

Where We Are Going

Purpose: to let the church know the direction that God is leading us for the next several months and to encourage them to pay attention and to be ready!

Deuteronomy gives us Moses' final message to the people before he dies and they enter their next phase of ministry – the promised land.

It is almost time:

- The season is changing
- God has helped us to appreciate each other
- God is pushing us to consider all that we do
- God is forcing us to change
- We will soon be moving from the wilderness into the land of promise

We must remember what we have been told and teach these things to our spiritual children

We must get ready for the harvest of souls that God wants to bring to us:

- Be willing to work
- Be willing to invest in the kingdom
- Be willing to let God change us

Remember two passages of scripture that were spoken to us by God:

Isaiah 25:6-8

Isa 25:6 - And in this mountain
The LORD of hosts will make for all people
A feast of choice pieces,
A feast of wines on the lees,
Of fat things full of marrow,
Of well-refined wines on the lees.

Isa 25:7 - And He will destroy on this mountain
The surface of the covering cast over all people,
And the veil that is spread over all nations.

Isa 25:8 - He will swallow up death forever,
And the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces;
The rebuke of His people He will take away from all the earth;
For the LORD has spoken.

Isaiah 54:1-3

Isa 54:1 - "Sing, O barren, You *who* have not borne!
Break forth into singing, and cry aloud,
You *who* have not labored with child!
For more *are* the children of the desolate
Than the children of the married woman," says the LORD.

Isa 54:2 - "Enlarge the place of your tent,
And let them stretch out the curtains of your dwellings;
Do not spare;
Lengthen your cords,
And strengthen your stakes.

Isa 54:3 - For you shall expand to the right and to the left,
And your descendants will inherit the nations,

And make the desolate cities inhabited.