



Days of Heaven on Earth Session 2

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I. Text Scripture

Deuteronomy 11:8-21 (NKJV) – ⁸“Therefore you shall keep every commandment which I command you today, that you may **be strong, and go in and possess the land** which you cross over to possess, ⁹and that you may **prolong your days in the land which the LORD** swore to give your fathers, to them and their descendants, ‘**a land flowing with milk and honey.**’ ¹⁰For the land which you go to possess is not like the land of Egypt from which you have come, where you sowed your seed and watered it by foot, as a vegetable garden; ¹¹but the land which you cross over to possess is a land of hills and valleys, which **drinks water from the rain of heaven,** ¹²**a land for which the LORD your God cares; the eyes of the LORD your God are always on it, from the beginning of the year to the very end of the year.**

SKIP to vs 18 – ¹⁸“Therefore you shall lay up these words of mine in your heart and in your soul, and bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. ¹⁹You shall teach them to your children, speaking of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you rise up. ²⁰And you shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates, ²¹that your days and the days of your children may be multiplied in the land of which the LORD swore to your fathers to give them, **like the days of the heavens above the earth**

II. Review of Session 1

A. God is promising Israel a land/place that is distinctly different than where they have been.

- 1. A land of flourishing harvests vs daily manna.**
- 2. A land where the flow is from heaven.**
- 3. Heaven’s victory, success, strength, health, prosperity.**

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B. This promised land is a type and shadow of our spiritual journey into the Kingdom that comes through Christ.

1. It is entering a new kingdom.
2. It is entering a new way of doing things.
3. It is entering a new way of speaking.
4. It is a new way of kingdom living.
5. It is a position where **SAVED** people; access the flow of heaven – rather than living in the same old flow – that everyone else experiences.
6. **COVENANT** brings us into a different flow.
 - a. Covenant brought Israel into a different flow.
 - b. Our new covenant brings us into a different flow.
 - c. Heaven's flow!
7. **Scriptures to consider.**
 - a. **Matthew 6:10 (NKJV)** – *Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.*
 - b. **Matthew 18:18-19 (NKJV)** – ¹⁸*“Assuredly, I say to you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. ¹⁹“Again I say to you that if two of you agree on earth concerning anything that they ask, it will be done for them by My Father in heaven.*

III. Can you believe it?

*Anything we receive of the Lord – requires that we believe it!
The promised land – began with a PROMISE – that had to be believed.*



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A. I don't know about this.

1. This seems too good to be true.
2. We have never heard anything like this.
3. This seems to be impossible.
4. What makes me different than anyone else?

B. The #1 issue for Israel embracing this "Heaven on Earth", season –was unbelief.

1. They couldn't believe it!
2. Pastor's Note: *The greatest tragedies occur in scripture when there is a failure to BELIEVE for the things God promises.*

C. Examples of failure to receive – because they couldn't believe it.

1. The famine in Samaria

2 Kings 6:25 (NLT) – *As a result, there was a great famine in the city. The siege lasted so long that a donkey's head sold for eighty pieces of silver, and a cup of dove's dung sold for five pieces of silver*

2 Kings 7:1-2 (NLT) – ¹*Elisha replied, "Listen to this message from the LORD! This is what the LORD says: By this time tomorrow in the markets of Samaria, six quarts of choice flour will cost only one piece of silver, and twelve quarts of barley grain will cost only one piece of silver."* ²*The officer assisting the king said to the man of God, "That couldn't happen even if the LORD opened the windows of heaven!"* But Elisha replied, ***"You will see it happen with your own eyes, but you won't be able to eat any of it!"***



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2 Kings 7:2b (AMP) – *“Behold, you will see it with your own eyes, but [because you doubt] you will not eat of it.”*

2 Kings 7:16-20 (NLT) – *¹⁶Then the people of Samaria rushed out and plundered the Aramean camp. So it was true that six quarts of choice flour were sold that day for one piece of silver, and twelve quarts of barley grain were sold for one piece of silver, just as the LORD had promised. ¹⁷The king appointed his officer to control the traffic at the gate, but he was knocked down and trampled to death as the people rushed out. So everything happened exactly as the man of God had predicted when the king came to his house. ¹⁸The man of God had said to the king, “By this time tomorrow in the markets of Samaria, six quarts of choice flour will cost one piece of silver, and twelve quarts of barley grain will cost one piece of silver.” ¹⁹The king’s officer had replied, “That couldn’t happen even if the LORD opened the windows of heaven!” And the man of God had said, “You will see it happen with your own eyes, but you won’t be able to eat any of it!” ²⁰And so it was, for the people trampled him to death at the gate!*

- a. Be careful what you think- when your thoughts go against what God is saying.
- b. Be careful what you speak – don’t be caught speaking against the word of the Lord.
- c. This has been declared as the year – Days of Heaven on Earth
*I don’t believe it.
I don’t believe we can have any of heaven on earth.
It might come to others, but it won’t come to me.
Good things never happen to me.*

Job 22:28 (KJV) – *Thou shalt also decree a thing, and it shall be established unto thee: and the light shall shine upon thy ways*

Job 22:28 (AMP) – *“You will also decide and decree a thing, and it will be established for you; And the light [of God’s favor] will shine upon your ways.*



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Job 22:28 (Aramaic) – *You will speak a word and it will happen to you*

What have you been saying?

Do you think the guy that was trampled in the gate, would change what he said?

2. Your words are **STOUT** against me.

Malachi 3:6-15 (NLT) – ⁶*“I am the LORD, and I do not change. That is why you descendants of Jacob are not already destroyed. ⁷Ever since the days of your ancestors, you have scorned my decrees and failed to obey them. Now return to me, and I will return to you,”* says the LORD of Heaven’s Armies. *“But you ask, ‘How can we return when we have never gone away?’ ⁸“Should people cheat God? Yet you have cheated me! “But you ask, ‘What do you mean? When did we ever cheat you?’ You have cheated me of the tithes and offerings due to me. ⁹You are under a curse, for your whole nation has been cheating me. ¹⁰Bring all the tithes into the storehouse so there will be enough food in my Temple. If you do,”* says the LORD of Heaven’s Armies, *“I will open the windows of heaven for you. I will pour out a blessing so great you won’t have enough room to take it in! Try it! Put me to the test! ¹¹Your crops will be abundant, for I will guard them from insects and disease. Your grapes will not fall from the vine before they are ripe,”* says the LORD of Heaven’s Armies. ¹²*“Then all nations will call you blessed, for your land will be such a delight,”* says the LORD of Heaven’s Armies. ¹³***“You have said terrible things about me,”*** says the LORD. *“But you say, ‘What do you mean? What have we said against you?’ ¹⁴“You have said, ‘**What’s the use of serving God? What have we gained by obeying his commands or by trying to show the LORD of Heaven’s Armies that we are sorry for our sins?** ¹⁵From now on we will call the arrogant blessed. For those who do evil get rich, and those who dare God to punish them suffer no harm.”*

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- *What good is there in serving God?*
- *I know God said it, but it won't happen for me.*
- *I know the Bible says it, but I can't believe it.*
- *I know what the Word says about healing, prosperity, blessing; but you know those things just don't happen.*

YOU ARE SPEAKING AGAINST GOD!

- *When you speak against His Word, – He is His Word!*
- *When you speak against the things He has declared, you are disqualifying yourself from receiving – and you are establishing the CURSE to work against you.*

The LORD's Promise of Mercy

Malachi 3:16-18 (NLT) – ¹⁶*Then those who feared the LORD spoke with each other, and the LORD listened to what they said. In his presence, a scroll of remembrance was written to record the names of those who feared him and always thought about the honor of his name. ¹⁷“They will be my people,” says the LORD of Heaven’s Armies. “On the day when I act in judgment, they will be my own special treasure. I will spare them as a father spares an obedient child. ¹⁸Then you will again see the difference between the righteous and the wicked, between those who serve God and those who do not.”*

Notice – those who revered God in their thoughts and words, received special distinction!

D. Be quick to Agree with God!

Mary

Luke 1:38 (KJV) – *And Mary said, Behold the handmaid of the Lord; be it unto me according to thy word. And the angel departed from her.*

Luke 1:38 (CSB) – *May it happen to me as you have said*



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Luke 1:38 (ISV) – *Let everything you have said happen to me*

1. I don't know how.
 2. I don't need to know how.
 3. It is impossible in the natural.
 4. It is impossible with earth's way of doing things; but I believe the **WORD** from heaven will establish the supernatural flow of heaven – **BE IT UNTO ME!**
- E. Failure to Believe/Agree – always cost more than you are willing to pay.

Hebrews 4:11 (NKJV) – *Let us therefore be diligent to enter that rest, lest anyone fall according to the same example of disobedience*

Hebrews 4:11 (AMP) – *Let us therefore make every effort to enter that rest [of God, to know and experience it for ourselves], so that no one will fall by following the same example of disobedience [as those who died in the wilderness].*

1. Just as they missed it, we can miss it.
2. How did they miss it?
 - a. Failure to believe.
 - b. Speaking against the provision/promises of God.
3. Be like Caleb and Joshua.

Numbers 14:24 (NKJV) – *But My servant Caleb, because he has a different spirit in him and has followed Me fully, I will bring into the land where he went, and his descendants shall inherit it*

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- IV. Closing Thought: As we enter the year of believing for days of heaven on earth, put your faith out there to believe for it!**
- A. Establish your faith in the Word for things that are different from your traditional way of thinking.**
 - B. Speak words of faith in alignment with God's promises.**
 - C. Speak the promises of God over your circumstances.**
 - D. Establish HIS word above natural thinking – what the flesh is saying.**
 - E. EXPECT – heaven to invade your earth – this year!!**