

3. I can trust God with an OPEN HAND

¹Be careful to follow every command I am giving you today, so that you may live and increase and may enter and possess the land the LORD promised on oath to your ancestors.

²Remember how the LORD your God led you all the way in the wilderness these forty years, to humble and test you in order to know what was in your heart, whether or not you would keep his commands.

³He humbled you, causing you to hunger and then feeding you with manna, which neither you nor your ancestors had known, to teach you that man does not live on bread alone but on every word that comes from the mouth of the LORD.

⁴Your clothes did not wear out and your feet did not swell during these forty years.

⁵Know then in your heart that as a man disciplines his son, so the LORD your God disciplines you.

Deuteronomy 8:1-5

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The Open Hand

... He determined the time set for them and the exact places where they should live.

Acts 17:26

Three Lessons about God and me

1. God has a plan for me, and His plan is surprisingly good !!

¹¹For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. ¹²Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. ¹³You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart. ¹⁴I will be found by you," declares the LORD

Jeremiah 29:11-14

2. In our life challenges, God helps us to become stronger and more mature

... We know that suffering produces perseverance; ⁴perseverance, character; and character, hope.

Romans 5:3-4

²⁸And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose. ²⁹For those God foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son ...

Romans 8:28-29

As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.

Isaiah 55:9

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