



Preparing for Eternity

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FAIT IS...

2 Samuel 7 2:1-6

² the king said to Nathan the prophet, “See now, I dwell in a house of cedar, but the ark of God dwells in a tent.” ³ And Nathan said to the king, “Go, do all that is in your heart, for the LORD is with you.” ⁴ But that same night the word of the LORD came to Nathan, ⁵ “Go and tell my servant David, ‘Thus says the LORD: Would you build me a house to dwell in?’

2 Samuel 7 2:1-6

⁶ I have not lived in a house since the day I brought up the people of Israel from Egypt to this day, but I have been moving about in a tent for my dwelling. ⁷ In all places where I have moved with all the people of Israel, did I speak a word with any of the judges of Israel, whom I commanded to shepherd my people Israel, saying, “Why have you not built me a house of cedar?”



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2 Samuel 7 2:10-13 – God's Promise

¹⁰ And I will appoint a place for my people Israel and will plant them, so that they may dwell in their own place and be disturbed no more.... ¹¹ ...And I will give you rest from all your enemies.... ¹² When your days are fulfilled and you lie down with your fathers, I will raise up your offspring after you, who shall come from your body, and I will establish his kingdom. ¹³ He shall build a house for my name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever.

2 Samuel 7 2:10-13 – God's Promise

¹⁸ Then King David went in and sat before the LORD and said, "Who am I, O Lord GOD, and what is my house, that you have brought me thus far? ¹⁹ And yet this was a small thing in your eyes, O Lord GOD....²¹ Because of your promise, and according to your own heart, you have brought about all this greatness, to make your servant know it. ²² Therefore you are great, O LORD God. For there is none like you, and there is no God besides you...



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1 Chronicles 22:1

¹ Then David said, "Here shall be the house of the LORD God and here the altar of burnt offering for Israel." ² David commanded to gather together the resident aliens who were in the land of Israel, and he set stonecutters to prepare dressed stones for building the house of God.... ⁵ For David said, "Solomon my son is young and inexperienced, and the house that is to be built for the LORD must be exceedingly magnificent, of fame and glory throughout all lands. I will therefore make preparation for it." So David provided materials in great quantity before his death.

David prepared. (1 Chronicles chapters 22 to 29)

- Found the ideal location
- Charged Solomon and blessed him.
- Provided the resources and information
- Commanded the leaders to help Solomon
- Organized the Levites, priests, musicians gatekeepers, offerings in advance

A background image of a lush green wheat field stretching to the horizon under a dramatic, dark, and cloudy sky. The text is overlaid on this image.

Desire:

Psalm 37:4 Delight yourself in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart.

Vision and Preparing for it to come to pass:

John 6:27 "Do not work for the food which perishes, but for the food which endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will give to you, for on Him the Father, God, has set His seal."

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2 Corinthians 4:18

while we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen; for the things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are not seen are eternal.

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