



ON EAGLES' WINGS

Exodus 19:4

THE PRIVILEGES ON EAGLES' WINGS (Part 2)

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2024 Important Broad Promises Revealed

Psalm 23: 1-6

**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 seen the affliction (suffering, desolation) of My people who are in Egypt, and have heard their cry because of their taskmasters (oppressors); for I know 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 430 years 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

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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:

² I will go before you and will level the mountains¹; 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.

Part1 was verse 1; Today, focus is on privilege of the anointed captured in verse 2.

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V2: ² "I will go before you and will level the mountains; I will break down gates of bronze and cut through bars of iron."

Mountains are huddles on our way; meant to either slow us down or stop the faint-hearted from continuing on that path.

A righteous Christian, who can intermittently persist in praying and fasting can still finish with mountains on the way. This is easier because huddles are laid intermittently on a straight path. They are short obstacles to cross along the path; so one can see through them and gain momentary strength to cross fainting.

This momentary strength is gained when we take time off to pray and wait upon the Lord

Isaiah 40:31 "Those who wait upon the Lord will renew their strength, they will run and not be weary and walk and not grow faint"

Brethren, there is a category of Christians who will get to the huddle and just turn back.

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However, intermittent praying and fasting is not enough to when the problem have become gates that are gates (made of bronze and bars of iron). This more serious, there is no part way, you can't see what is on the other side. It is solid gate and this is real.

Imagine the gate set up against Cyrus:

the wall of Babylon had gates one hundred in number made of solid bronze,. The gates were secured by bars, of iron, as the strongest material. The gates within the city, opens to the river.

It is said that the gates of Babylon which led to the river, were left open the night that Cyrus marched his army into the empty channel. The Lord went before him, giving entrance to the cities he besieged

Difficult situation like this case are real and yet cannot be addressed with intermittent praying and fasting. It requires a more consistent “walk and work” with God.

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In 1 Thessalonians 5:17-21 the bible provides us with tips of what we need to do instead:

- a. ¹⁷ pray without ceasing,
- b. ¹⁸ in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.
- c. ¹⁹ Do not quench the Spirit's fire (You are baptized with Holy Spirit and fire (Matthew 3:11))
- d. ²⁰ Do not despise prophecies ("Believe in the LORD your God, so shall ye be established; believe His prophets, so shall ye prosper (2 Chronicles 20:20))
- e. ²¹ Test all things; hold fast what is good. ²² Abstain from every form of evil.

Proverbs 16.3: Commit your works to the Lord, And your thoughts will be established . If you don't get directional clarity, change the plan.

g. Ephesians 2:10 - Selfless service: "For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

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Conclusion:

For Cyrus, The Lord went before him, giving entrance to the cities he besieged.

Some of the tactics given to Cyrus: to divert the Euphrates river, which ran through the Babylonian city, He lowered the water level, and his troops were able to march into the city along the riverbeds. Effectively bypassing the fortified walls.

The night Cyrus was to enter the city, the Babylonians left the gates to the river open and the soldiers were not prepared. It was during a festival when the city was not vigilant.

- Let's make "walking and working" with God a lifestyle; let's not quench the Spirit's fire but rather follow the Spirit's directives/instructions
- God's Spirit will be with us until God finishes His work of making us complete (Eph 1:14)
- and God will go before you and will level the mountains¹; break down gates of bronze and cut through bars of iron, for you.
- God will give you winning strategies

God Bless You!



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