



God Keeps His Word

We often wonder if God will fulfill His word or His promise to us. Because of this, we begin to doubt Him, and we end up without. **This teaching is designed to help you believe again, trust again, and receive again what God has spoken in His word and has promised you.** The entire Bible is full of God giving His word (will) and promise to us and fulfilling it.

Isaiah 46:11 says, Calling a ravenous bird from the east, the man that executeth my counsel from a far country: yea, I have spoken it, I will also bring it to pass; I have purposed it, I will also do it.

- When God has spoken, He will bring it to pass. If He has purposed it, He will do it. One of the reasons we do not see the promises of God manifested is because we are trying to bring to pass what He has to. We are trying to carry the responsibility and burden of bringing things to pass that Jesus Himself ought to carry and bring to pass what He has said He would.

If you have any doubts about God, it is better not to doubt God but doubt your doubts because it is your doubts that are unreliable. **God has always been reliable and that is His nature. He cannot lie. If He says something, He will do it.**

Think about this, if God does not keep His word, who will? Will Satan or man keep their word all the time?

Sometimes what God has promised may take time to manifest in our lives, but He always keeps His word and does exactly as He says (Genesis 21:1).

Psalms 15:4 **"In whose eyes a vile person is contemned; but he honoreth them that fear the LORD. He that sweareth to his own hurt, and changeth not.**

We need to be willing to do as we promised even when it hurts us. We need to be men and women of integrity.

Let us take a few examples to see how God always comes through with His word when He promises something:

A. Abraham

Genesis 18:10 “And he said, I will certainly return unto thee according to the time of life; and, lo, Sarah thy wife shall have a son. And Sarah heard *it* in the tent door, which *was* behind him.”

- a) God appeared to Abraham and gave him a promise for a son while he was in his old age. This looked impossible to anyone but God (Genesis 18:10-14).
- b) Abraham’s wife was old, but in the end, God did as **He had said. He kept His word.**
 - i) Isaac a son after the promise that God made was born when Abraham was 100 years (Genesis 21:5) and Sarah was 90 years old (Genesis 17:17).
 - ii) He also promised his seed as the sand of the sea and promised to bless him and multiply him, curse those that curse him, and bless those who bless him (Genesis 12:2-3).
- c) What is interesting is that Abraham was not a perfect man.
 - i) God did not bless him because of his holiness.
 - ii) All Abraham did was to **believe** what God promised him (Genesis 15:6). Later Isaac was born (Genesis 21:1-6). It came to pass.
 - iii) God kept His word even when nature and their bodies were saying it is impossible.

B. Noah

Genesis 9:9—15 And I, behold, I establish my covenant with you, and with your seed after you; And with every living creature that *is* with you, of the fowl, of the cattle, and of every beast of the earth with you; from all that go out of the ark, to every beast of the earth. And I will establish my covenant with you; neither shall all flesh be cut off any more by the waters of a flood; neither shall there any more be a flood to destroy the earth. And God said, This *is* the token of the covenant which I make between me and you and every living creature that *is* with you, for perpetual generations: I do set my bow in the cloud, and it shall be for a token of a covenant between me and the earth. And it shall come to pass, when I bring a cloud over the earth, that the bow shall be seen in the cloud: And I will remember my

covenant, which *is* between me and you and every living creature of all flesh; and the waters shall no more become a flood to destroy all flesh.

- a) After the flood, God promised unconditionally to never flood the earth again to destroy the earth (Genesis 9:9-15). He even gave a token of his promise which was and is **the rainbow**.
- b) The rainbow is not a symbol for the LGBT group, but a sign for God that He will never destroy the earth again with a flood.
- c) It is a sign of God's love and promises being kept. As much as I know this has never happened again. That means God kept His word.

C. Seed of the Woman

Genesis 3:15 "And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel."

- a) In over 4000 years, Jesus the seed of the woman spoken of in these verses came forth and destroyed Satan at the cross. He defeated Satan (Matthew 28:18 and Colossians 2:15 "And having spoiled principalities and powers, he made a show of them openly, triumphing over them in it.)

D. Death and Resurrection

Jesus predicted His death and resurrection!

"Jesus answered and said unto them, Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up" (John 2:19) and "For as Jonas was three days and three nights in the whale's belly; so shall the Son of man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth" (Matthew 12:40). *See also John 10:17-18*

Mark 16:6-7 "And he saith unto them, Be not affrighted: Ye seek Jesus of Nazareth, which was crucified: he is risen; he is not here: behold the place where they laid him. But go your way, tell his disciples and Peter that he goeth before you into Galilee: there shall ye see him, as he said unto you." *See also Romans 8:11*

- a) The resurrection of Jesus, the very highlight of His life and ministry further proves that He always keeps His Word.
- b) We have hope today because we know the integrity of God in His word. He will always keep His word.**

- i) “And God hath both raised up the Lord, and will also raise up us by his own power.” —1 Corinthians 6:14

These scriptures speak of God keeping His word and promise.

We have lots of promises in the scriptures that I can't go through all of them here, but I just want you to know and be **convinced that God will keep His word and promise He gave you.** Just believe what He said and cooperate with Him and you will see all that come to pass.

- a) Are you believing God for healing? He has promised to heal you. Matter of fact, He has already healed you (1 Peter 2:24). He identified Himself as the God that heals us (Jehovah Rapha)—Exodus 15:26.
 - b) He said He will and because He said it, He will always keep His promise.
 - c) Look at the life of Jesus (Acts 10:38), He healed all of the sick that came to Him. Your healing has been paid for by Jesus. Believe the promises God has spoken about healing (Psalms 103:3-4; 107:20; Exodus 15:26; Acts 10:38; Isaiah 53:4-5; James 5:13-15) and receive your healing.
 - d) Do you want to make Jesus the Lord of your life? Do you want a relationship with Him as your personal Lord and Savior? He promised in His word that *“For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved (Romans 10:13).* Are you a *“whosoever”*? Then this Word and promise is for you.
 - i) He goes on to promise that *“That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation. For the Scripture saith, Whosoever believeth on him shall not be ashamed.”* (Romans 10:9-11).
 - ii) This is a reality to all who believe the word of God. It is not difficult to believe if a person truly wants to believe. **Believing is a choice. God promises and gives His word and He always follows through. He always keeps His word. Believe and receive.**
1. **1 Kings 8:56** Blessed *be* the LORD, that hath given rest unto his people Israel, according to all that he promised: there hath not failed one word of all his good promise, which he promised by the hand of Moses his servant.

2. **Numbers 23:19** God *is* not a man, that he should lie; neither the son of man, that he should repent: hath he said, and shall he not do *it*? or hath he spoken, and shall he not make it good?
3. **Psalms 89:33-34** My covenant will I not break, nor alter the thing that is gone out of my lips. Once have I sworn by my holiness that I will not lie unto David.
4. **Psalms 138: 2** I will worship toward thy holy temple, and praise thy name for thy lovingkindness and for thy truth: for thou hast magnified thy word above all thy name.
5. **Isaiah 46:10-11** Declaring the end from the beginning, and from ancient times *the things* that are not *yet* done, saying, My counsel shall stand, and I will do all my pleasure: Calling a ravenous bird from the east, the man that executeth my counsel from a far country: yea, I have spoken *it*, I will also bring it to pass; I have purposed *it*, I will also do it.
6. **Isaiah 55:10-11** For as the rain cometh down, and the snow from heaven, and returneth not thither, but watereth the earth, and maketh it bring forth and bud, that it may give seed to the sower, and bread to the eater: So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper *in the thing* whereto I sent it.
7. **Jeremiah 1:12** Then said the LORD unto me, Thou hast well seen: for I will hasten my word to perform it. "Hasten" means to watch over, to look after, to protect, or stand behind.
8. **2 Corinthians 1:20** For all the promises of God in him *are* yea, and in him Amen, unto the glory of God by us.
9. **Romans 4:17** (As it is written, I have made thee a father of many nations,) before him whom he believed, *even* God, who quickeneth the dead, and calleth those things which be not as though they were.
10. **Philippians 1:6** Being confident of this very thing, that he which hath begun a good work in you will perform *it* until the day of Jesus Christ:

11. Hebrews 1:3 Who being the brightness of *his* glory, and the express image of his person, and upholding all things by the word of his power, when he had by himself purged our sins, sat down on the right hand of the Majesty on high;

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