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GOD'S PRECIOUS PROMISES

2.0 II Pet. 1:1-8. (Read)

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BOORUM & PEASE "NOTES"

CASE "NOTES"

1. INT: IN PILGRIM'S PROGRESS (John Bunyan) (Ill. of Gr. Lit.) P. 139

Christian & Hopeful on way to Celestial City.
 Captured by Giant Dispair, prisoners in Doubting Castle
 Threatened, starved & beaten. Suffered & Prayed, S&P!
 Christian, "What a fool I am. I lie in this dreadful
 dungeon when I can just as well walk in liberty.

I FORGOT the key in my bosom, PROMISE, which will
 unlock all doors of Doubting Castle. Went free!!!

3. MORAL: Key to your freedom in your bosom. God's
 promises placed in your heart to unlock all doors
 of doubt and fear. Lesson: God's 4 greatest promises.

4. I. AN AUDIENCE IN HEAVEN WE CAN NEVER DESERVE. PRAYER. THE WAY!
 A. Man, left to himself, will falter and fail. 10:23.
 B. With God, cannot fail. Jas. 1:5-8. Phil. 4:6-7.
 C. Ill. Keep remembering B. B. Baxter and scoff at
 Sherman, Tex. Diphtheria, 3 yr old. Come pray!
 Father didn't deserve. Got it through godly BB

5. II. A LIFE ON EARTH ABOVE AND BEYOND OURSELVES. GODLINESS.
 A. Man, left alone, would destroy self. Prov. 14:12. THE WAY!
 B. Paul's plan: Gal. 2:20. Process: James 1:21.
Ill. Sis. Clara Owen. Sees true way. Real friends
 and family in the church, not blood kin.

6. III. A GIFT MAN CAN NEVER EARN. GRACE. I Cor.
 A. Who among us is proud of himself? Isa. 64:6. 10:12.
 B. All faulty, wicked, liars and lost. Ps. 116:11,
 Lk. 17:10. Romans 3:23.
 C. Covenant promise: Heb. 10:16-17. Sal. Eph. 2:8-10.

7. IV. A HOME WELL BEYOND OUR MEANS. HEAVEN.
 A. Home is status symbol in America. Not so in
 bush country of Nigeria. All straw huts alike.
Ill. Yarn. Lost ulcers. "We are the Joneses."
 B. Just as well for earthly houses are temporal.
 II Pet. 3:10-11. New Orleans disaster in
 Hurricane Betsy 9-10-65. Houses in 17' water!
 C. Paul points us to truly better home. II C. 5:1-2.

8. INT: GOD HAS KEPT EVERY PROMISE HE EVER MADE.
 Promises privledge of prayer to faithful. Hear us all.
 Promises life of godliness, beyond self. Help us all.
 Promises a gift we can never earn. Honors all.
 Promises a home can never buy. (over) Hopes for all.

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COMMEND TO YOU THE "SPIRIT" OF ROSWELL McINTYRE
of Co. E, 6th Reg. of N. Y. Cavalry. 1864.
(KNT. I. P. 259.)

Letter seen today in State House at Albany, N. Y.
from Abraham Lincoln.

"Executive Mansion, Washington D. C. Oct. 4, 1864.

Upon condition that Roswell McIntyre of Co. E.
6th Reg. of N. Y. Cavalry, returns to his regiment
and faithfully serves out his time, or until lawfully
discharged (of his obligation), he is fully
pardoned for any supposed-desertion heretofore committed;
this paper is to pass to his regiment.
Abraham Lincoln."

On the side of the paper is scribbled:

"Quartermaster's office, N. Y. City, Oct. 22, 1864.
Transportation furnished to Baltimore, Md.
H. Brownson."

Farther down on the letter are the following words:

"Taken from the body of R. McIntyre at the
battle of Five Forks, Va. 1865."

THIS MAN DESERTED. His president promised freedom.
He promised loyalty.
He was faithful to his promise to
the end.

CAN YOU SAY THIS ABOUT YOUR PROMISES TO GOD?

If not, why not come obey your Lord right NOW!

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