

# **Claiming Your Glorious Inheritance**

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**1. Have confidence in the one who made the promises.**

## 2 Peter 1:4

For by these He has granted to us His precious and magnificent promises, so that by them you may become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world by lust.

Hebrews 10:23

Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful;

**Jeremiah 17:7 (NIV)**

“Blessed is the man who trusts in the Lord, whose confidence is in him.”

## Joshua 23:14

"Now behold, today I am going the way of all the earth and you know in all your hearts and in all your souls that not one word of all the good words which the LORD your God spoke concerning you has failed; all have been fulfilled for you, not one of them has failed.

**We can have confidence in Father's promises**

**His words are always faithful and true!**

**2. Your confidence in His promises are tied into your identity in Christ Jesus.**



**Also to have confidence in the promises of God  
you must know in your hearts that you are  
an heir to all the inheritances with Christ Jesus.**

## **Romans 8:1-2 (NLT)**

So now there is no condemnation for those who belong to Christ Jesus. And because you belong to him, the power of the life-giving Spirit has freed you from the power of sin that leads to death.

Romans 8:11(NLT)

The Spirit of God, who raised Jesus from the dead, lives in you. And just as God raised Christ Jesus from the dead, he will give life to your mortal bodies by this same Spirit living within you.

## Romans 8:14-16 (NLT)

14 For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. So you have not received a spirit that makes you fearful slaves. Instead, you received God's Spirit when he adopted you as his own children. Now we call him, "Abba, Father." For his Spirit joins with our spirit to affirm that we are God's children.

And since we are his children, we are his heirs. In fact, together with Christ we are heirs of God's glory. But if we are to share his glory, we must also share his suffering. Yet what we suffer now is nothing compared to the glory he will reveal to us later.

## Hebrews 12: 1-2 (KJV)

1. Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset *us*, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us,
2. Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of *our* faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.

**Jesus is the example of looking beyond the temporal circumstances to the joy and victory that lay before us we claim our inheritance by grace through faith.**

### **3. Claiming our Inheritance**



## **Romans 15:4**

For whatever was written in earlier times was written for our instruction, so that through perseverance and the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope.

## Joshua 1:1-3 (NLT)

1. After the death of Moses the LORD's servant, the LORD spoke to Joshua son of Nun, Moses' assistant. He said,
2. "Moses my servant is dead. Therefore, the time has come for you to lead these people, the Israelites, across the Jordan River into the land I am giving them.
3. I promise you what I promised Moses: 'Wherever you set foot, you will be on land I have given you—'

**Romans 8:16-17 (NKJV)**

*The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, if indeed we suffer with Him, that we may also be glorified together.*

## 2 Corinthians 10:3-6 (NKJV)

For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war according to the flesh. *For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal but mighty in God* for pulling down strongholds, casting down arguments and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ,

## **Ephesians 6:12-13 (NKJV)**

For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual *hosts* of wickedness in the heavenly *places*. Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

## **Our two responsibilities:**

- 1. We have to be prepared to fight**
- 2. We have to set our feet on what we claim to be ours  
of our inheritance.**

**2 Corinthians 1:20 (NKJV)**

For all the promises of God in Him *are* Yes, and in Him  
Amen, to the glory of God through us.

## **2 Corinthians 1:20 (NIV)**

For no matter how many promises God has made, they are "Yes" in Christ. And so through him the "Amen" is spoken by us to the glory of God.



## Hebrews 11:6

But *without faith it is impossible to please Him*, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and *that* He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.

## **We must take into account when going after our inheritance:**

- 1. Have confidence in the one who made the promises**
- 2. Know in your hearts that you are an heir to all the inheritances with Christ Jesus.**
- 3. Be prepared to fight using the sword of the Spirit (the word of God).**
- 4. Set our feet on what we claim to be ours of our inheritance according to the promises of God.**

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