COME WITH US

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And Moses said unto Hobab, the son of Raguel the Midianite, Moses' father in law, We are journeying unto the place of which the LORD said, I will give it you: come thou with us, and we will do thee good: for the LORD hath spoken good concerning Israel.

Introduction

- A. An invitation from Moses
- 1. An invitation to a member of his family Exodus 18:5

And Jethro, Moses' father in law, came with his sons and his wife unto Moses into the wilderness, where he encamped at the mount of God:

2. An invitation to go to the Promised Land

Introduction

- B. A fitting invitation for the church to extend
 - 1. "Come with us and we will do thee good"
- 2. Everyone needs to hear this invitation Revelation 22:17

And the Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely.

A. Those who were journeying to a better land Exodus 18:8

And Moses told his father in law all that the LORD had done unto Pharaoh and to the Egyptians for Israel's sake, and all the travail that had come upon them by the way, and how the LORD delivered them.

- B. Christians are headed for heaven
 - 1. We have also been delivered
- Colossians 1:13

Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of his dear Son:

- B. Christians are headed for heaven continued
- 2. We are also promised a better place John 14:1-3
- 1 Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me.
- 2 In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.

- C. The Promised land was a gift from God
- D. Heaven is a prepared gift for God's people
- 1. Former slaves to sin are now citizens of heaven Philippians 3:20
- For our conversation is in heaven; from whence also we look for the Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ:
- 2. The gift of eternal life is the gift of heaven Romans 6:23
- For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

II. Who Got This Invitation?

- A. This invitation was given to a person Moses loved Numbers 10:31
- And he said, Leave us not, I pray thee; forasmuch as thou knowest how we are to encamp in the wilderness, and thou mayest be to us instead of eyes.
- B. This invitation was given to one who would be helped in accepting it
- C. God cares about every person we meet
- D. All who accept our invitation to salvation will receive good things

III. Who Guaranteed This Invitation?

"The Lord hath spoken good concerning Israel"

- A. Moses had received promises for Israel from the Lord
 - 1. He received them at the burning bush

Exodus 3:10

Come now therefore, and I will send thee unto Pharaoh, that thou mayest bring forth my people the children of Israel out of Egypt.

Exodus 3:21

And I will give this people favour in the sight of the Egyptians: and it shall come to pass, that, when ye go, ye shall not go empty.

2. Israel's future was as secure as God's promises

III. Who Guaranteed This Invitation?

- B. The Lord guarantees our offer of salvation
 - 1. He promises to save all who come to Him

Hebrews 7:25

Wherefore he is able also to save them to the uttermost that come unto God by him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them.

2. He promises to keep them all the way

1 John 5:13

These things have I written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God; that ye may know that ye have eternal life, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God.

III. Who Guaranteed This Invitation?

B. The Lord guarantees our offer of salvation - continued3. He promises a future of eternal life

Titus 1:2

In hope of eternal life, which God, that cannot lie, promised before the world began;

2 Peter 1:4

Whereby are given unto us exceeding great and precious promises: that by these ye might be partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust.

What Have We Done and Are Doing With God's Invitation?

Jeremiah 29:11

For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the LORD, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end.