Today's Subject:

"I Have Enough!"

BIBLE READING: Genesis 33:1-11

KEY BIBLE VERSE: V. 11

Prayer:

THE OVERVIEW OF THE CHAPTER:

The dreaded reunion with Esau, Jacob's brother, finally occurred.

It had been over twenty years since the two brothers had seen each other and Jacob's beguiling of their father Isaac had resulted in Esau's plan to murder Jacob.

And when Esau came to meet Jacob for this reunion, he came with an army of <u>four hundred</u> men which coupled with his earlier murderous plan caused Jacob no small amount of anxiety.

But relying upon the promises of God, Jacob prepared for the reunion and headed for it and did not dodge the meeting.

-- Analytical Bible Expositor - Genesis.

After next Thanksgiving week, you may find yourself saying to your hosts, "I HAVE ENOUGH!"

Due to God's goodness, His children can say the same thing!

Psalm 107:9 (NKJV)

⁹ For He satisfies the longing soul, And fills the hungry soul with goodness.

Psalm 68:18 (NKJV)

¹⁸ You have ascended on high, You have led captivity captive; You have received gifts among men, Even *from* the rebellious, That the LORD God might dwell *there*.

Psalm 103:2 (NKJV)

²Bless the LORD, O my soul, And forget not all His benefits:

Let's talk about that this evening!

I have enough...

I. Salvation

Consecration to God is necessary to consistently praise God.

Jonah 2:9 (NKJV)

⁹But I will sacrifice to You With the voice of thanksgiving; I will pay what I have vowed. Salvation *is* of the LORD."

I am depending on...

• The Blood:

Ephesians 2:13 (NKJV)

¹³ But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ.

1 Peter 1:18 (NKJV)

¹⁸ knowing that you were not redeemed with corruptible things, *like* silver or gold, from your aimless conduct *received* by tradition from your fathers,

I am depending on...

• The Bible:

James 1:18 (NKJV)

¹⁸ Of His own will He brought us forth by the word of truth, that we might be a kind of firstfruits of His creatures.

• The Beloved:

Acts 4:12 (NKJV)

¹²Nor is there salvation in any other, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved."

1 Timothy 2:5 (NKJV)

⁵ For *there is* one God and one Mediator between God and men, *the* Man Christ Jesus,

It's enough for the...

• The Temptations: 1 Corinthians 10:13

- The Trials: James 1:2-3
- The Trip: John 14:6

So, I Have Enough Salvation...but then: I have enough...

II. (of the) Spirit:

1 Corinthians 12:13 (NKJV)

¹³ For by one Spirit we were all baptized into one body-whether Jews or Greeks, whether slaves or free--and have all been made to drink into one Spirit.

• He Dwells:

Romans 8:9 (NKJV)

⁹But you are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God dwells in you. Now if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, he is not His.

Romans 8:11 (NKJV)

¹¹But if the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit who dwells in you.

Romans 8:14 (NKJV)

¹⁴For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, these are sons of God.

Romans 8:16 (NKJV)

¹⁶ The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God,

· He Develops:

Philippians 1:6 (NKJV)

⁶ being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete *it* until the day of Jesus Christ;

Philippians 2:13 (NKJV)

¹³ for it is God who works in you both to will and to do for *His* good pleasure.

Romans 12:1-2 (NKJV)

¹I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, *which is* your reasonable service.

² And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what *is* that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.

So, I Have Enough Salvation...Enough of the Spirit but then: I have enough...

III. (of the) Scriptures:

• It's a Probing Instrument:

Hebrews 4:12 (NKJV)

¹² For the word of God *is* living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and

spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

• It's a Profitable Instrument:

2 Timothy 3:16 (NKJV)

¹⁶ All Scripture *is* given by inspiration of God, and *is* profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness,

• It's a Permanent Instrument:

Psalm 119:89 (NKJV)

89 Forever, O LORD, Your word is settled in heaven.

Matthew 24:35 (NKJV)

³⁵Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will by no means pass away.

Conclusion:

How about you?

Do you have "enough" this evening or are you still searching for something in this life to satisfy you?

Matthew 5:6

⁶Blessed *are* they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled.

Invitation Hymn: (Hymn) "He Touched Me"

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