ON EAGLES' WINGS

Exodus 19:4

THE PRIVILEGES ON EAGLES' WINGS (Part 1)

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2024 Important Broad Promises Revealed

Psalm 23: 1-6

Cod is our shophord

God is our shepherd, He will position us and make our cup overflow. Exodus 19:4

God will carry us on eagles' wings, no matter what comes up.

Ecclesiastes 12:13

Our only role is to fear God, listen to the Holy Spirit, in us, and obey His command.

Exodus 19:4, God recounts how He has carried Israel on eagles' wings:

4 'You yourselves have seen what I did to Egypt, and how I carried you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself'.

VS 5-6

" ⁵ Now if you obey me fully and keep my covenant, then out of all nations you will be my treasured possession. Although the whole earth is mine, ⁶ you will be for Me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation."

What did God do for the Israelites?

First: the promise: Exodus 3: 7-8 (AMP and NIV)

⁷ The LORD said to Moses, "I have in fact <u>seen</u> the affliction (suffering, desolation) of My people who are in Egypt, and have <u>heard</u> their cry because of their taskmasters (oppressors); for I <u>know</u> their pain and suffering." "⁸ So I have come down to rescue them from the hand of the Egyptians and to bring them up out of that land into a good and spacious land, a land flowing with milk and honey—the home of the Canaanites, Hittites, Amorites, Perizzites, Hivites and Jebusites".

Exodus 6: 4 "4I also established covenant with Abraham, Isaac and Jacob to give them the land of Canaan, where they resided as foreigners."

Second: the actions for fulfilment of promise (journeying to Canaan) – carrying them on eagles' wings:

- The exodus out of Egypt after 430years in slavery/bondage: Exodus 12:31-50... they left with silver/gold
- God brought Israelites out of Egypt with a mighty hand (Daniel 9:15)
- Crossing the red sea & killing the Egyptians without Israel's efforts Exodus 14:1-31
- Leading Israel through the wilderness: Exodus 15:22 Ex 18 (bitter water became sweet, manna & quail from heaven, water from the rock, etc.)

Third: the request to stay SANCTIFIED/OBEDIENT in order to become God's special ones: Exodus 19:5-6 " ⁵ Now if you obey me <u>fully</u> and keep my covenant, <u>then out of all nations</u> you will be my treasured possession. Although the whole earth is mine, ⁶ you will be for me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation.'

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Text: Isaiah 45:1-3 (NIV)

¹"This is what the LORD says to His anointed, to Cyrus, whose right hand I take hold of, to subdue nations before him and to strip kings of their armor, to open doors before him so that gates will not be shut:

²I will go before you and will level the mountains[]]; I will break down gates of bronze and cut through bars of iron.

³ I will give you hidden treasures, riches stored in secret places, so that you may know that I am the LORD, the God of Israel, who summons you by name.

Brethren, God has called us unto His wings and recognized us as anointed ones.

Today, we will look at the privilege of the anointed captured in verse 1.

V1: "to subdue nations before him (the anointed), to strip kings of their armor, to open doors before him so that gates will not be shut"

Brethren, God does not relent on the promises He makes to His anointed.

1. Gates shut to stop you from progressing

In Joshua 6:1-2, bible says:

¹"Now the gates of Jericho were securely barred because of the Israelites. No one went out and no one came in."

²Then the LORD said to Joshua, "See, I have delivered Jericho into your hands, along with its king and its fighting men.

God opened the gates of Jericho, stripped the king & his army of their armor and subdued the nations before Joshua.

To ensure that this is done, we, the anointed, must obey the directives:

Joshua 6:3-5, God gave Joshua some directives:

"3 March around the city once with all the armed men. Do this for six days. 4 Have seven priests carry trumpets of rams' horns in front of the ark. On the seventh day, march around the city seven times, with the priests blowing the trumpets. 5 When you hear them sound a long blast on the trumpets, have the whole army give a loud shout; then the wall of the city will collapse and the army will go up, everyone straight in."

Joshua 6:6-19, Joshua obeyed the directives.

²⁰ When the trumpets sounded, the army shouted, and at the sound of the trumpet, when the men gave a loud shout, the wall collapsed; so, everyone charged straight in, and they took the city.

Brethren, critical to accessing our privileges are hearing and obeying the directives.

2. Get shut out of jealousy

In Acts 5:12, 17-19, , the bible says

- ¹² The apostles performed many signs and wonders among the people.
- ¹⁷ Then the high priest and all his associates, who were members of the party of the Sadducees, were filled with jealousy. ¹⁸ They arrested the apostles and put them in the public jail. ¹⁹ But during the night an angel of the Lord opened the doors of the jail and brought them out.

3. Peter Released from Prison (Acts 12),

⁷ Now behold, an angel of the Lord stood by *him*, and a light shone in the prison; and he struck Peter on the side and raised him up, saying,, ⁸"Put on your garment and follow me..... ¹⁰ When they were past the first and the second guard posts, they came to the iron gate that leads to the city, which opened to them of its own accord; and they went out and went down one street, and immediately the angel departed from him.

Key prayer: God, please open every gate that is shut against me or flock in my care.

Accessing the privileges as an anointed

Just being saved is not enough, neither is just being filled with the Holy Spirit. We must continue to "walk & work" as two (2) instead of one. Then the Holy Spirit (the owner of anointing) will lead us on the defined path of our anointing.

Psalm 24:7 "⁷ Lift up your heads, O you gates! And be lifted up, you everlasting doors! And the King of glory shall come in."

Brethren, there are different strengths of gates. God can open any. This is why we need to ensure that our relationship with God is at such a level that merit God time to open that everlasting gate for us

1 Corinthians 3:8 "The one who plants and the one who waters have one purpose, and they will each be rewarded according to their own labor.

..... "walk & work" pathways may differ, but purpose is the same.

In Joshua 6, Joshua was on a self-less service (aide) to take God's people to the promised land. God commanded Joshua that this service requires him to be strong and courageous

Joshua 1, 2, 7-8: "1...the LORD, the LORD said to Joshua .., Moses' aide: ² "Moses my servant is dead. Now then, you and all these people, get ready to cross the Jordan River into the land I am about to give to them—to the Israelites.

⁷ "Be strong and very courageous. Be careful to obey all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go. ⁸ Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it."

Brethren, we have the bible and the Holy Spirit instructing us, let us follow the directives.

For the Apostles, Acts 5: 12, 15 "12 The apostles performed many signs and wonders among the people.... 15 As a result, people brought the sick into the streets and laid them on beds and mats so that at least Peter's shadow might fall on some of them as he passed by."

Conclusion:

Brethren, let's inflict ourselves with the marks of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Paul said "From henceforth let no man trouble me, for I bear in my body the marks of the Lord Jesus. (Galatians 6:17).

1 Corinthians 15:58 encourages us "... Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain."

In Acts 5: 29 -32-40, the Apostles spoke the word of God with boldness to the high priest and all his associates,²⁹ Peter and the other apostles replied "We must obey God rather than human beings! ... ³³ When they heard this, they were furious and wanted to put them to death. ³⁴ But a Pharisee named Gamaliel, a teacher of the law, who was honored by all the people, stood ³⁵ Then he addressed the Sanhedrin: ... ³⁸ Therefore, in the present case I advise you: Leave these men alone! Let them go!.... ⁴⁰ His speech persuaded them.

Brethren, when we have the mark of Jesus, God will always raise His army in our favour.

God Bless you

