Gen. 12:2-And I will make you a great nation, And <u>I will bless</u> <u>you</u>, and make your name great; And so you shall be a blessing.

Gen. 28:13-15-¹³ And behold, the Lord stood above it and said, "I am the Lord, the God of your father Abraham and the God of Isaac; the <u>land</u> on which you lie, I will give it to you and to your descendants. ¹⁴ Your <u>descendants</u> will also be like the <u>dust of the earth</u>, and you will spread out to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south; and in you and in your descendants shall <u>all the families of the earth be</u> <u>blessed</u>. ¹⁵ Behold, <u>I am with you</u> and will keep you wherever you go and will bring you back to this <u>land</u>; for I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you."

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Gen. 32:28-He said, "Your name shall no longer be Jacob, but **Israel**; for you have striven with God and with men and have prevailed."

Gen. 17:5- No longer shall your name be called <u>Abram</u>, but your name shall be <u>Abraham</u>; For I have made you the father of a multitude of nations.

Gen. 17:15-Then God said to Abraham, "As for <u>Sarai</u> your wife, you shall not call her name <u>Sarai</u>, but <u>Sarah</u> *shall be* her name.

Rev. 3:12- He who overcomes, I will make him a pillar in the temple of My God, and he will not go out from it anymore; and I will write on him the **<u>name of My God</u>**, and the <u>**name of the city**</u>

<u>of My God</u>, the new Jerusalem, which comes down out of heaven from My God, and <u>My new name</u>.

Philip. 3:20-For <u>our citizenship is in heaven</u>, from which we also eagerly wait for a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ.

2 Cor. 5:17-Therefore if anyone is in Christ, *he is*a <u>new</u> <u>creature</u>; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come.

<u>11</u>

Gen. 17:1-Now when Abram was ninety-nine years old, the Lord appeared to Abram and said to him, "<u>I</u> <u>am God Almighty</u>; Walk before Me, and be blameless."

Gen. 17:5- No longer shall your name be called Abram, but your name shall be Abraham; For I have made you <u>the father of a</u> <u>multitude of nations</u>.

Gen. 48:19-But his father refused and said, "I know, my son, I know; he also will become a people and he also will be great. However, his younger brother shall be greater than he, and his descendants shall become a <u>multitude of nations</u>."

Gen. 17:6-I will make you exceedingly fruitful, and I will make nations of you, and <u>kings</u> will come forth from you.

Gen. 17:16-I will bless her, and indeed I will give you a son by her. Then I will bless her, and she shall be *a mother of* nations; <u>kings</u> of peoples will come from her." Gen. 15:18-21-¹⁸ On that day the LORD made a covenant with Abram, saying, "To your descendants I have given <u>this land</u>, <u>From the river of Egypt as far as the great river, the river</u> <u>Euphrates</u>: ¹⁹ the *land of the* Kenite, the Kenizzite, the Kadmonite, ²⁰ the Hittite, the Perizzite, the Rephaim, ²¹ the Amorite, the Canaanite, the Girgashite, and the Jebusite."

Gen. 12:7-And the LORD appeared to Abram and said, "<u>To</u> <u>your descendants I will give this land</u>." So he built an altar there to the LORD who had appeared to him.

Gen. 26:3-4-³ Live for a time in this land and I will be with you and bless you, for to you and <u>to your descendants I will give all</u> <u>these lands</u>, and I will establish the oath which I swore to your father Abraham. ⁴ I will multiply your descendants as the stars of heaven, and will give your descendants all these lands; and by your descendants all the nations of the earth shall be blessed.

"What Hamas did was horrific, and there's no justification for it," Obama said, following that statement immediately by saying, "And, what is also true is that the occupation and what's happening to Palestinians is unbearable."

<u>13</u>

Heb. 1:1-2-God, after He spoke long ago to the fathers in the prophets in many portions and in many ways, ² in these last days has spoken to us in His Son, whom He appointed heir of all things, through whom also He made the world.

Gen. 28:18-So Jacob rose early in the morning, and took the stone that he had put under his head and <u>set it up as a pillar and</u> <u>poured oil on its top</u>.

2 Tim. 4:6-For I am already being poured out as a <u>drink offering</u>, and the time of my departure has come.

Gen. 28:20-22-²⁰ Then Jacob made a vow, saying, "If God will be with me and will keep me on this journey that I take, and will give me food to eat and garments to wear, ²¹ and I return to my father's house in safety, then the Lord will be my God. ²² This stone, which I have set up as a pillar, will be God's house, and of all that You give me I will surely give a tenth to You."

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Gen. 28:19- He called the name of that place <u>Bethel</u>; however, previously the name of the city had been <u>Luz</u>.

Gen. 35:3-and let us arise and go up to **<u>Bethel</u>**, and I will make an altar there to God, who answered me in the day of my distress and has been with me wherever I have gone.

Gen. 35:7-He built an altar there, and called the place <u>El-bethel</u>, because there God had revealed Himself to him when he fled from his brother.

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Gen. 30:24-She named him Joseph, saying, "May the Lord give me another <u>son</u>."

Matt. 27:50-And Jesus cried out again with a loud voice, and <u>yielded up His spirit</u>.

Acts 7:59-They went on stoning Stephen as he called on *the Lord* and said, "Lord Jesus, <u>receive my spirit</u>!"

Gen. 30:1-Now when Rachel saw that she bore Jacob no children, she became jealous of her sister; and she said to Jacob, "Give me children, or else I die."

Ps. 110:1-The Lord says to my Lord: "Sit at My <u>**right**</u> hand Until I make Your enemies a footstool for Your feet."

Matt. 25:33-and He will put the sheep on His <u>**right**</u>, and the goats on the left.

Eccles. 10:2-A wise man's heart *directs him*toward the <u>right</u>, but the foolish man's heart *directs him* toward the left.

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Heb. 9:27-And inasmuch as it is appointed for men to die once and after this comes judgment.

Gen. 48:7- Now as for me, when I came from Paddan, Rachel died, to my sorrow, in the land of Canaan on the journey, when there was still some distance to go to Ephrath; and I buried her there on the way to Ephrath (that is, Bethlehem)."

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1 Sam. 10:2- When you go from me today, then you will find two men close to Rachel's tomb in the territory of Benjamin at Zelzah; and they will say to you, 'The donkeys which you went to look for have been found. Now behold, your father has ceased to be concerned about the donkeys and is anxious for you, saying, "What shall I do about my son?"

Jer. 31:15-Thus says the Lord, "A voice is heard in Ramah, Lamentation *and* bitter weeping. Rachel is weeping for her children; She refuses to be comforted for her children, because they are no more."

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Micah 4:8-As for you, tower of the flock, Hill of the daughter of Zion, to you it will come—Even the former dominion will come, The kingdom of the daughter of Jerusalem.

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2 Sam. 3:7-8- ⁷Now Saul had a concubine whose name was Rizpah, the daughter of Aiah; and Ish-bosheth said to Abner, "Why have you gone in to my father's concubine?" ⁸Then Abner was very angry over the words of Ish-bosheth and said, "Am I a dog's head that belongs to Judah? Today I show kindness to the house of Saul your father, to his brothers and to his friends, and have not delivered you into the hands of David; and yet today you charge me with a guilt concerning the woman.

2 Sam. 12:8- I also gave you your master's house and your master's wives into your care, and I gave you the house of Israel and Judah; and if *that had been* too little, I would have added to you many more things like these!

2 Sam. 16:20-22-²⁰ Then Absalom said to Ahithophel, "Give your advice. What shall we do?" ²¹ Ahithophel said to Absalom, "Go

in to your father's concubines, whom he has left to keep the house; then all Israel will hear that you have made yourself odious to your father. The hands of all who are with you will also be strengthened." ²² So they pitched a tent for Absalom on the roof, and Absalom went into his father's concubines in the sight of all Israel.

Gen. 49:3-4-³ "Reuben, you are my firstborn; My might and the beginning of my strength, Preeminent in dignity and preeminent in power. ⁴ "Uncontrolled as water, you shall not have preeminence, because you went up to your father's bed; Then you defiled *it*—he went up to my couch.

1 John 2:28-Now, little children, abide in Him, so that when He appears, we may have confidence and not shrink away from Him in shame at His coming.

Rev. 3:11-I am coming quickly; hold fast what you have, so that no one will take your crown.

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Gen. 49:5-7-5 "Simeon and Levi are brothers; Their swords are implements of violence. 6 "Let my soul not enter into their council: Let not my glory be united with their assembly; Because in their anger they slew men, And in their self-will they lamed oxen. 7 "Cursed be their anger, for it is fierce; And their wrath, for it is cruel. I will disperse them in Jacob And scatter them in Israel.

Gen. 49:10-The scepter shall not depart from Judah, Nor the ruler's staff from between his feet, Until Shiloh comes, and to him *shall be* the obedience of the peoples.

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Gen. 47:9-So Jacob said to Pharaoh, "The years of my sojourning are one hundred and thirty; few and unpleasant have been the years of my life, nor have they attained the years that my fathers lived during the days of their sojourning."

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Acts 13:36 (NIV)-Now when David had served <u>God's purpose</u> in his own generation, he fell asleep; he was buried with his ancestors and his body decayed. Gen. 49:31-There they buried Abraham and his wife Sarah, there they buried Isaac and his wife Rebekah, and there I buried Leah—

Eph. 1:13-14-¹³ In Him, you also, after listening to the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation—having also believed, you were sealed in Him with the <u>Holy Spirit of promise</u>,¹⁴ who is given as a <u>pledge of our inheritance</u>, with a view to the redemption of *God's own* possession, to the praise of His glory.

Conclusion

Num. 6:24-26-24 The LORD bless you and keep you; 25 The LORD make His face shine on you and be gracious to you; 26 The LORD lift up His countenance on you And give you peace.