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Timeless vital truths with Pastor Andrew Adeleke

ARE YOU READY FOR AN UPGRADE?

In Genesis 47:15-20, the people of Egypt and Canaan were in dire need, their money had finished, they had used it all to pay for food which had become very scarce. The Bible says, there came a time when all their money had finished and they went to Joseph and said, give us food or do you want us to die? Our money is used up. Joseph asked them to bring their livestock instead in exchange for food, and they brought him sheep, goat, cattle, donkey etc. However they soon ran out of these also, then they negotiated with their land and Joseph ended up acquiring all the land in Egypt for Pharaoh in exchange for food.

This extraordinary story is the greatest evidence you need that God can prosper you regardless of societal economic conditions. The children of Israel and the Egyptians were under the same system; weather and government, but the difference was very clear. Genesis 47:27-28 said *"Now the Israelites settled in Egypt in the region of Goshen. They acquired property there and were fruitful and increased greatly in number. Jacob lived in Egypt seventeen years, and the years of his life were a hundred and forty-seven."*

The Egyptians ran out of money, meaning that money can fail; they became beggars mortgaging their life and properties, just to get the next meal. Joseph had the solution to their problem and hence acquired riches. I pray that God will give you the mystery that will upgrade you. Joseph, who came to Egypt as a prisoner now ended up buying the whole land. He was upgraded from a captive to a deliverer

The Children of Egypt became slaves in their own land; Genesis 47:23-25 *"Joseph said to the people, "Now that I have bought you and your land today for Pharaoh, here is seed for you so you can plant the ground. But when the crop comes in, give a fifth of it to Pharaoh. The other four-fifths you may keep as seed for the fields and as food for yourselves and your households and your children." "You have saved our lives," they said. "May we find favour in the eyes of our lord; we will be in bondage to Pharaoh." They gave up their freedom without thinking twice, forgetting that this was a land*

where they were born and bred. They became slaves. In contrast however, the children of Israel, through their affiliation to Joseph prospered in the land.

The main reason why the children of Israel prospered was because of the covenant God has with Abraham, Genesis 15:18 *"On that day the Lord made a covenant with Abram and said, "To your descendants I give this land, from the river of Egypt to the great river, the Euphrates." This covenant sustained the children of Israel in Egypt, and as a seed of Abraham yourself; this same covenant can sustain you today if you recognise it. Acts 3:25 says we are the children of the prophets and the covenants which God has made with our fathers.*

God has given you all the ingredients you need to succeed, he has given you the power to make wealth, and the wealth He gives is bereft of sorrow. Recognise it! You can make it in this same land. Remember the children of Israel prospered in Egypt whilst everyone around them sold their soul to live. God can give you a mystery that will buy you wealth like Joseph did with the whole of Egypt and Canaan. Connect with God today and recognise the covenant he has made with your father.

God is ready to upgrade you. Are you ready for it?

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