

God's House

Introduction:

Psalms 27

David's desire to be in God's house.
David was a man after God's own heart
David desired to build God's temple
God wouldn't allow it. It wasn't His plan
God promised Solomon would do it
David prepared for his son to do it

Solomon was full of destiny and purpose and his father set him up to achieve. But, Solomon could not rest on God's relationship with his father. He had to forge his own.

2 Chronicles 1:7 God asked Solomon a question, "Ask for whatever you want me to give you."

The natural reaction to reading this promise of God to Solomon is to wish we had such a promise. We do have them.

- *Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. (Matthew 7:7)*
- *If you abide in Me, and My words abide in you, you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you. (John 15:7)*
- *Now this is the confidence that we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us. (1 John 5:14)*

After he accomplished his task God gave his approval.

2 Chronicles 7:11-16

Christ is the temple and has made us his dwelling.

2 Corinthians 6:16

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16 What agreement is there between the temple of God and idols? For we are the temple of the living God. As God has said:
“I will live with them and walk among them, and I will be their God, and they will be my people.”

Colossians 1:27

27 To them God has chosen to make known among the Gentiles the glorious riches of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory.

Created by Christ

Created for cohabitation

Chose it for his eyes, ears, and heart to be there

Named it by God's name, its address is God's house, Christ's House.

Purpose Family and Fellowship –

2 Chronicles 7:11-16

Sacrifice 7:12 House of Sacrifice

Discipline 7:13

Prayer 7:14

Repentance 7:14

Forgiveness 7:14

Love 7:15,16