

MOVING
UP

Mk 4.35

That day when evening came, Jesus said to his disciples, “Let us **cross over** to the other side.” Leaving the crowd behind, they took him along, just as he was, in the boat

**1.
Deliverance**

Moses

**Led them
out of
Egypt**

Shepherd

**2.
Possession**

Joshua

**Led them into
the Promised
Land**

Leader

**3.
Kingdom**

David

**Extended
their
borders**

**Shepherd /
Leader mix**

GOD'S PROVISION

1. Deliverance *Stage*

Ex 16.4

**Then the Lord said to Moses, “I will rain
down bread (manna) from heaven for you.
The people are to go out each day and
gather enough for that day**

**It required very little
effort, faith, belief from
THEIR side**

If the only thing that's going
to get you thru, is
ANOTHER miracle then
there's something wrong with
the way you're living right now

**Miracle thinking is what
defines children**

**The reason you need miracle
after miracle is because you're
living from crisis to crisis**

God wants you living from
GLORY TO GLORY
and not from
CRISIS TO CRISIS

2. Possession *Stage*

Josh 5.10

On the evening of the fourteenth day of the month, while camped at Gilgal on the plains of Jericho, the Israelites celebrated the Passover. The day after the Passover, they ate some of the produce of the land:

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unleavened bread and roasted grain. **THE MANNA STOPPED** the day after they ate this food from the land; there was no longer any manna for the Israelites, but that year they ate of the **produce** of Canaan (promised land)

**If you want a harvest, you
need to sow**

**The wilderness was a place of
MIRACLES but, the
Promised Land was a place of
HARVEST**

EXPECTING
a harvest

**To possess God's promises,
you have to learn to
exercise your FAITH**



**It's action and faith
working together**

**Living in the possession
stage means you've got to
apply your faith and possess
God's promises for yourself**

Rom 1.17

NThe righteous will live by **faith**

**“Don’t expect a miracle
before you expect a harvest”**

3. Kingdom *Stage*

1 Chron 29.1

The task is great, because this palatial structure is **NOT FOR MAN BUT FOR THE LORD GOD**. With all **my resources** I have provided for the temple of my God—gold for the gold work, silver for the silver,

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bronze for the bronze, iron for the iron and wood for the wood, as well as onyx for the settings, turquoise, stones of various colours, and all kinds of fine stone and marble—all of these in large quantities.

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Besides, in my devotion to the temple of my God I now give my **personal treasures** of gold and silver for the temple of my God, over and above everything I have provided for this holy temple: 110 tons of gold and 260 tons of refined silver

David understands that his
personal RESOURCES aren't
just for his personal BENEFIT

In the deliverance / possession
stages — God's providing for
YOU but, in the kingdom stage,
you're providing for GOD

1 Chron 11.4

David and all the Israelites marched to Jerusalem. The Jebusites who lived there said to David, “You will not get in here.” Nevertheless, David captured the CITY OF DAVID. David had said,

1 Chron 11.4

“Whoever leads the attack on the Jebusites will become commander-in-chief of the army.” Joab son of Zeruiah went up first, and so he received the command

2 Kings 4.1

The wife of a man from the company of the prophets cried out to Elisha, “Your servant my husband is dead, and you know that he revered the Lord. But now his creditor is coming to take my two boys as his slaves.”

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Elisha replied to her, “How can I help you? Tell me, **what do you have in your house?**” “Your servant has nothing there at all,” she said, “except a small jar of olive oil.” Elisha said,

2 Kings 4.1

“Go around and ask all your neighbors for empty jars. Don’t ask for just a few. Then go inside and shut the door behind you and your sons. Pour oil into all the jars, and as each is filled, put it to one side.”

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She left him and shut the door behind her and her sons. They brought the jars to her and she kept pouring. When all the jars were full, she said to her son, “Bring me another one.” But he replied,

2 Kings 4.1

“There is not a jar left.” Then the oil stopped flowing. She went and told the man of God, and he said, “Go, sell the oil and pay your debts. You and your sons can live on what is left.”

