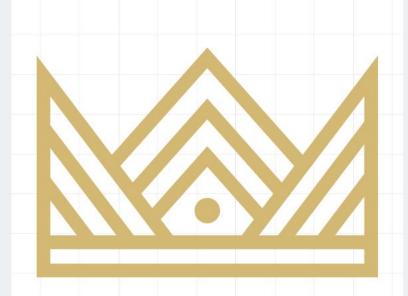


The Lord Swore An Oath To David

Psalm 132:10-18





10 For the sake of your servant David, do not reject your anointed one. 11 The Lord swore an oath to David, a sure oath he will not revoke: 'One of your own descendants I will place on your throne. 12 If your sons keep my covenant and the statutes I teach them, then their sons shall sit on your throne for ever and ever.' 13 For the Lord has chosen Zion, he has desired it for his dwelling, saying, 14 'This is my resting place for ever and ever; here I will sit enthroned, for I have desired it. 15 I will bless her with abundant provisions; her poor I will satisfy with food. 16 I will clothe her priests with salvation, and her faithful people shall ever sing for joy. 17 'Here I will make a horn grow for David and set up a lamp for my anointed one. 18 I will clothe his enemies with shame, but his head shall be adorned with a radiant crown.'

Psalm 132





DAVID'S OATH TO THE LORD

2 He swore an oath to the Lord, he made a vow to the Mighty One of Jacob: 3 'I will not enter my house or go to my bed, 4 I will allow no sleep to my eyes or slumber to my eyelids, 5 till I find a place for the Lord, a dwelling for the Mighty One of Jacob.'

(Psalm 132)

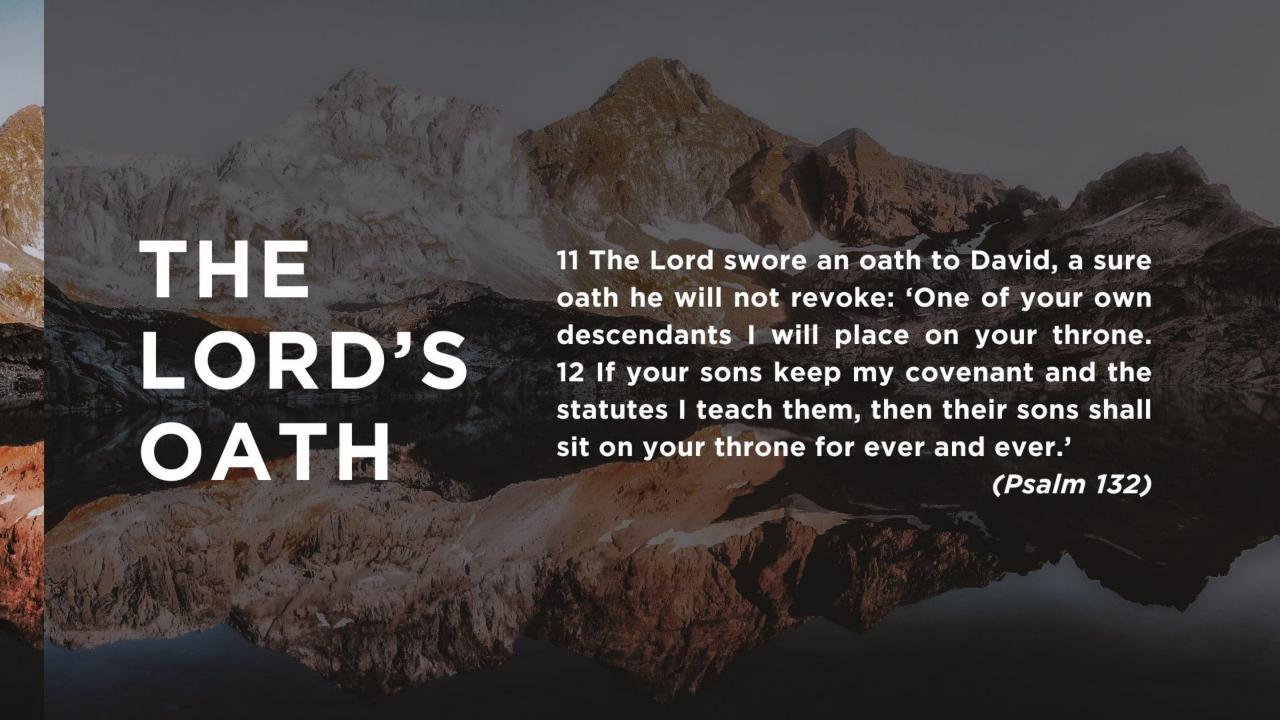




1 Lord, remember David all his self-denial. (Psalm 132)

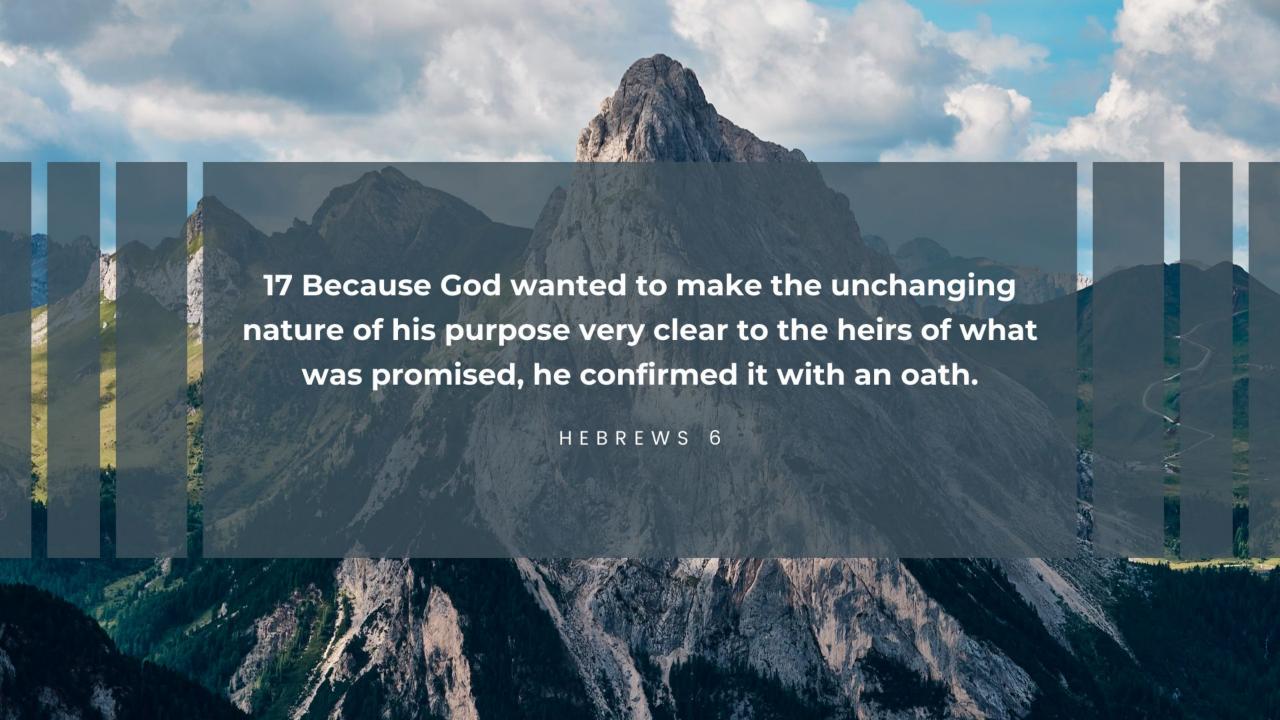
10 For the sake of your servant David, do not reject your anointed one. (Psalm 132)

42 Lord God, do not reject your anointed one. Remember the great love promised to David your servant." (2 Chronicles 6)





19 God is not human, that he should lie, not a human being, that he should change his mind. Does he speak and then not act? Does he promise and not fulfil? (Numbers 23)



See how kindly God as a gracious Father accommodates himself to our slowness to believe; as he sees that we rest not on his simple word, that he might more fully impress it on our hearts he adds an oath.

John Calvin







NO, DAVID. I WILL BUILD YOU A HOUSE - A HOUSE THAT WILL LAST FOR EVER!"

11 ... "The Lord declares to you that the Lord himself will establish a house for you: 12 when your days are over and you rest with your ancestors, I will raise up your offspring to succeed you, your own flesh and blood, and I will establish his kingdom. 13 He is the one who will build a house for my Name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom for ever. 16 Your house and your kingdom shall endure for ever before me; your throne shall be established for ever."

(2 Samuel 7)

12 If your sons keep my covenant and the statutes I teach them, then their sons shall siton your throne for ever and ever.'

(Psalm 132)

CONDITIONAL

12 "If your sons keep my covenant and the statutes I teach them, then their sons will sit on your throne for ever and ever."

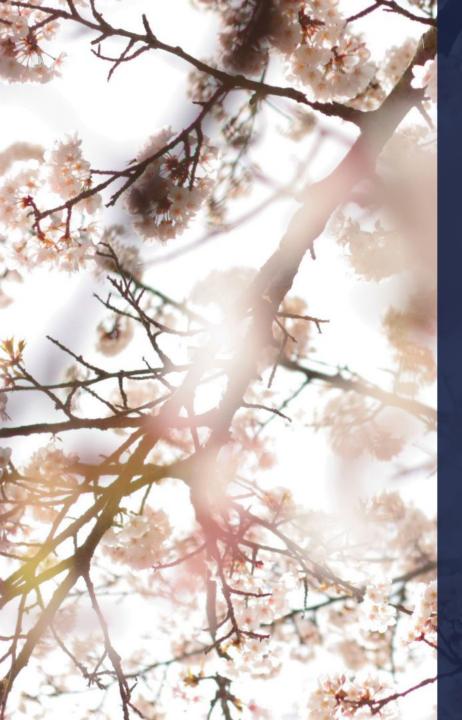
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The Lord's Oath To David

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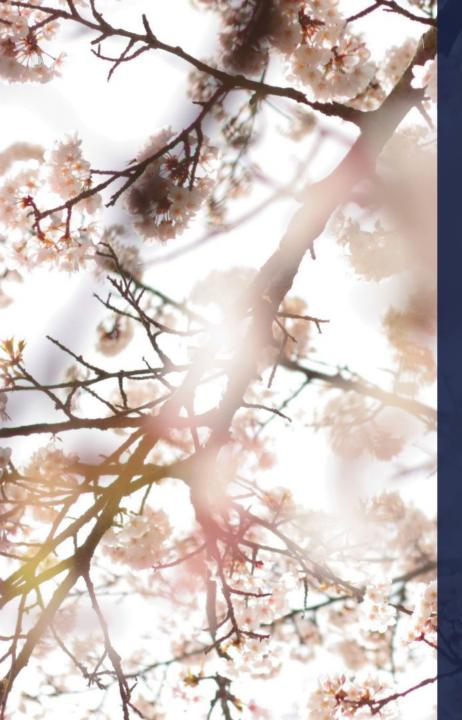
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Here is a trustworthy saying:

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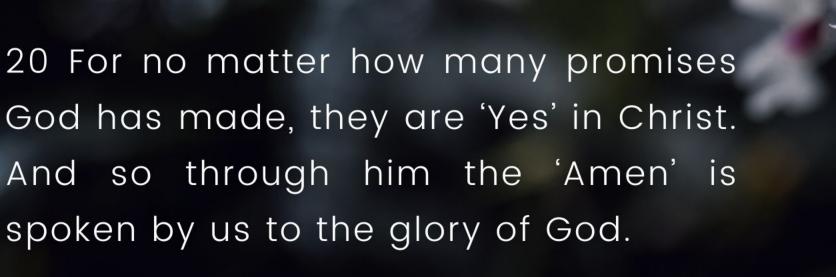
13 if we are faithless, he remains faithful for he cannot disown himself. (2 Timothy 2)



When Moses asks God his name, who he really is, God replies "I AM WHO I AM." God's foundational promise to Moses, to his people in Egypt, to his people across all of time and space is that he is unchangingly, unstoppably himself. And that promise, that revelation of who he is, underpins all of the other wonderful promises he makes to us in the pages of Scripture. By promising "I AM WHO I AM," God reveals that he is unchanging and unstoppable. And that's what makes his promises different.

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Andy Hood







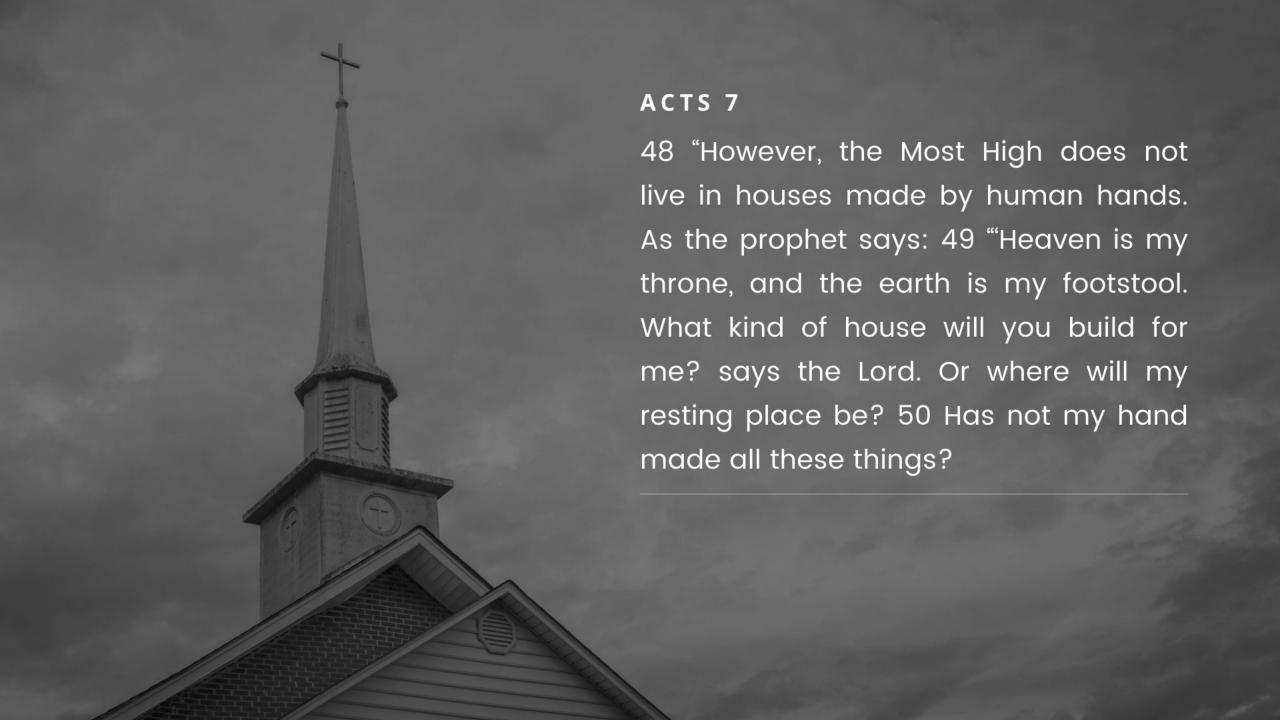
20 Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us,

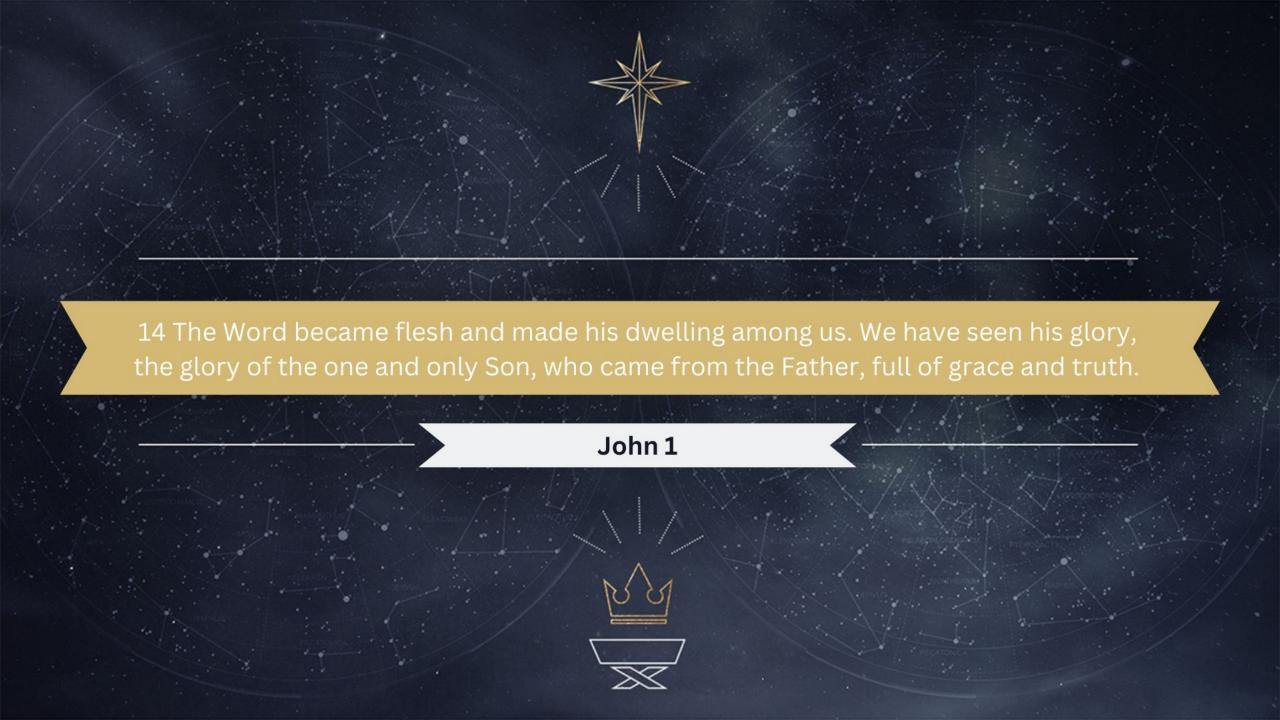
Ephesians 3

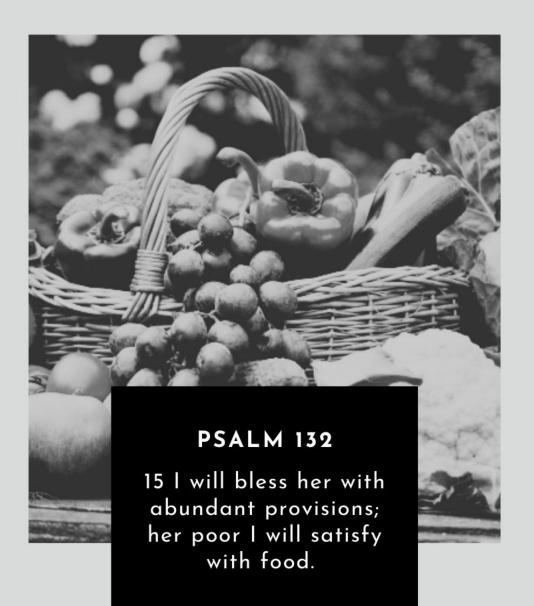
The Lord Will Dwell With His People

13 For the Lord has chosen Zion, he has desired it for his dwelling, saying, 14 'This is my resting place for ever and ever; here I will sit enthroned, for I have desired it.

(Psalm 132)







PSALM 132

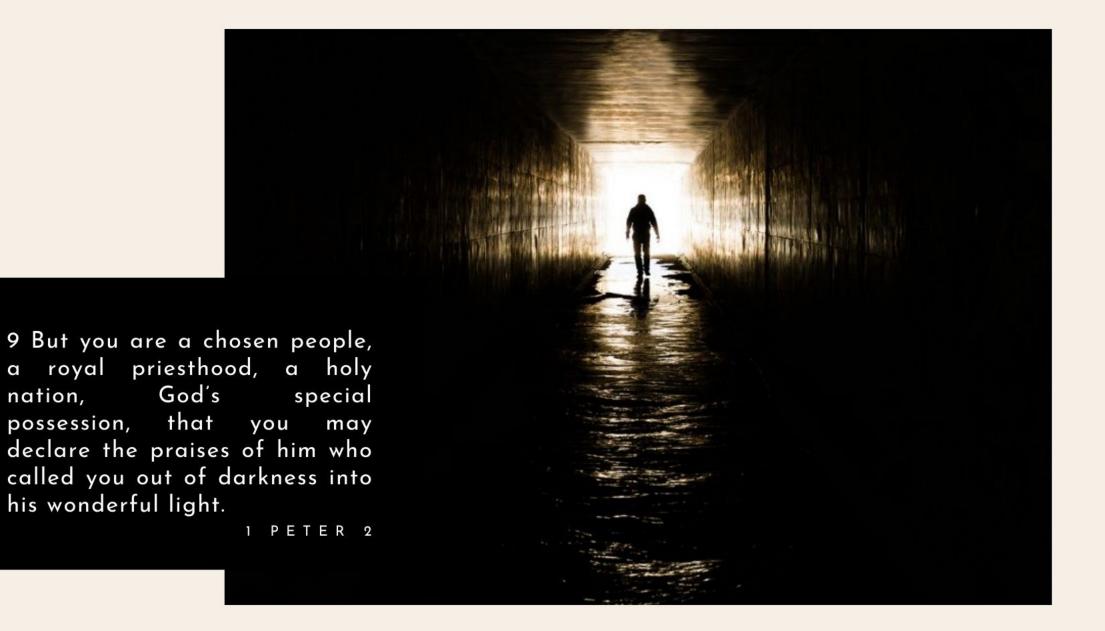
16 I will clothe her priests with salvation, and her faithful people shall ever sing for joy.



8 "Arise, Lord, and come to your resting place, you and the ark of your might. 9 May your priests be clothed with your righteousness; may your faithful people sing for joy."

Psalm 132





17 'Here I will make a horn grow for David and set up a lamp for my anointed one. 18 I will clothe his enemies with shame, but his head shall be adorned with a radiant crown.'

21 To the one who is victorious, I will give the right to sit with me on my throne, just as I was victorious and sat down with my Father on his throne.

Revelation 3



Then I saw 'a new heaven and a new earth,' for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and there was no longer any sea. 2 I saw the Holy City, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride beautifully dressed for her husband. 3 And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, 'Look! God's dwelling-place is now among the people, and he will dwell with them. They will be his people, and God himself will be with them and be their God. 4 "He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death" or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away.' ...



22 I did not see a temple in the city, because the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb are its temple. 23 The city does not need the sun or the moon to shine on it, for the glory of God gives it light, and the Lamb is its lamp. 24 The nations will walk by its light, and the kings of the earth will bring their splendour into it. 25 On no day will its gates ever be shut, for there will be no night there. 26 The glory and honour of the nations will be brought into it. 27 Nothing impure will ever enter it, nor will anyone who does what is shameful or deceitful, but only those whose names are written in the Lamb's book of life.



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ALL the Lord's promises are fulfilled in Christ Jesus.