

**Persevering and Advancing in the Land**  
**Joshua 14:6-15; 15:13-19**

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**1. Perseverance.**

- a. God's people can only persevere by consciously trusting in God's \_\_\_\_\_.

*"Those that live by faith value that which is given by \_\_\_\_\_ far above that which is given by providence only." - Matthew Henry*

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_ circumstances will not derail you.

- 2) Opposition from the \_\_\_\_\_ will not overwhelm you.

- b. God's people can only persevere because \_\_\_\_\_ is with them.

*"(Caleb's) faith looks upon a faithful, almighty God, who delights to surprise His people with His goodness. This \_\_\_\_\_ loves to venture itself on such a God." - Dale Ralph Davis*

- c. God's people can only persevere in fellowship with other \_\_\_\_\_.

**2. Advancement.**

- a. God's people advance when they realize that they are in the \_\_\_\_\_ of God's kingdom work that spans all generations and all nations.

*"The true churches of Jesus Christ travail in birth for the salvation of men. They are the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Lamb, the grand object of whose existence is to extend the Redeemer's kingdom." - Andrew Fuller*

- b. God's people advance as they both \_\_\_\_\_ and are encouraged by one another.

- c. God's people advance as their \_\_\_\_\_ accept the challenge, to be meaningful contributors to the kingdom of God.