

Doctrine of the Symbolism of One Thousand in Scripture

1. God promised to increase the number of the Israelites a thousand times.
 - *Deuteronomy 1:11 (The Lord God of your fathers make you a thousand times so many more as ye are, and bless you, as he hath promised you!)*
2. God promised to keep His covenant to a thousand generations.
 - *Deuteronomy 7:9 Know therefore that the Lord thy God, he is God, the faithful God, which keepeth covenant and mercy with them that love him and keep his commandments to a thousand generations;*
3. God owns the cattle on a thousand hills.
 - *Psalms 50:10 For every beast of the forest is mine, and the cattle upon a thousand hills.*
4. The most humble in Israel will become a thousand and the smallest family a nation.
 - *Isaiah 60:22 A little one shall become a thousand, and a small one a strong nation: I the Lord will hasten it in his time.*
5. One day in the presence of God is better than a thousand elsewhere.
 - *Psalms 84:10 For a day in thy courts is better than a thousand. I had rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God, than to dwell in the tents of wickedness.*
6. God will demonstrate His love to the thousands that love Him.
 - *Exodus 20:6 And shewing mercy unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments.*
7. The Lord will keep covenant and mercy with those who love Him to a thousand generations.
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