

DIVINE DISCONTENT: Turning Change Into Kingdom Advance

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Joshua 14:12

Dissatisfaction can either make us bitter or better. When fuelled by hurt or offence, it becomes destructive. But when fuelled by God's promises, it becomes a holy discontent that drives us toward His purpose.

Caleb refused to settle. At eighty-five years old, he was still pursuing God's promise with passion and faith. His cry was, "Give me this mountain!"

1. **SEEK GOD'S PERSPECTIVE**

Psalms 61:2 – "When my heart is overwhelmed; lead me to the rock that is higher than I."

When change creates pressure, don't panic—pray. Before making decisions, seek God's presence and godly counsel.

Many see problems; people of faith seek God's perspective. What appears to be an interruption may be God's invitation into a new season.

2. **EMBRACE GOD'S PROCESS** (2 Kings 7:3-4)

The four lepers refused to remain stuck. They assessed their options and moved forward.

God often brings change through new opportunities, new lessons, and new steps of faith. Stay teachable, flexible, and responsive to the Holy Spirit. The Spirit is always moving. Those who move with Him continue to grow.

3. **KEEP YOUR HEART RIGHT**

Romans 8:28 – "All things work together for good to those who love God."

Joseph reached his destiny because he refused bitterness.

Don't waste energy assigning blame. Trust God's purpose. Choose gratitude over grumbling and faith over frustration.

1 Thessalonians 5:18 – "In everything give thanks..."

A thankful heart sees opportunities where others only see obstacles.

What changes should you be making today?

- What promise of God should shape your response?
- What attitude needs to change?
- What step of faith is the Holy Spirit asking you to take?

God has not called you to be a thermometer that reflects the atmosphere, but a thermostat that changes it.

Like Caleb, refuse comfort, complacency, and fear. Rise, declare and seize it: "Give me this mountain!"