

# God's Covenants of Promise

These covenants were all given as part of God's plan of redemption for the earth and mankind.

An unconditional covenant that replaces the Old (Mosaic) Covenant of the Law which was conditional.

An unconditional covenant that David's seed would rule over Israel forever Jer. 23:5-8. This covenant is based on the Abrahamic Covenant and points forward to the New Covenant.

The Abrahamic Covenant provides the framework of support for the Old, Davidic, and New Covenants. Deut. 1:8; 9:1-5; 4:37; 7:7-8; 10:5; II Sam. 7:8-13; Ps. 105:6-11 ff; Jer. 31:31-40

Proclaimed by Jesus Christ and His apostles. Heb. 1:1-2; 2:1-4

Jesus Christ will rule from David's throne in Jerusalem

Being ratified by the blood of Christ it will remain forever. Heb. 9:14-15, 24-28

**THE NEW COVENANT**

UNCONDITIONAL  
Jer. 31:31-40

EVERLASTING  
Jer. 30:4-9

LITERAL

It was foretold by the prophets. Heb. 1:1

Contains elements of the Old Covenant under a new administration of righteousness augmented by special empowerment by the Holy Spirit

Some passages related to the covenants of promise:

Jer. 23:1-8; 33:14-26; 46:27-28  
Eze. 11:14-21; 16:60-63; 28:25-26; 37:15-28; Amos 9:11-13; Micah 4:1-5

All the blessings of the Abrahamic Covenant will be fully realized when it comes into effect.

**DAVIDIC COVENANT**

II Sam. 7:12-16 Lk. 1:32-33  
Isa. 11:1-5 Dan. 2:44

An expanded explanation of Judah's exaltation under the terms of the Abrahamic Covenant in the last days as prophesied by Jacob. Gen. 49:8-12

Given through Moses Deut. 5:22-28,31

**THE OLD COVENANT**

Deut. 4:25-31

Temporary Conditional

Added because of transgressions (Gal. 3:19)

Ex. 19:5-6 Deut. 30:11-20

Becoming obsolete it is to be replaced. Heb. 8:13

IT IS EVERLASTING

**LAND**

1. Ownership-unconditional  
2. A permanent possession

**CONFIRMED**

Gen. 13:14-17; 15:18; 17:1-8; 24:7

IT IS UNCONDITIONAL

**ABRAHAMIC COVENANT**

Gen. 12:1-3

All of God's covenants and promises made to national Israel are built upon God's promise to Abraham.

1. To make Abraham a great nation  
2. To make Abraham's name great  
3. To make Abraham a blessing

**BLESSING**

1. A position of wealth and honor among the nations. Isa. 49:22-23; 61:5-6  
2. The channel of God's salvation to the nations. Isa. 42:5-7; 49:6; 62:1-3; Zech. 8:20-23

IT IS LITERAL

**SEED**

1. Many descendants  
2. Would be a nation

**CONFIRMED**

Gen. 22:17-18; 26:1-5,23-25; 28:2-15

Although certain of its elements are contained in the New Covenant the Old Covenant itself was never meant to have a permanent place in the prophetic program. Jer. 23:7-8; 31:31-34

Gen. 1:1 "In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth." Gen. 3:15 The seed of the woman will crush the serpent's head.  
Foundational truths that underlay all of God's covenants.