



# ***POSSESSING THE PROMISED LAND IN CHRIST***

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John 10:10 NKJV

The thief does not come except to steal, and to kill, and to destroy. I have come that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly.

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## **I. LIFE OF SURRENDER**

Luke 9:23,24    Romans 12:1,2    James 4:7

## **II. LIFE OF OBEDIENCE**

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## **I. LIFE OF SURRENDER (COMPLETE AND CONTINUAL)**

Luke 9:23, 24

- 23 Then He said to them all, "If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow Me.
- 24 For whoever desires to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake will save it.

Romans 12:1, 2

- 1 I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service.
- 2 And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.

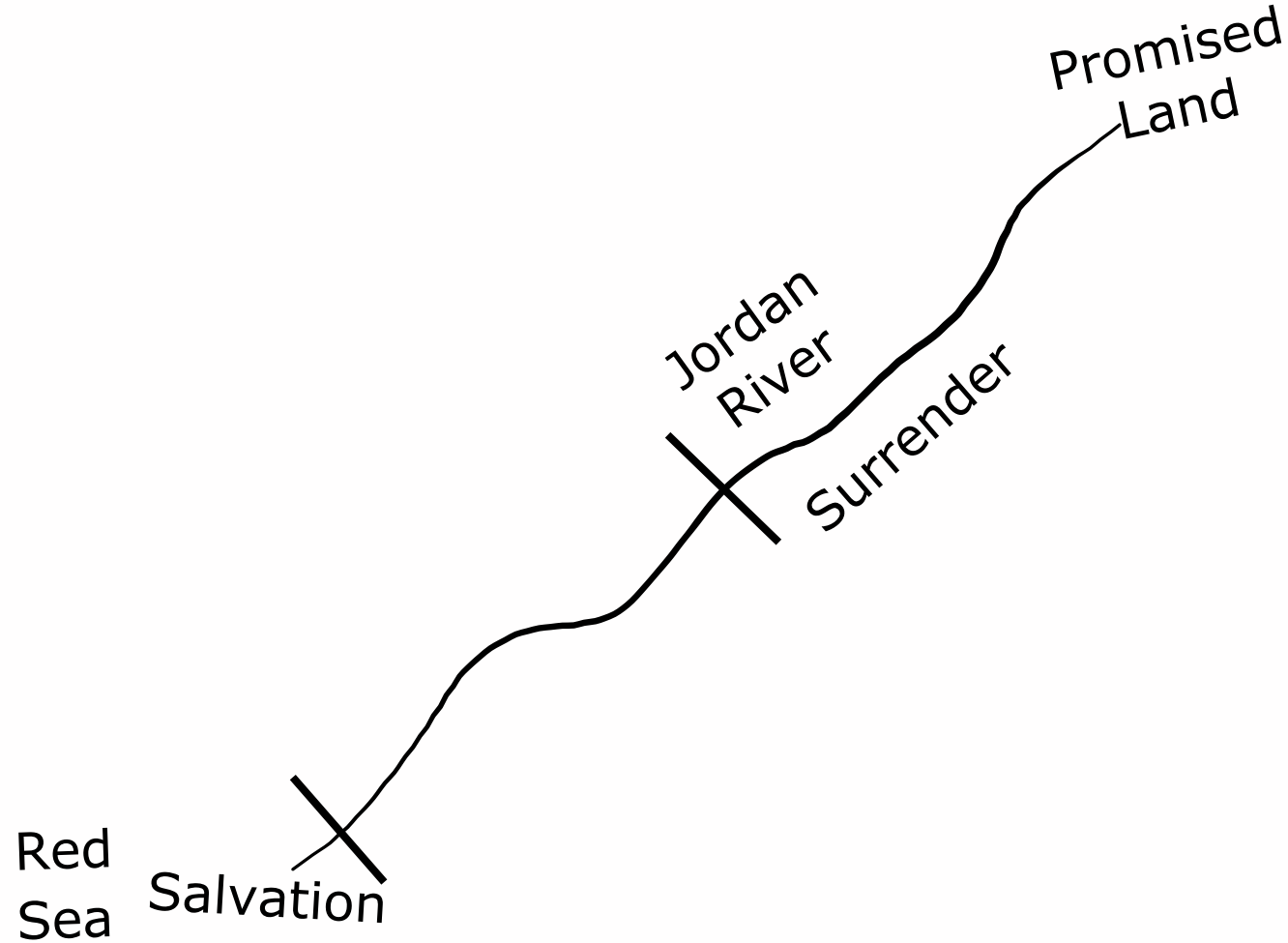
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- 7 Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you.

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- 22 But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves.  
23 For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man observing his natural face in a mirror;  
24 for he observes himself, goes away, and immediately forgets what kind of man he was.  
25 But he who looks into the perfect law of liberty and continues in it, and is not a forgetful hearer but a doer of the work, this one will be blessed in what he does.

Matthew 7:24, 25

- 24 "Therefore whoever hears these sayings of Mine, and does them, I will liken him to a wise man who built his house on the rock:  
25 and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it did not fall, for it was founded on the rock."

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## **III. LIFE OF FELLOWSHIP WITH THE LORD**

John 15:1-7

- 1 "I am the true vine, and My Father is the vinedresser.
- 2 Every branch in Me that does not bear fruit He takes away; and every branch that bears fruit He prunes, that it may bear more fruit.
- 3 You are already clean because of the word which I have spoken to you.
- 4 Abide in Me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit of itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in Me.
- 5 "I am the vine, you are the branches. He who abides in Me, and I in him, bears much fruit; for without Me you can do nothing.
- 6 If anyone does not abide in Me, he is cast out as a branch and is withered; and they gather them and throw them into the fire, and they are burned.
- 7 If you abide in Me, and My words abide in you, you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you.

1 Corinthians 1:9

- 9 God is faithful, by whom you were called into the fellowship of His Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

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## **IV. LIFE OF DEPENDING UPON THE HOLY SPIRIT**

Galatians 5:16, 25

16 I say then: Walk in the Spirit, and you shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh.

25 If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit.