

There Failed Not Ought...

There failed not ought of any good thing which the Lord had spoken unto the house of Israel; all came to pass. -Joshua 21:45

Introduction

1. **God is faithful and true to His promises.**
 - a. **Titus 1:2**
 - b. **Deuteronomy 7:9**
 - c. **1 Corinthians 1:9**
2. **We do not have to fear that God will change His mind.**
 - a. **This fact is comforting to the Christian.**
 - b. **This fact, however, may be uncomfoting to the non-Christian. God will not change His mind in the Judgment.**
3. **Consider these promises of God.**
 - I. **To Send Christ.**
 - A. **Man sinned, and God promised to send Christ (Genesis 3:15).**
 1. **God planned for man's sin before it even happened (Ephesians 3:11).**
 2. **Christ is the lamb slain before the foundation of the world (Revelation 13:8).**
 - B. **Sometimes God's long suffering can only be explained by His promise to send Jesus through Israel (Genesis 49:10).**
 1. **The time of the Judges shows God's faithfulness to His promise.**
 2. **The thrust of some entire books (Ruth, Ester, etc.) is to show the continuation of the Seed line (Genesis 12:1-3).**
 - II. **To Show Christ**
 - A. **We know He came (1 John 1:1).**
 1. **John 1:29**
 2. **John 19:5**
 - B. **Acts sets out to declare what Jesus did and taught (Acts 1:1).**
 - III. **To Sacrifice Christ**
 - A. **Christ had to redeem man's sin.**
 - B. **Forgiveness required sacrifice (Hebrews 9:22).**
 - IV. **To Sanctify Christians**
 - A. **We are sanctified through Jesus Christ (Hebrews 10:10).**
 - B. **The Bible defines sanctification (Exodus 13:2) as being set apart (Exodus 13:12).**
 - C. **Christians are sanctified by God's Word.**
 1. **John 17:17**
 2. **Acts 2:41, 42, 46, 47**
 - V. **To Send Christ Again**
 - A. **Jesus will come again (Acts 1:11).**
 - B. **At His coming the world will end, and eternity will begin.**

1. **2 Corinthians 5:10**
2. **2 Thessalonians 1:6-9**
3. **2 Peter 3:9, 10**

Jesus Christ

In Genesis, He is the Creator.

In Exodus, He is the Redeemer.

In Leviticus, He is your sanctification.

In Numbers, He is your guide.

In Deuteronomy, He is your teacher.

In Joshua, He is the Almighty Conqueror.

In Judges, He gives the victory over His enemies.

In Ruth, He is your kinsman and Redeemer.

In 1 Samuel, He is the root of Jesse.

In 2 Samuel, He is the Son of David.

In 1 and 2 Kings, He is the King of kings and Lord of lords.

In 1 and 2 Chronicles, He is the Intercessor and High Priest.

In Ezra, He is your temple and house of worship.

In Nehemiah, He is your mighty wall.

In Esther, He stands in the gap to deliver you from your enemies.

In Job, He is the arbitrator who understands your struggles.

In Psalms, He is your song and reason to sing.

In Proverbs, He is your wisdom helping make sense of life.

In Ecclesiastes, He is your purpose delivering you from vanity.

In the Song of Solomon, He is your love.

In Isaiah, He is the mighty counselor and Prince of Peace.

In Jeremiah, He is the balm of Gilead.

In Lamentations, He is the ever faithful One upon Whom you can depend.

In Ezekiel, He assures you that dry bones will live again.

In Daniel, He is the ancient of days.

In Joel, He is your refuge.

In Amos, He is the loyal husbandman.

In Obadiah, He is the Lord of the Kingdom.

In Jonah, He is your salvation.

In Micah, He is the judge of the nation.

In Nahum, He is the jealous God.

In Habakkuk, He is the Holy One.

In Zephaniah, He is the witness.

In Haggai, He overthrows the enemies.

In Malachi, He is the Sun of Righteousness.

In Matthew, He is King of the Jews.

In Mark, He is the Servant.

In Luke, He is the Son of man.

In John, He is the Son of God.

In Acts, He is the Savior.

In Romans, He is the righteousness of God.

In 1 Corinthians, He is the Rock Israel followed.

In 2 Corinthians, He is the triumphant One.

In Galatians, He is your liberty.

In Ephesians, He is the Head of the church.

In Philippians, He is joy.

In Colossians, He is your completeness.

In 1 Thessalonians, He is your hope.

In 2 Thessalonians, He is the Judge.

In 1 Timothy, He is your faith.

In 2 Timothy, He is your stability.

In Titus, He is the authority.

In Philemon, He is your benefactor.

In Hebrews, He is your perfection.

In James, He is the power behind your faith.

In 1 Peter, He is your example.

In 2 Peter, He is your purity.

In 1 John, He is your life.

In 2 John, He is your pattern.

In 3 John, He is your motivation.

In Jude, He is the foundation of your faith.

In Revelation, He is your coming King.