Doctrine of the Promise

“I will be with thee.”

1. God promised to be with Abraham.

   - *Genesis 26:3* Sojourn in this land, and I will be with thee, and will bless thee; for unto thee, and unto thy seed, I will give all these countries, and I will perform the oath which I sware unto Abraham thy father;

2. God promised to be with Jacob.

   - *Genesis 31:3* And the Lord said unto Jacob, Return unto the land of thy fathers, and to thy kindred; and I will be with thee.

3. God promised to be with Moses.

   - *Exodus 3:12* And he said, Certainly I will be with thee; and this shall be a token unto thee, that I have sent thee: When thou hast brought forth the people out of Egypt, ye shall serve God upon this mountain.

4. God promised to be with Joshua on three occasions.

   - Before entering the Land of Promise. *Deuteronomy 31:23* And he gave Joshua the son of Nun a charge, and said, Be strong and of a good courage: for thou shalt bring the children of Israel into the land which I sware unto them: and I will be with thee.

   - After entering the Land of Promise. *Joshua 1:5* There shall not any man be able to stand before thee all the days of thy life: as I was with Moses, so I will be with thee: I will not fail thee, nor forsake thee.

   - Prior to the day of battle. *Joshua 3:7* And the Lord said unto Joshua, This day will I begin to magnify thee in the sight of all Israel, that they may know that, as I was with Moses, so I will be with thee.

4. God promised to be with Gideon.

   - *Judges 6:16* And the Lord said unto him, Surely I will be with thee, and thou shalt smite the Midianites as one man.

5. God promised to be with Solomon.

   - *1 Kings 11:38* And it shall be, if thou wilt hearken unto all that I command thee, and wilt walk in my ways, and do that is right in my sight, to keep my statutes and my commandments, as David my servant did; that I will be with thee, and build thee a sure house, as I built for David, and will give Israel unto thee.
6. God promised to be with Israel.
   • *Isaiah 43:2* When thou passest through the waters, I will be with thee; and through the rivers, they shall not overflow thee: when thou walkest through the fire, thou shalt not be burned; neither shall the flame kindle upon thee.

7. The Lord Jesus has promised to never leave nor forsake His own.
   • *Hebrews 13:5* Let your conversation be without covetousness; and be content with such things as ye have: for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee.