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The Blood Covenant

10. The Abrahamic Covenant

This chapter argues that Israel existed only because of the Blood Covenant God made with Abraham. God bound Himself to keep it, so He delivered, provided for, healed, and protected His covenant people — and that same covenant is the root of the New Covenant we now share through Jesus.

Key takeaways

- Israel was born from the covenant: Isaac was a miracle child, and the nation traces back to God's promise to Abraham.
- God delivered Israel from Egypt because He remembered His covenant and could not break it — He is the covenant-keeping God.
- While Israel kept the covenant, there was no sickness, no barrenness, no defeat in battle; God Himself was their healer, provider, and protector.
- Breaking the covenant brought judgment (captivity in Babylon), but God still remembered His promise to Abraham.
- Jesus founded the New Covenant, so believers now enter the same blessings Israel had — and richer.

Passages worth keeping

“God couldn't break the Covenant. He could not forget it nor ignore it. He is the covenant-keeping God.”

States the chapter's core claim about God's faithfulness.

How it connects

The Abrahamic Covenant is the foundation the New Covenant stands on — Jesus is its surety, extending Israel's covenant blessings to believers.

Scripture referenced

- **Exodus 2** -- God remembers His covenant with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob and moves to deliver Israel.
- **Exodus 15:26** -- "I am the LORD that healeth thee" — God as Israel's only physician under the covenant.