THE STORY CHAPTER 7

Deliverance

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Appearing on the Big Screen…

So the Lord gave to Israel all the land of which He had sworn to give to their fathers, and they took possession of it and dwelt in it. The Lord gave them rest all around, according to all that He had sworn to their fathers. And not a man of all their enemies stood against them; the Lord delivered all their enemies into their hand. Not a word failed of any good thing which the Lord had spoken to the house of Israel. All came to pass.

*Joshua 21:43-45 NKJV*

1. The key word: **”Inheritance”**

So Joshua let the people depart, each to his own inheritance.

*Joshua 24:28 NKJV*

“Arise, go over this Jordan, you and all this people, to the land which I am giving to them.”

*Joshua 1:2 NKJV*

“Every place that the sole of your foot shall tread upon I have given you—as I said to Moses. From the wilderness and this Lebanon as far as the great river, the River Euphrates, all the land of the Hittites, and to the Great Sea toward the going down of the sun, shall be your territory.

*Joshua 1:3-4 NKJV*

2. The key question: Are you living out of your inheritance or your circumstance?

And you also were included in Christ when you heard the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation. When you believed, you were marked in him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit, who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God’s possession—to the praise of his glory.

*Ephesians 1:13-14 NIV*

If you are Christ’s, then you are Abraham’s seed, and heirs according to the promise…So you are no longer a slave, but God’s child: and since you are his child, God has made you also an heir.

*Galatians 3:29 NKJV, Galatians 4:7 NIV*

The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God’s children. Now if we are children, then we are heirs—heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ, if indeed we share in his sufferings in order that we may also share in his glory.

*Romans 8:16-17 NIV*

*What is the reason for the disconnect between who the Bible says we are and how we feel?*

* We don’t know about our inheritance.
* We don’t believe in our inheritance.

“Every place that the sole of your foot shall tread upon I have given you—as I said to Moses.”

*Joshua 1:3 NKJV*

3. Receive your inheritance

In this world, we are like Jesus.

*1 John 4:17 NIV*

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