MObedience MOmentum Book of Deuteronomy Part 6

2 Mo Witnesses! Deuteronomy 31 Pastor Miles McPherson - December 2-3, 2006 Memory Verse - Romans 1:20

Ancient Treaty Format

Prologue - I have been a good God to you. (Deut. 1-3)

Stipulations - You need to obey me. (Deut. 4-26)

Document clause - Do not forget to study the rules. (Deut. 27)

Blessings and Curses - "What if" scenarios. (Deut. 28)

List of Witnesses: I have <u>witnesses</u> to this agreement.

Recapitulations - Final summary and warning. (Deut. 29-30)

A good witness:

Guarantees of the <u>accuracy</u> of an event.

Adds value to the ______ finding process of the case.

Cannot be impeached or ______ discredited ______

Is willing to ______ for the sake of the cause.

Two witnesses are the standard. (Deuteronomy 17:5-6, John 8:17-18, 1 Timothy 5:19)

Multiple uses of heaven and earth as witnesses: Deuteronomy 4:25-26, 30:19-20, 31:19-29, Romans 1:20

Therefore	e, <u>conf</u>	ront	_your obs	tacles with confidence	ee.
A. You	are a good witn	ess to your	trust in Goo	l's power when you fe	earless
	follow	Him into	the imposs	sible.	
	nd earth are w			-	<u>.</u>
Therefore	e, stop worryin	g that He v	von't prov	ide for your needs.	
A. You	are a good witn	ess of His c	ommitment	t to provide when you	are
	generous	with what	at you have		
3. Heaven a	nd earth are w	itnesses to	God's cons	stant	
				ou are never alone.	
A. You	are a good with	ess of His p	resence wh	en you display	
	confidence	-			

Homework: This week take notice of how the heavens and the earth bear witness to God in your life. Ask God to reveal His invisible attributes to you through them.

Extra credit: Read Matthew 5:10, Acts 7, Acts 14:19-20, 2 Corinthians 11:20-29, and Hebrews 11:32-38. Write a one sentence description of what these witnesses had in common with each other. Then apply it to one situation in your life where you are not being a good witness and write out what you now need to do based on your reading.

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