

Exodus 6:23

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

And Aaron took him Elisheba, daughter of Amminadab, sister of Naashon, to wife; and she bare him Nadab, and Abihu, Eleazar, and Ithamar.

Analysis

Verse 23 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 4-23 establish the legal and relational foundation for the Exodus.

Related Passages

John 15:13 — Greatest form of love

1 John 4:8 — God is love

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

וָקַח	וְאֶהֱרָן	אֶת	אֶלִישֶׁבַע	בִּת	עַמִּינָדָב	וְאֵת
took	And Aaron	H853	him Elisheba	daughter	of Amminadab	sister
H3947	H175		H472	H1323	H5992	H269
וְנָחֲשֹׁן	לִוְ	לְאִשָּׁה	וְהָיָה	לִוְ	אֶת	נָדָב
of Naashon	H0	to wife	and she bare	H0	H853	him Nadab
H5177		H802	H3205			H5070
וְאִיְתָמָר	אֶת	אֶלְעָזָר	וְאֶת	אֲבִיהּ		
and Ithamar	H853	Eleazar	H853	and Abihu		
H385		H499		H30		

Additional Cross-References

Numbers 2:3 (Parallel theme): And on the east side toward the rising of the sun shall they of the standard of the camp of Judah pitch throughout their armies: and Nahshon the son of Amminadab shall be captain of the children of Judah.

1 Chronicles 6:3 (Parallel theme): And the children of Amram; Aaron, and Moses, and Miriam. The sons also of Aaron; Nadab, and Abihu, Eleazar, and Ithamar.

1 Chronicles 2:10 (Parallel theme): And Ram begat Amminadab; and Amminadab begat Nahshon, prince of the children of Judah;

Numbers 1:7 (Parallel theme): Of Judah; Nahshon the son of Amminadab.

Matthew 1:4 (Parallel theme): And Aram begat Aminadab; and Aminadab begat Naasson; and Naasson begat Salmon;

Exodus 24:1 (Parallel theme): And he said unto Moses, Come up unto the LORD, thou, and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel; and worship ye afar off.

Exodus 24:9 (Parallel theme): Then went up Moses, and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel:

Numbers 20:25 (Parallel theme): Take Aaron and Eleazar his son, and bring them up unto mount Hor:

