 'I will listen to it if I get time.' Later that night, I had a dream. And my father was deceased at that time and my father came onto me in this dream. And he said, "Son the tape that you have received is concerning a product and I used to distribute this product. I want you to become a distributor of this product and you will be blessed in it". So, the next day I put the tape in and listen to it and I called up the company and told them that I wanted to become a distributor. And they mass me with a local distributor and I contacted the woman and went to our house. And as I got there she said, "You know your father used to be in my down line."

And even while I was in Engineering School Georgia, Texas I started working with this product, and it seems like everything I did was it was just blessed. And even though I was a full-time student and worked with the church. Within six months of the junior in college, full-time I had 800 distributors under me with this product. I was making from this product over \$45,000 a month, while still in school. And I just saw that the when I walk in this promise land and my father had promised me

and said that I would be blessed in everything. I trust it, I was blessed. And we went on to formulate our own product and improve it. And today, it transformed Pastors in our company and it became the greatest selling product that our company had at that time. Today miracle 2000 is the product that came out of that, that is in healthful stores all over the country.

I am talking to you day about walking in a promise land. When my father sat on the porch of the house that my sister and I was born, and he sat there on a rocking chair and looked up into the sky. And he saw written across the sky the word millionaire. And it struck his spirit and he knew from these written words, a promise across the sky that from this spot he would become a millionaire. And indeed went on to from the largest beauty show in the world of its kind and over 60 years, still in business today. I am talking to you about the promise now, walking in a promise land. I will tell you, you cannot get this kind of words with your shoes on, you got to walk in some new places today and when you walk in some of these holly places the God ahs spoken. You have to remove the dirty things in your life that would have silk on it to get into a new place of promise. And Jesus had hundreds of prophecies concerning his life before he step foot on this earth.

And it calls to everywhere he walked to be a promise land. When he got blinded eyes, he has not acted in it, he could speak on spittle of clay and put it all, but he knew that it was a prophesized and promised that he would open blinded eyes, it is not accident. That when he stuck his fingers in the deaf ear that he knew that those ears has just snap open because of a promise that he would have this power. It is no accident, they were able to speak and say, "Lazarus, come forth." He knew through a promise that he was the light that God has sent. No accident as he was able to touch lame and wizards, lays his arms and they would grow out because he was walking on a promise land from prophecies generation tasks. No accident that he was able to change the whole world forever in just a short three-year ministry.

Think about what has God has told me? What has God promised me? And if you do not have a promise that comes into the mind, you need to seek the face of God for your promise. And do not let go until he has blessed you, like he did with Jacob. Jacob had to wrestle with an angel all night long to get his blessing. And you may have to push your plate aside, go on a spiritual retreat, such as notalk.com do whatever you have to do to get your promise from the Lord. And we have looked at the first question of what has s God promised? Now let us talk about the second question, what has God commanded you to do? Over in the book of numbers, Chapter 14:33 you do not have to turn that from the NRB version it reads, "Your children will be shepherds here for 40 years, suffering for your unfaithfulness unto the last of your bodies lies in the dessert. For 40 years, one year for each of the 40 days you exploit the land. You will suffer for you your sins and know what it is like to have me against you.

They had a promise, but they did not do what God commanded them to do. They murmured and complaint and they did not have faith. And indeed, they learn what it was like to have the Almighty want against them. And it took them 40 years to make a journey that should have taken less in two weeks. To make 40 years go a distance that should not taken less than two weeks and still even with this 40 years. They still and make it into the land, except for two and some promise lands may even take your 40 years to get through, but never loss faith because you are getting to your promise land with affect not only you, but all of your future generations. Over in Isaiah 40:31, it reads, "The day they wait upon the Lord shall renew the strength, they shall mount up with wings that eagles. They shall run and not be weary. And they shall walk and not faint." While you wait you need to be like a waiter in a restaurant. And a lot of times we wait, we are pulling our thumbs and we sit now waiting on God to do what is going to do. But no God is waiting on us and you should be like a waiter in the restaurant, you should be taking orders from the Lord and you should be serving his children as you wait.

You wonder why your promise land is not coming? What are you doing in your wait time? You have to be following the instructions of the Lord right where you are, and if you observe and become a waiter unto God's children, then he will renew your strength even as the eagles. And there are prophecies that I got when I was only 12 years old and I still have those audio tape right now. I have them transcribed on my computer and from the time I was twelve and until the present day I have never doubt of the word of the prophecies. Even though it has not come the pass yet. I looked at it as my promise land and I know that God will bring it to pass and even though it may take 40 years. I maybe 52 years old when it comes to pass but still his work shall not return until I am born.

And I tell you God will bring it to pass in your life, God is not a man that he should lie. So what he says will come to pass, but you have to be sure that you are following the conditions that He places upon his word. You know God he calls many people into the ministry and there are some, they rend their whole life and never accept this calling. And I even heard some they sat on their death bed, they just confess and said that God called me on a young age, but I run and try to make money here and get education and do these things that had titles there. But they said it was always something that hunted me on the inside and I could never shake off of my life, no matter how high in the world. There was something that haunted me about this calling and one man said, "I had to just go out sometimes in the tree and I preach unto the trees, because of that calling on the inside.

Joshua 1:4-9 say, "From the wilderness on this Lebanon and even onto the great river, the river you Euphrates, all the land of the Hittites and until the Great Sea toward to going down of the sun shall be your post. There shall not any man be able to stand before the all the days of our life. As I was with Moses, so I will be thee, I will not fail thee nor forsake thee, be strong and have a good courage. For until this

people shall thou divide for an inheritance the land, which I swear onto their fathers to give them. All it be thou strong and very courageous that thou may as observe to do according to all the law. Which Moses my servant commanded thee turn not from it to the right hand or to the left that thou may as prosper with so ever thou go. This book of the law shall not depart out of our mouth but thou shall meditate there in day and night, that thou may as observe to do according to all that is written therein. For then shall thou make thou way prosperous and then thou shall have good success, have not at a commanded be, be strong and have a good courage. Be not afraid neither be thou dismayed for the Lord thy God is with thee with us wherever they goes.

And the Lord was letting them know, you have to follow my commandments in order to get this blessing that shall be under your feet. And whenever God is giving you a promise, as long as you are in obedience and in the right timing, nothing in this whole world can stop you. Not giants, not roles not even natural resources. Their way they walk across rivers to get to this promise land and be for our natural resources and the earth even rivers. And at it translate today, your natural resources maybe money and people, these things will not stop you when you are walking in your promise land, when you are face with foreclosures and say this is the land that God has given me and follow God's instructions carefully. And there are 3 ways to lose a land God has given you. Number one is if you are disobedience to what is told you to do, number two is doubt, and number three is not being a good steward over what He has given you. Even in the 1980's my father went out in the South Georgia and helped an old farmer named Austin Laurie, to save the farm land that was in his family for generations.

And I have seen so many children sell their family business and their family land for ball of beans and there children went and had a hard time finding job because they have sold that which would have given security. And even my mother, about a week ago she went down to my father's, father's land, and this land had been a loss on the auction block, because of lack of paying taxes. And, my mothers said, "I must go and redeem the land, I know that my husband would want this land in the family," and she took out of her retirement and took a large amount of money and went down to the lawyer and said, "I want to redeem the land." Just as Boas was a redeemer, countrymen's redeemer, she came of land that was not even her family's land, but her husband's family land and she sat down in the lawyers' office and that she get ready with the hand, the lawyer—these checks, she went to pull a chair up to his desk and the nails pits of finger and blood when on the check. She handed it to her and she knew that this was a blood covenant that God has caused her to redeem this land. I will tell you today to hold on to the promise land and keep walking towards your promise that God has given you.

And as you walk towards and walk in your promise land and I tell you that it is even not all about you that some other peoples breakthrough is dependent upon you

getting to your promise land. And Pastor already has--his been giving instruction already that when he gets a certain amount of money he already have a list of people that he is suppose to bless and some of the amounts on the list are not small amounts even, I am not going to tell you if your name is on the list, you guys have to see on the net. But it is already been given specific individuals and how much to give them. So, I took lesson from these instructions that God give him and I even started in my own what I call blessing journal. And I begin to write down of those and I wanted to help once I got into my full promise land. And this is the plan you need to have and what we normally do is we think about of him a lot or get in inheritance. We make a plan on how we want to spend the money. We think about what kind of house we want to go into, what kid of car we want to drive, where we want to travel to in the world. But you ought to try writing down who you want to be a blessing too, and this will help condition your heart away from things and unto people in n mission. And God will look at your heart and honor that heart. He blesses his children to be a blessing on others, so this is something that I would advise all of you to do, just write down who you want to bless as you go into your promise land, God bless you.

I thank you today for listening on the Brothers of the Word, because brother you need the words!