



COVENANT LIFE IS THE BEST LIFE

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DAY 1 – GOD'S COVENANT WITH YOU IS HIS OFFER OF FRIENDSHIP

Your faith grows and becomes extremely strong when you become covenant-minded. God's covenant with you is His offer of friendship. Jesus called His disciples *covenant Friends*.

STUDY IT

- I. Your faith grows and becomes extremely strong when you become covenant minded.
 - You are a covenant soldier.
 - When someone enlists in the military in the United States, he signs a contract/covenant.
 - He is given a purpose: to protect and stand up for the Constitution and defend the country against all enemies foreign and domestic.
 - He is willing and able to offer his life for the covenant.
 - In return, the government and the military provide everything for that soldier.
 - You have entered into covenant with the government of heaven and have offered your life.
 - In return, the government of heaven offers you full supply.
 - You have everything God has and everything He knows.
 - The man of God is thoroughly furnished (2 Timothy 3:17).
 - You don't go to war at your own expense (1 Corinthians 9:7).
 - You should prosper to the uttermost to meet the needs of people.
- II. God's covenant with you is His offer of friendship.
 - Abraham was called a Friend of God (James 2:23).
 - *Friend* with a capital letter means a covenant Friend. A covenant Friend sticks closer than a brother (Proverbs 18:24).
 - Our Father, *El Shaddai* Himself, is our covenant Friend. He's our Father and our Friend. Jesus Christ is our blood Brother.
 - Abraham believed God, and it was imputed to him as righteousness (Romans 4:21-22).
 - To make His WORD more sure, God swore an oath with unbreakable promises.





- That's what *truth* is. Truth is an unbreakable blood-sworn oath of covenant. It cannot be broken.
- God is Truth, and we worship Him in truth, meaning we worship Him around the truth of His covenant.
- God owns heaven, not the earth. He gave the earth to man. He never has owned the earth; although by right of creation, God does own the earth.
 - When God saw Sodom and Gomorrah's wickedness and wanted to do something about it, He came to talk to His covenant Friend, because Abraham owned the earth.
- God doesn't own your church.
 - If He wants something done, He'll come talk to the pastor about it.

III. Jesus called His disciples *covenant Friends*.

- During the covenant meal, Jesus said, "This is My body broken for you. This is My blood" (Luke 22:19-20).
- Jesus said that greater love has no man than to lay down His life for His Friends (John 15:13).
- Jesus said, "You are My Friends if you do what I command you" (John 15:14).
- Judas was there and drank of the covenant cup.
- Even when Judas came to betray Jesus, He still called Judas "Friend" (Matthew 26:47-50).
 - Judas broke the covenant; Jesus did not.

MAKE IT PERSONAL

God will not break covenant with you. He offers you friendship—covenant, unbreakable friendship. Receive God's love and His offer of friendship, and know that NOTHING can hinder you from doing what God has called you to do!

What do you need your covenant Friend to help you do?



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DAY 2 – COVENANT FAITH IS POWERFUL FAITH

Covenant faith is powerful faith. God made covenant with Abram and changed his name to Abraham. The name change was important because God literally gave Abram His Name. Change your way of thinking.

STUDY IT

- I. Covenant faith is powerful faith.
 - God first made a covenant with Adam using the blood of an animal.
 - Later, God made covenant with Abraham in circumcision—a covenant ratified by the shedding of human blood (Genesis 17:10).
 - God said, “I am the Almighty God.” *El Shaddai* (Genesis 17:1).
 - *Almighty* is the God who’s more than enough. It refers to a woman who nourishes her child.
 - The mother is everything to the child. She gives the child birth and nourishes him/her with food.
 - God is everything to us. All of heaven, all of the Church is all about Him.
 - Jesus gives everything to us, and we don’t owe Him anything. It’s a free gift.
 - Receive God as a gift; that’s when the sweetness begins.
 - If you haven’t already, receive Jesus as your LORD and Savior, now.
 - Jesus did everything for you, except pray your prayer of receiving Him.
 - Pray now, and begin this wonderful life.
- II. God made covenant with Abram and changed his name to Abraham (Genesis 17).
 - *Abraham* means “father of many nations.”
 - God wanted everyone to know that He and Abraham were in covenant.
 - God was making Abraham a father of many nations.
 - He was promising through covenant to make Abraham exceedingly fruitful and cause nations to come out of him.
 - God promised to be Abraham and his descendants’ God.
 - They were going to be heirs according to the promise.
 - It was an everlasting covenant.





- III. The name change was important because God literally gave Abram His Name.
- God injected His Name in the middle of Abram's name.
 - Now, in the marriage covenant, the man gives his wife his name.
 - Brother Copeland gave Gloria his name and all it will provide.
 - He says to his bride, Gloria, "If you say you like it, you ought to have it."
 - That's the way Jesus thinks about you. You're the bride of Christ.
 - Jesus Christ is married to you and wants to give you His Name and everything it provides.
- IV. Change your way of thinking.
- "Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God" (Philippians 2:5-6).
 - You're not taking away from the deity of Jesus or the absolute Godship of God to be called equal with Him.
 - You're His child. You're in covenant with Him. You're on an equal level with Jesus. You're a joint heir with Christ!
 - Not only that, He's your best covenant Friend.
 - God gave Abraham His Name, then God gave Jesus His Name—a Name above every name.
 - That at the Name of Jesus every being and name in heaven and earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is LORD [*El Shaddai*, Jehovah], to the glory of [Jehovah] God the Father (see Philippians 2:9-11).

MAKE IT PERSONAL

Change your way of thinking. Remember, as a covenant right, you have the God-given authority to use the Name of Jesus and expect results.

Pray with us:

Heavenly Father, I receive all that You have provided for me in the everlasting covenant. I know I'm Your child and a joint heir with Jesus. When I speak in Jesus' Name, I expect things to change. I exercise that right to command sickness out of my body and provision for my needs. I receive Your love. In Jesus' Name. Amen.



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DAY 3 – HEALING IS PART OF YOUR COVENANT

Covenant faith is a powerful, inner strength—a strong consolation. Healing is part of your covenant. For many years, the terms of the covenants were seen as laws. God gave Abraham His powerful Name.

STUDY IT

- I. Covenant faith is a powerful, inner strength—a strong consolation (Hebrews 6:18).
 - God can do whatever He said He can do. Be fully persuaded that God *will* do what He promised (Romans 4:21).
 - Because the Almighty God could swear by no one greater, He swore by Himself (Hebrews 6:13).
 - God swore His WORD in blood.
 - Jesus, the Lamb of God who has taken away the sin of the world, shed His blood as the guarantee of the everlasting covenant (Hebrews 13:20).
 - God promised: Surely, Jesus bore our sicknesses, carried our pains, griefs, sorrows and weaknesses. Surely by those stripes, we *are* healed (Isaiah 53:4-5).
 - Jesus fulfilled God's promise when He was whipped and then crucified on the cross. "By whose stripes we *were* healed" (1 Peter 2:24).
 - You are not the sick trying to get healed. You are the healed, and the devil is trying to take your health away from you.
 - Declare: I will never have the coronavirus! I will never have the flu again in my life!
- II. Healing is part of your covenant.
 - God's will, according to His covenant, is for all of us to live out our lives on this earth and never be sick.
 - All authority has been put in the hands of the Body of Christ in the Name of Jesus, and we need to use it wisely.
- III. For many years, the terms of the covenants were seen as laws.
 - In some areas, that was the only law people lived by.





- Often, the penalty for breaking the covenant was death.
 - The terms of the covenant include BLESSING for keeping it and cursing for breaking it (Deuteronomy 28). That's where sickness comes from.
 - Listen to and obey The LORD and the articles of the covenant. Then no diseases will come on you.
 - "I am The LORD who heals you" (Exodus 15:26). That's God's Name—*Jehovah Rapha*.
 - If God stopped healing, He would have to change His Name.
 - Christians should not think like the ungodly. God did not create sickness.
 - God calls things that be not as though they were (Romans 4:17). That's how God thinks, and that's how we should think.
- IV. God gave Abraham His powerful, multifaceted Name (Genesis 17:5).
- God's Names reveal His character and His intentions toward us.
 - God wants to protect and provide for you. He's not mad at you or trying to rebuke you (see Isaiah 54:7-10). God is ever mindful of that covenant.
 - *Jehovah Rohi*: "The LORD is my Shepherd" (Psalm 23:1).
 - *Jehovah Tsidkenu*: The LORD my Righteousness. "Their righteousness is of Me" (see Isaiah 54:8-17).
 - *Jehovah Jireh*: The LORD my Provider (Genesis 22:14).
 - *Jehovah Shalom*: The LORD my Peace (Judges 6:24). Peace means "nothing missing, nothing broken."

MAKE IT PERSONAL

God gave us His Name! List how His Name affects your life on the lines below:

Jehovah Rapha: (Example) When I need healing, I call on The LORD who heals me.

Jehovah Rohi: _____

Jehovah Tsidkenu: _____

Jehovah Jireh: _____

Jehovah Shalom: _____



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DAY 4 – PROVISION IS PART OF YOUR COVENANT

God told Abraham to sacrifice his son, Isaac. Provision is part of your covenant. God provided supernaturally for Gideon's army to defeat the Midianites. Take Communion often and follow peace. Use the *Names of God Bible*. It's in English, but instead of using the English Names for God, it uses His Hebrew Names.

STUDY IT

- I. God told Abraham to sacrifice his son, Isaac (Genesis 22:3-5).
 - God stopped Abraham from going through with it, and provided a substitutionary lamb.
 - Abraham called the name of the place *Jehovah Jireh* meaning "The LORD will provide"—The LORD the Provider.
 - That's God's Name. He has bound Himself to provide.
- II. Provision is part of your covenant.
 - God's Name is the Provider; therefore, Jesus' Name is the Provider.
 - "My God shall supply all your needs..." refers to the covenant of provision brought about through Christ Jesus (Philippians 4:19).
 - Jesus is *Jehovah Jireh* in the flesh.
 - If your needs are not met, examine yourself for evidence that you are not obeying the commandment of love and forgiveness.
 - To love, which includes forgiving, is a key commandment, because God is Love (1 John 4:8).
 - Love has commanded us to behave in love.
 - You must love; you must forgive. You must choose to love.
 - The meaning of the word *agape* is "to love on purpose."
 - Natural love is based on feelings. Spiritual agape love is based on decision.
 - God has decided to love and provide for you. He's your very own Father. It's His Name—*Jehovah Jireh*.
 - You can't do anything bad enough to make God stop loving you. You can't do anything good enough to make Him love you more. He loves you.





III. God provided supernaturally for Gideon's army to defeat the Midianites (Judges 7:21-22).

- Gideon was afraid because he had seen an angel face to face. The LORD told him to be at peace (Judges 6:22-23).
 - Gideon built an altar to The LORD and called it *Jehovah Shalom* which means "The LORD my Peace" (Judges 6:24).
- *Peace* means "nothing missing, nothing broken."
- Jesus said, "My peace I give unto you. My burden is light and My yoke is easy" (John 14:27; Matthew 11:30).
- It's not hard to serve God. Knowing He's your Peace takes the stress out of life.
 - Let the peace of God be the umpire of your heart (see Philippians 4:7).
 - This is how to learn to live and walk in the will of God. Follow the direction that gives you peace in your heart.
 - Be still; wait on The LORD to direct you.
- Take Communion often and follow peace.
 - When you take Communion, remember Jesus; remember the miracles you've seen Him do; remember the things He has done for you and thank Him!

IV. Get the *Names of God Bible*. It's in English, but instead of using the English Names for God, it uses His Hebrew Names.

- *Jehovah Nissi*—The LORD my Banner (Exodus 17:14-15).
 - We are soldiers in the army of The LORD, and we perform our military duties in the kingdom of God under the flag of The LORD.
 - Jesus is our Banner of victory and great glory!
- *Jehovah Sabaoth*—The LORD of heavenly angelic hosts (Malachi 3:10).
- In Malachi, *Jehovah Sabaoth* is used 22 times.
- God guarantees that He is putting His prosperity angels in charge over THE BLESSING that will come from your tithing.
 - You don't ask angels to do anything. You command them in the Name of Jesus. They are spirit beings. They are under your authority.
 - They do not outrank you. The human who is in Christ is highest right under God and Jesus.
 - God outranks you, but He won't override your will. You are created in His image. You have His authority. You are born again. You are a joint heir. You have command authority.
- "If I speak with tongues of men and angels without love, I'm nothing but a lot of noise" (see 1 Corinthians 13:1).
 - Turn that statement around. "If I speak and I have love, the angels are listening, ready to obey."





- Angels are ministering spirits sent to minister for the heirs of salvation (Hebrews 1:14). That's us!
- Angels can't carry out the will of God in your life without your command.

MAKE IT PERSONAL

To access God's provision, we must walk in love and forgiveness. Examine your life for any past hurts, pains or sorrows. Forgive those who hurt you, and receive God's forgiveness for doubting Him and His power.

Write the names of people or situations you still need to forgive. As an act of your will, release them and forgive them. Then, with red ink, write the word *FORGIVEN* over your list.



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DAY 5 – THE NAMES OF GOD REVEAL HIS COVENANT

To learn more about the covenant, study the Names of God. Keep your mind on the covenant and your faith will be encouraged. *Jehovah Sabaoth* is LORD of all the angel forces. Listen to the Holy Spirit and allow the angels to help you. God's presence and protection are always with you.

STUDY IT

- I. To learn more about the covenant, study the Names of God.
 - *Jehovah Sabaoth* is The LORD, head Commander of the heavenly angelic armies of God. That includes Michael and Gabriel.
 - Jacob had a dream in which he saw a ladder going up to heaven with angels coming and going. Now, the angels are working here on the earth.
 - The angels have been sent forth (Hebrews 1:14).
 - On the Day of Pentecost there was a big noise (Acts 2:2). It wasn't a wind; it was *like* a wind.
 - That noise was trillions and trillions of angels coming back into Earth's atmosphere where they were created to be in the first place.
- II. Keep your mind on the covenant and your faith will be encouraged.
 - God is everywhere, including casinos and other places where sin is practiced. He never leaves us nor forsakes us (Hebrews 13:5).
 - Brother Copeland was invited to have a meeting in the Sands Hotel and Casino's main auditorium.
 - On the way to the meeting, The LORD gave Brother Copeland a word for some people in the hall of the casino. The people listened and went on.
 - A drunk man who overheard the word stopped Brother Copeland and asked for prayer.
 - Brother Copeland prayed and laid hands on him, and he was instantly sober.
 - He was a Pentecostal preacher, and God delivered him.
- III. *Jehovah Sabaoth* is LORD of all the angel forces.
 - Every person has an angel assigned to him.





- Those angels protect and guide us as we let them.
 - A minister, Dr. Ed Dufresne, saw two angels in his hotel room.
 - He said, "Who are you?" They said, "We are your prosperity angels. We've come to help you."
 - They just stood there. He said, "What are you waiting for?"
 - They said, "We are waiting for the command." He said, "Go!" and they disappeared.
 - He needed \$500,000 for his ministry property. On a specific day, he had to have at least \$350,000 to save it.
 - On the last day, a man came into the office with a check for \$350,000.
- IV. Listen to the Holy Spirit and allow the angels to help you.
- Command them to help you, in Jesus' Name. Expect what you need to be done!
 - Brother Copeland was preaching, and a man who had been coming to the meetings left abruptly and didn't come back for the evening service.
 - The LORD told the man to go back to the meeting. When he did, all of a sudden, he saw a huge man dressed in white standing with Brother Copeland like he was fastened to him. It was Brother Copeland's angel.
- V. God's presence and protection are always with us.
- When Brother Copeland flies in an airplane, he prays for God's protection, he pleads the blood of Jesus over the plane and the flight, and he calls for angelic protection.
 - A pastor was driving his father, a minister, home from a meeting. Even though there was no radio in the car, the pastor heard music. The LORD opened his eyes to see angels riding on the outside of the car, singing to his dad.
 - Jesus keeps in the Father's Name those who believe in Him (John 17:11).
 - "I bow my knees unto the Father of our LORD Jesus Christ, of whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named" (Ephesians 3:14-15). We are all in covenant with the Father, and we're named after Him. We're family!

MAKE IT PERSONAL

God's Names reveal His character. Study His Names and see how His strong covenant can help you. We want to rejoice with you in your victories! Send us your testimonies by [clicking here](#), or [contact us on Facebook™](#).

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