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1 Kings 8:56

“Blessed be the LORD, Who has given rest unto His people Israel, according to all that He promised; there has not failed one word of all His good promise, which He promised by the hand of Moses, His servant.” 1 King 8:56

All progress in the spiritual life is achieved by faith, and that faith is realized by the promises of God spoken to our hearts. (Romans 10:17) Rest, whether in mind or spirit, comes by the working of our faith. As the human heart hears and receives the promises of God, faith is quickened and a labor of faith begins which enables the believer to enter into the rest of faith – that is, the confident waiting upon the Lord to do what He said He would do. “Therefore I say unto you, “Whatever things you desire, when you pray, believe you receive them, and you shall have them.” (Mark 11:24).

The rest of the believer is the out working of faith that is assured the Promiser will complete all that He has promised. Rest enforces faith’s stand that God will do all that He has promised to do. Faith’s confidence in God’s promises and in His word rests squarely upon the truth of God’s unfailing faithfulness to do what He has said.

“Lord, today I trust You to do all that You have promised me.” Amen!

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