

Where Are You Going? “Dream Big”

Genesis 13:12-18

“Go, walk through the length and breadth of the land, for I am giving it to you.”

—Genesis 13:17

Dream Big—*if success was guaranteed and money was available in abundance, what would you do? Where would you go?*

1. Your Location Dream Big, beginning where you are.

“Lift up your eyes from where you are and look north and south, east and west.”

—Genesis 13:14

Acts 1:8, *“But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.”*

Genesis 12:1, *The LORD had said to Abram, “Leave your country, your people and your father’s household and go to the land I will show you.”*

2. God’s Promises Dream big, claiming the promises of God.

“All the land that you see I will give to you and your offspring forever.”

—Genesis 13:15

Genesis 12:2-3, *“I will make you into a great nation and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you.”*

2 Peter 1:3-4, *“His divine power has given us everything we need for life and godliness through our knowledge of him who called us by his own glory and goodness. ⁴Through these he has given us his very great and precious promises, so that through them you may participate in the divine nature and escape the corruption in the world caused by evil desires.*

2 Corinthians 1:20, *“For no matter how many promises God has made, they are “Yes” in Christ. And so through him the “Amen” is spoken by us to the glory of God.”*

Look at your circumstances, from the perspective of faith, God’s promises.

Notice the “I wills” of God’s promises.

Genesis 12:2, **I will** make you into a great nation, **I will** bless you, **I will** make your name great, **I will** make you a blessing.

Genesis 12:3, **I will** bless those who bless you, **I will** curse those who curse you.

Genesis 13:15, All you see **I will** give you and your offspring forever.

Genesis 13:16, **I will** make your offspring like the dust of the earth

Genesis 13:17, **I will** give you the land that you walk over.

If you have no dreams, allow God to give you the desire to dream big.

Philippians 2:13, *“for it is God who works in you to will and to act according to his good purpose.”*

3. Our Action Response. Dream Big, stepping out in faith.

“Go walk through the length and breadth of the land, for I am giving it to you. So Abram moved his tents and went to live near the great trees of Mamre at Hebron, where he built an altar to the Lord.” —Genesis 13:17-18

Genesis 12:4, *“So Abram left as the Lord had told him.”*

Ruth 2:2, *“Let me go to the fields and pick up the leftover grain behind anyone in whose eyes I find favor.”*

The Will of God will never lead you where the Grace of God cannot keep you.

Memory Verse:

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