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Deuteronomy 11:1-8

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## John 14

15 "If you love Me, keep My commandments.

21 He who has My commandments and keeps them, it is he who loves Me. And he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him and manifest Myself to him."



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The phrase in verse 10 “watered it with your foot” suggests that one of the tasks of the enslaved Jews in Egypt was to keep the irrigation ditches open so the water flowed into the fields.

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The constant need for rain kept Israel in constant dependence on the Lord. It is good for us to have things that keep us in constant dependence on the Lord. We should never despise those things and long for the day when we will no longer need to depend on God as much.

**David Guzik, Enduring Word Commentary**



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And you shall remember the Lord your God, for it is He who gives you power to get wealth, that He may establish His covenant which He swore to your fathers, as it is this day.

**Deuteronomy 8:18**



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**3.** Obey God To Protect Yourself  
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In an affluent society such as we live in today, where things come so easily, I am afraid that people assume God has nothing in the world to do with it. I do not understand why people think that if things come easily, they have done it; if things come with difficulty, then God must be in it. God is the One who provides for all our physical needs. Whether things come to us easily or with difficulty, He still is the Provider.

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**4. Obey God Because He Will  
Work For You (v22-25)**

Why is there such a difference in believers today? Some Christians are sitting on the side lines and are poverty stricken spiritually. Others are fabulously rich spiritually. God makes it clear that He has blessed all believers with spiritual blessings in the heavenlies in Christ Jesus. Some believers claim those blessings; some do not. Some believers enjoy those blessings; some do not.

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**4.** Obey God Because He Will  
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You don't "claim the land" by studying the map and dreaming of conquest.  
You claim the land by stepping out by faith, believing God's Word,  
and depending on His faithfulness.

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