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*We are here to
Honor God and Make Disciples*



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THE ABILITY TO PRODUCE WEALTH

... a new series from Deuteronomy 8

A Covenant Provision of God





Deuteronomy 8:18 NIV

*“But remember the Lord your God, for it is he who gives you **the ability to produce wealth**, and so confirms his **covenant**, which he swore to your ancestors, as it is today.”*



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Deuteronomy 8:1 ESV

***“The whole commandment that I command you today you shall be careful to do, that you may live and multiply, and go in and possess the land that the Lord swore to give to your fathers.*”**

**The Charge
to OBEY :**

(1) What to obey?

The WHOLE commandment;

(2) How to obey ?

Be careful to obey, do & follow;

(3) What's the outcome ?

Then you will live and multiply;

(4) What's the purpose ?

you go in and possess the land;

**The Charge
to OBEY :**

*“Our **motivation** to **OBEY**
God must come from our
deep love for God and not
from anything else.”*



**OBEDIENCE
BRINGS BLESSINGS**



**WHO HAS THE
BEST MEMORY ?
FORGETTING MAYBE**

Deuteronomy 8:2





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Part

2 A Charge to

V2-4, 14b-16 : **REMEMBER**





Deuteronomy 8:2-4 ESV

***2** And you shall **remember** the whole way that the Lord your **God** has led you these forty years in the wilderness, that he might **humble** you, **testing** you to know what was in your heart, whether you would keep his commandments or not.*



Deuteronomy 8:2-4 ESV

3 *And he humbled you and let you hunger and fed you with manna, which you did not know, nor did your fathers know, that he might make you know that man does not live by bread alone, but man lives by every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord. 4* *Your clothing did not wear out on you and your foot did not swell these forty years.*



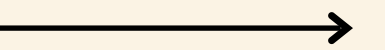
WHAT ARE WE TO “REMEMBER”?

Let's explore these 3 AREAS

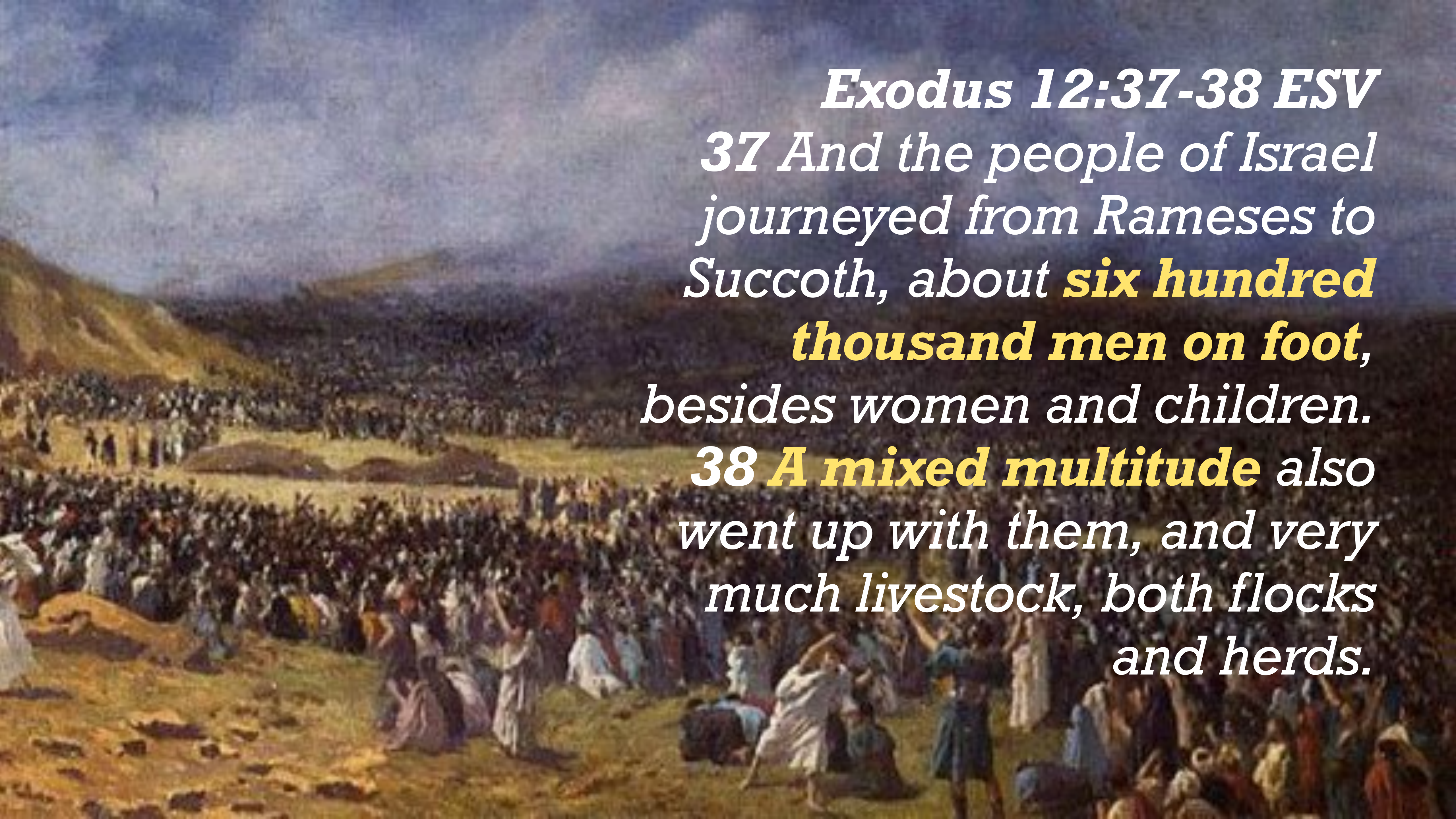
#1: THAT THE LORD IS LEADING YOU

Deuteronomy 8:2 ESV

*And you shall remember
the whole way that the Lord
your **God has led you** these
forty years in the
wilderness, that he might
humble you,*





A large crowd of people, including men, women, and children, are gathered in a field. Some are sitting on the ground, while others are standing. The scene is set in a hilly, open landscape under a clear sky. The people are dressed in simple, traditional clothing. The overall atmosphere is one of a large gathering or a journey.

Exodus 12:37-38 ESV

*37 And the people of Israel journeyed from Rameses to Succoth, about **six hundred thousand men on foot**, besides women and children.*

*38 **A mixed multitude** also went up with them, and very much livestock, both flocks and herds.*



Deuteronomy 8:14b-15 ESV

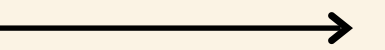
***14** then your heart be lifted up, and you **forget** the Lord your God, **who brought you out** of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, **15** **who led you** through the great and terrifying wilderness, with its fiery serpents and scorpions and thirsty ground...*

#2 : THAT THE LORD IS **TESTING** YOU

Deuteronomy 8:2b-3a ESV

*“... that he might **humble** you, **testing** you to know what was in your **heart**, whether you would keep his commandments or not.*

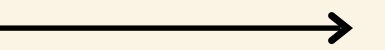
3 And he *humbled* you...



#2 : THAT THE LORD IS **TESTING** YOU ?

Deuteronomy 8:16 ESV

“... who fed you in the wilderness with **manna** that your fathers did not know, that he might **humble** you and **test** you, to do you good in the end.”







Galatians 6:7 ESV

Do not be deceived: God is not mocked, for whatever one sows, that will he also reap.

Jeremiah 17:9 NIV

The heart is deceitful above all else and beyond cure. Who can understand it ?



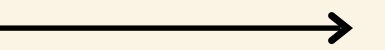
Numbers 14:2-4

2 *And all the people of Israel **grumbled** against Moses and Aaron. The whole congregation said to them, “Would that we had died in the land of Egypt! Or would that we had died in this wilderness! **3** Why is the Lord bringing us into this land, to fall by the sword? Our wives and our little ones will become a prey. Would it not be **better** for us to **go back to Egypt?**” **4** And they said to one another, “Let us choose a leader and **go back to Egypt.**”*

#3 :
THAT THE
LORD IS
PROVIDING
YOU

Deuteronomy 8:3-4 ESV

*3 And he **humbled** you and let you **hunger** and **fed** you with **manna**, which you did not know, nor did your fathers know, that he might make you know that man does not live by bread alone, but man lives by every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord.*
*4 Your **clothing** did not **wear** out on you and your **foot** did not swell these forty years.*





Exodus 16:4-5

*Then the Lord said to Moses, “Behold, I am about to rain **bread from heaven** for you, and the people shall go out and **gather** a day's portion **every day**, that I may **test** them, whether they will walk in my law or not. On the sixth day, when they prepare what they bring in, it will be twice as much as they **gather daily.**”*

WHAT IS MANNA?





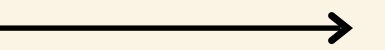
Joshua 5:11-12 ESV

*¹¹And the day after the Passover, on that very day, they **ate** of the produce of the land, unleavened cakes and parched grain. ¹²And **the manna ceased** the day after they **ate** of the produce of the land. And there was **no longer manna** for the people of Israel, but they **ate** of the fruit of the land of Canaan that year.*



Deuteronomy 8:3 ESV

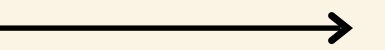
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Matthew 4:3

*2 And after fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. 3 And the tempter came and said to him, “**If you are the Son of God, command these stones to become loaves of bread.**” 4 But he answered, “It is written, “**Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God.**””*



A Charge to
Remember

That the LORD is :

- **LEADING** YOU!
 - **TESTING** YOU!
 - **PROVIDING** YOU!
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A Charge to **Remember** That the **LORD** is :

- **LEADING** you through hard-times;
 - **TESTING** you some-times!
 - **PROVIDING** you all the-times!
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