

4:30....He will not forsake you..nor forget the covenant that had been made with the fathers and is still in force!

III. Conclusion

And in some ways that is how it is today. We lose by being disobedient...but we will always find God kind and gracious when we turn to Him. But it is not a matter of our convenience but one of repentance and trust. Onced again we appreciate your being with us today and may yieldedness to God be the watchword of our paths.

Message # 12

Deuteronomy 4:32-49

SPIRITUAL EXPERIENCES OF MOSES AND THE PEOPLE

I. Introduction

Greetings in the Lord's Name as we contnue in our study of the book of Deuteronomy, the fifth book of the Bible. The name "Deuteronomy" indicates a second or repeated law and in this sense it is the legacy of Moses for the children of Israel as he readies them for entrance to Canaan. The first chapters are something of an historical review and in our portion for today, 4:32-49, we find Moses completing that preparatory account with a summary of things to guide or demonstrate God's direction for His people. We outline the section like this:

4:22-40....a reminder of God'choosing and working in behalf of His people

4:41-43....the detail of refuge cities in Trans Jordan

4:44-49....a repetition of the introductory concepts of chapter 1..."This is the Law..."

II. Discussion

4:32.....Israel is challenged to look back and see if any work like this has been done before...they have been uniquely blessed.

4:33.....a summary of the spiritual experiences

4:34.....with a memorializing note on all God has done

4:35-36.God's personal intervention

4:37...."because He loved"..no rationale is given for this..there is no explanation..it is just a fact. His love led to two key acts: He chose, He brought