

Exodus 6:20

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

And Amram took him Jochebed his father's sister to wife; and she bare him Aaron and Moses: and the years of the life of Amram were an hundred and thirty and seven years.

Analysis

Verse 20 continues the covenantal reaffirmation. God's sevenfold promise ('I will bring out, deliver, redeem, take, be your God, bring in, give') comprehensively describes salvation from multiple angles, foreshadowing the gospel's complete deliverance.

Historical Context

Ancient Near Eastern covenant formulas used repetitive structures to emphasize commitment. The detailed promises in verses 4-20 establish the legal and relational foundation for the Exodus.

Related Passages

Romans 10:9 — Confession and belief for salvation

Ephesians 2:8 — Salvation by grace through faith

Romans 1:17 — The righteous shall live by faith

James 2:17 — Faith and works

Study Questions

1. Which aspect of God's comprehensive salvation most speaks to your need?
2. How does this covenant structure foreshadow Christ's redemption?

Interlinear Text

לְאַשְׁר	ה	לִזְ	וְ	לְדִתּוֹ	לְאַשְׁר	ה	לִזְ	וְ	לְדִתּוֹ
took	And Amram	H853	וַיַּקְרֵב	בְּדַעַת	וַיַּקְרֵב	בְּדַעַת	וְ	לְאַשְׁר	ה
H3947	H6019		וַיַּקְרֵב	בְּדַעַת	וַיַּקְרֵב	בְּדַעַת	וְ	לְאַשְׁר	ה
and she bare	him Aaron	H175	וְ	אֶת	אֶת	וְ	אֶת	אֶת	וְ
H3205	H853		וְ	אֶת	אֶת	וְ	אֶת	אֶת	וְ
and Moses	and the years	H4872	מֵשֶׁה	ה	וְ	שְׁנָה	וְ	שְׁנָה	וְ
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of the life		H2416	וְ	שְׁנָה	וְ	שְׁנָה	וְ	שְׁנָה	וְ
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And Amram	and seven	H7651	וְ	שְׁלֹשׁ	יָמִים	וְ	מֵא	תִּשְׁעָה	וְ
H6019			וְ	שְׁלֹשׁ	יָמִים	וְ	מֵא	תִּשְׁעָה	וְ
			וְ	שְׁלֹשׁ	יָמִים	וְ	מֵא	תִּשְׁעָה	וְ
			וְ	שְׁלֹשׁ	יָמִים	וְ	מֵא	תִּשְׁעָה	וְ

Additional Cross-References

Numbers 26:59 (References Moses): And the name of Amram's wife was Jochebed, the daughter of Levi, whom her mother bare to Levi in Egypt: and she bare unto Amram Aaron and Moses, and Miriam their sister.

Exodus 6:16 (Parallel theme): And these are the names of the sons of Levi according to their generations; Gershon, and Kohath, and Merari: and the years of the life of Levi were an hundred thirty and seven years.

Exodus 6:18 (Parallel theme): And the sons of Kohath; Amram, and Izhar, and Hebron, and Uzziel: and the years of the life of Kohath were an hundred thirty and three years.