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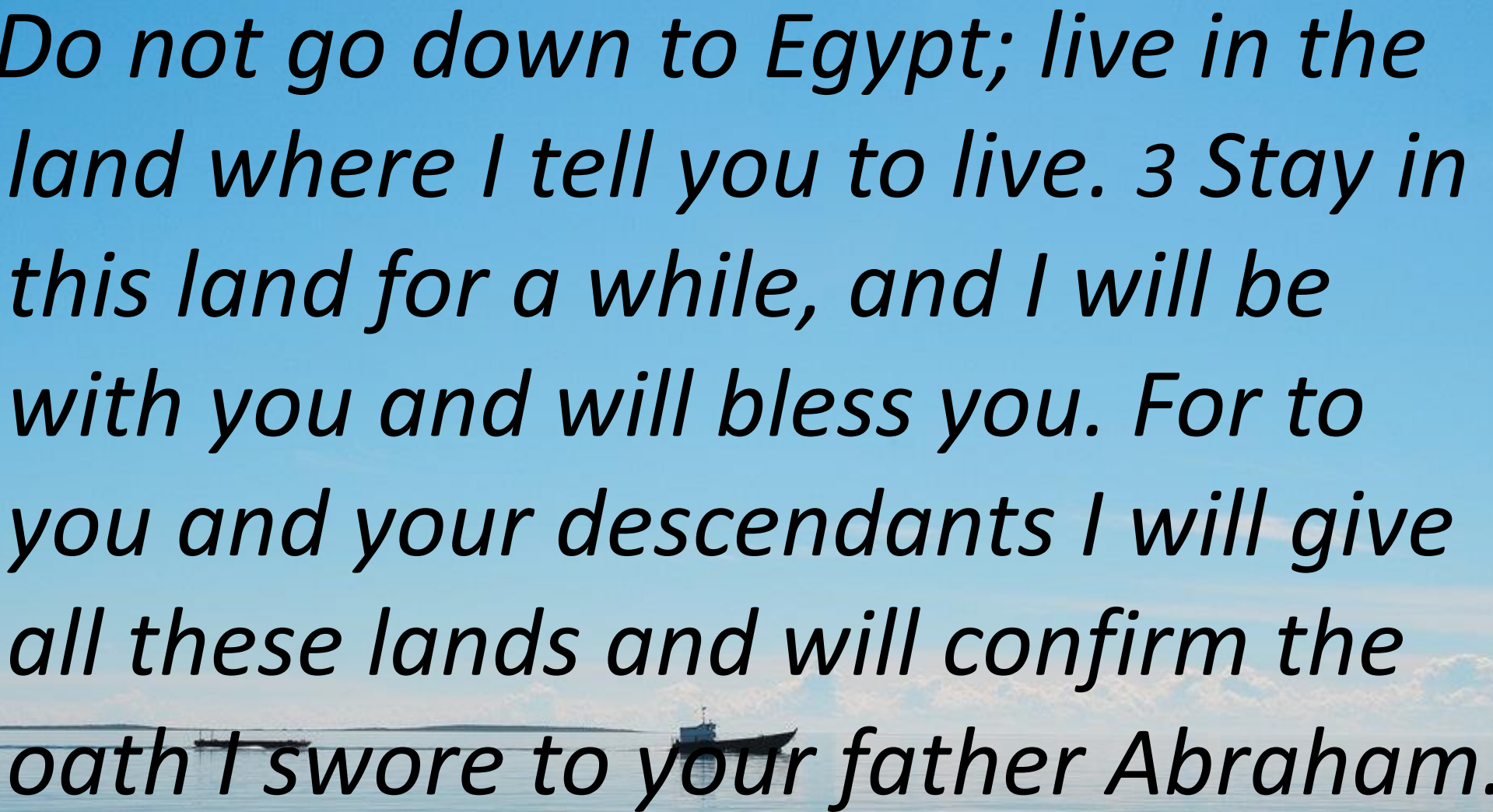
I will make you into a great nation, and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you.”

Genesis 12:2-3



*Now there was a famine in the land—  
besides the previous famine in  
Abraham's time—and Isaac went to  
Abimelek king of the Philistines in  
Gerar. 2 The Lord appeared to Isaac  
and said,*

Genesis 26:1–6



*Do not go down to Egypt; live in the land where I tell you to live. 3 Stay in this land for a while, and I will be with you and will bless you. For to you and your descendants I will give all these lands and will confirm the oath I swore to your father Abraham.*

Genesis 26:1-6



*I will make your descendants as  
numerous as the stars in the sky  
and will give them all these lands,  
and through your offspring[a] all  
nations on earth will be blessed,*

Genesis 26:1-6

*because Abraham obeyed me  
and did everything I required of  
him, keeping my commands, my  
decrees and my instructions.” 6 So  
Isaac stayed in Gerar.*

Genesis 26:1-6



*When the men of that place asked him about his wife, he said, “She is my sister,” because he was afraid to say, “She is my wife.” He thought, “The men of this place might kill me on account of Rebekah, because she is beautiful.”*

Genesis 26:7



*When Isaac had been there a long time, Abimelek king of the Philistines looked down from a window and saw Isaac caressing his wife Rebekah. <sup>9</sup> So Abimelek summoned Isaac and said, “She is really our wife! Why did you say, ‘She is my sister’?”*

Genesis 26:8–16

Isaac answered him, "Because I thought I might lose my life on account of her."  
Then Abimelek said, "What is this you have done to us? One of the men might well have slept with your wife, and you would have brought guilt upon us."

Genesis 26:8-16

*1 So Abimelek gave orders to all the people: “Anyone who harms this man or his wife shall surely be put to death.”*

*2 Isaac planted crops in that land and the same year reaped a hundredfold, because the LORD blessed him.*

Genesis 26:8–16



*13 The man became rich, and his wealth continued to grow until he became very wealthy. 14 He had so many flocks and herds and servants that the Philistines envied him.*

Genesis 26:8-16

*5 So all the wells that his father's servants  
had dug in the time of his father Abraham  
the Philistines stopped up, filling them  
with earth.*

*6 Then Abimelek said to Isaac, "Move  
away from us; you have become too  
powerful for us."*

Genesis 26:8-16



‘The Lord, the Lord, the  
compassionate and gracious God,  
slow to anger, abounding in love and  
faithfulness, maintaining love to  
thousands, and forgiving wickedness,  
rebellion and sin.’”

Exodus 34:5-6



DO NOT BE AFRAID,  
FOR I AM WITH YOU

GENESIS 26:24

