

OBEDIENCE LEADS TO BLESSINGS

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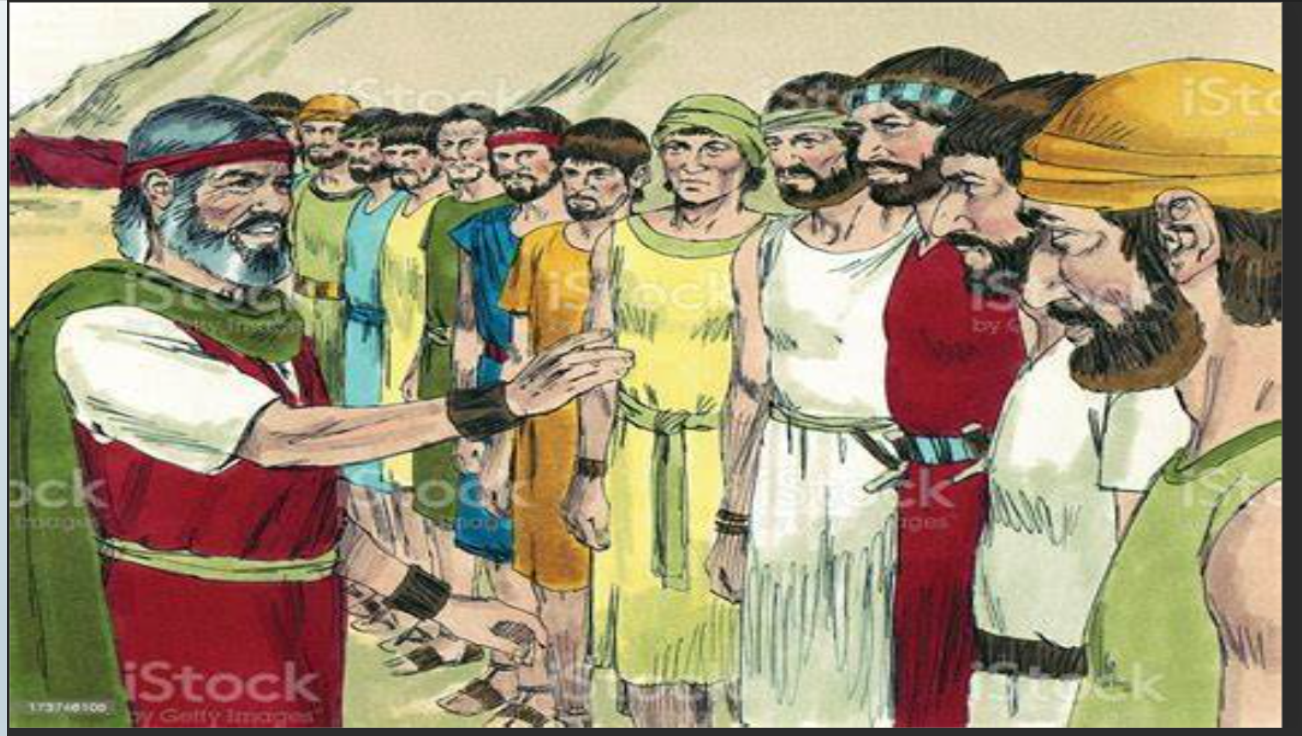
OBEDIENCE is a choice...



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?

Israelites...new generation...



God's covenant with the younger Israelites

GOD called Moses...



Moses obeyed ...

Thought, he was not good enough...

Deuteronomy

First section –
review of the
past

Second
section –
rules of the
covenant

Third
section –
blessings &
victories

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Exodus 12:41-42

⁴¹And it came to pass at the end of the four hundred and thirty years – on that very same day – it came to pass that all the armies of the Lord went out from the land of Egypt. ⁴² It is a night of solemn observance to the Lord for **bringing them out of the land of Egypt**. This is that night of the Lord, a solemn observance for all the children of Israel throughout their generations.

**The Lord your God will
set you high above all
nations**

**Pre-eminent
position**

**Promotion
in position**

Deuteronomy 28:2 ² “And all these blessings shall come upon you and overtake you, because you obey the voice of the Lord your God:

Joshua 1:8 This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate in it day and night, that you may observe to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success.

Deuteronomy 28:3

³Blessed shall you be in the city and
blessed shall you be in the country.

Location

Deuteronomy 28:4

⁴ Blessed shall be the fruit of your body, the produce of the ground, the increase of your herds, the increase of your cattle, the offspring of your flocks

Family

Profession

Deuteronomy 28:5

⁵Blessed shall be your basket and your kneading bowl

Blessing of plenty

Daily
sustenance

Deuteronomy 28:6

⁶Blessed shall you be when you come in. Blessed shall you be when go out.

Daily routine

Psalm 121:8

“The Lord will watch out for your coming and your going both now and forevermore.”

Isaiah 43:2

“When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; And through the rivers they shall not overflow you. When you walk through the fire, you shall not be burned.”

Deuteronomy 28:7

⁷The Lord will cause your enemies who rise against you to be defeated before your face. They shall come out against you one way and flee before you seven ways.

James 4:7 “Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and He will flee from you.”

Deuteronomy 28:8

⁸The Lord will command the blessing on you, in your store houses and in all to which you set your hand, and He will bless you in the land, which the Lord your God is giving you.

Provision for future days

Present undertakings

Deuteronomy 28:9

⁹The Lord will establish you as a holy people to himself just as He has sworn to you, if you keep the commandments of the Lord your God and walk in His ways.

spiritual growth