



**LIFE BEYOND:
PROMISES OF GOD**

2 CORINTHIANS 1:18-22



2 Corinthians 1:

18 But as God is faithful, our word to you is not yes and no. 19 For the Son of God, Christ Jesus, who was preached among you by us—by me and Silvanus and Timothy—was not yes and no, but is yes in Him. 20 For as many as are the promises of God, in Him they are yes; therefore also through Him is our Amen to the glory of



2 Corinthians 1:

God through us. 21 Now He who establishes us with you in Christ and anointed us is God, 22 who also sealed us and gave us the Spirit in our hearts as a pledge.



FAITHFUL

- PAUL WAS BEING QUESTIONED... MOTIVES...
 - WE TEND TO CONFUSE THIS WORLD!
- GOD IS THE FOCUS AND HE IS FAITHFUL!
- PREACHED
- BY 'US' – “YES” AND “AMEN”

PROMISES

- ‘MANY’ – EVERY PART OF OUR LIVES!
 - NO PROMISE OF GOD HAS EVER FAILED!
- ‘IN HIM...BY HIM’ – PART OF THE RELATIONSHIP
- ‘GLORY OF GOD’
- ‘THROUGH US’ – HIS GREAT JOY AND PLAN!

ESTABLISHES

- TO CONFIRM, MAKE SURE, STRENGTHEN
 - CONTINUOUS ACT BY GOD IN US
 - SHAKY GROUND, SLIPPING SLOPES
- US WITH YOU – ALL OF US NEED THIS!
- IN CHRIST... NEVER APART FROM HIM

ANOINTED

- ALWAYS BY DIRECT CONTACT!
- LUKE 4:18; ACTS 4:27; 10:38; HEBREWS 1:9
- CONSECRATE, FURNISHING POWER AND OFFICE
- JESUS **NEEDED** THIS FOR HIS LIFE / MINISTRY
 - YOU HAVE AN ANOINTING FROM GOD! 1JOHN 2:20, 27



1 John 2:

20 But you have an anointing from the Holy One, and you all know.

27 As for you, the anointing which you received from Him abides in you, and you have no need for anyone to teach you; but as His anointing teaches you about all things, and is true and is not a lie, and just as it has taught you, you abide in Him.

SEALED

- TO SET A MARK UPON US...SEAL
 - USED OF THE TOMB, THE HS, AND THE 144,000
 - CONFIRMS, AUTHENTICATES, NOTARIZES
 - GUARANTEES THE CONTENTS

GIVEN

- THE PERSON, PRESENCE, POWER OF GOD
- SAME SPIRIT THAT RAISED CHRIST FROM THE DEAD
- HE INDWELLS THE HEARTS
 - RULES OUR EMOTIONS, CHOICES
- JUST A PLEDGE, DOWN PAYMENT... MORE TO COME!



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Spirit in our hearts as a pledge.**