

Back to the Future Small Group Questions, Week 4

Ice Breaker: What are the top three movies you have ever watched?

Ice Breaker: Have you ever had someone break a promise to you? Please explain.

What stuck out to you from Sundays message on Israel and the end times?

We saw from scripture that God has made promises to Israel concerning their land, their people, and how they will be blessed. Read Genesis 12:1-2 and 17:7-8. Throughout history we can observe that God has kept His promises to Israel in spite of everything they have experienced. What can we learn about Gods character from these verses?

Why do current events and personal circumstances cause us to doubt the promises God has made?

Is there a Bible promise that you have held onto during a difficult event or season of life?

Is there a difference between a promise that God has given to Israel and a promise that God has given to believers today? Please explain. Why is it important?

Read Philippians 4:6-7, Philippians 4:19, Matthew 7:7-8, Matthew 11:28-29, John 10:28. Please explain the promises that God gives us in these verses?

How might these promises apply to your life?

In Genesis 17:7-8, God made everlasting covenants with Israel. What everlasting covenants has He made for us today?

Why is it significant that the Lord gave his promises in (Genesis 12:2-3, 7) without conditions?

Of course, not all the promises God gave to Israel were unconditional. Some had stipulations and prerequisites. They were *conditional*. Read James 4:7, Isaiah 26:3, Matthew 6:33 and Psalm 37:4. Look at each verse and describe the conditions God gives.