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night **OF** joy

unlimited expansion

Expansion means for one to leave his current state and move to another level. In **Chronicles 4:9-10**. God granted the request of Jabez and changed his story basically because he asked with a strong desire and believed God could change his story and his name which meant sorrow can be changed to something else. The bible recorded that God enlarged his coast. Becoming successful in life and destiny is not about physical strength.

Saul and Jonathan were recorded to be swifter than eagles and stronger than a Lion. An eagle is the swiftest of birds and a Lion is the strongest of animals, anyone who is stronger than a Lion and swifter than an eagle is super human. However both Saul and Jonathan died in battle. The one that survived them is the one the Lord's mercy has preserved. What is it then? The Bible said the battle is not to the strong nor race to the swift, but he that lord showeth mercy. God showed David mercy and despite the fact that Saul and Jonathan were strong and swift, David survived them.

You can be more honourable than your brethren; you can be above the rest. In **Gen 1:26**; God commanded man to have dominion over all creation. This is a commandment; hence by not having dominion, we are actually disobeying God and living below the standard he has set for us. The bible said God can do exceedingly above all we can

think or desire, many of us have been desiring and desiring, but we are not thinking, hence we are not entering into the inheritance God has planned for us. God wants us to expand our imaginations: **Isaiah 54:1-2**. The Lord wants us to enlarge the place of our habitations and see with His eyes and not our own. It is until we begin to see as God sees that we can expand.

There are three major Agents of Expansion.

1. **GOD**
2. **YOURSELF**
3. **OTHER PEOPLE**

GOD: Heb 3:4 - for every House is built by some man, but He that built all things is God. If God does not allow it, it cannot be done. Hence you must get right with God; any man who is successful today is so because God has allowed Him to be so for one reason or the other. Can God trust you with His treasures? God is the principal factor.

YOU: Every man must know his purpose for living. Without this, you will be lost. You must then have a strong desire to make it. **Mark 11:24** -Therefore I say, whatsoever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them and ye shall have them. Therefore:

- A. Desire it
- B. Find it in the word, look for a place in the bible where God has promised you what you want and use it to pray; Psalm 115:4, Job 8:7, Psalm 71:71, Daniel 9:2. Everything God has promised you is in the book.
- C. Pray authoritatively: Matthew 18:18, Matthew 16:18. Pray with passion, pray with focus and pray and refuse to take no for an answer.
- D. Deal with all hindrances to your expansion, sin, laziness, too much sleep. Expand your capacity.
- E. Listen To the word of God only. Don't listen to people who say it cannot be done. Do not give up your dream for anybody.
- F. Activate the hand of God through sacrifice. Fire does not fall on an empty altar. Solomon sacrificed and provoked God to asking him what he wants.

Make a move of faith TODAY! Do something about it. 2Kings 7:4-7

OTHER PEOPLE: You need destiny connectors in your life. Jonathan helped David become King. Luke was following Paul around and helped him record most of his exploits. Your destiny connectors help you fulfil your destiny. They don't compete with you. They are excited at your growth. Find yours today prayerfully.