The Promise of His Presence

Various Texts

Hebrews 13:5

"Let your conversation [manner of living] be without covetousness; and be content with such things as ye have: for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee."

1. You just want to run and hide.

Genesis 28:15

"And, behold, I am with thee, and will keep thee in all places whither thou goest, ... for I will not leave thee, until I have done that which I have spoken to thee of."

- 1. You just want to run and hide.
- 2. You're afraid because the opposition is overwhelming.

Deuteronomy 31:6

"Be strong and of a good courage, fear not, nor be afraid of them: for the LORD thy God, he it is that doth go with thee; he will not fail thee, nor forsake thee."

- 1. You just want to run and hide.
- 2. You're afraid because the opposition is overwhelming.
- 3. You're anxious because you feel inadequate and inferior.

Joshua 1:5

"There shall not any man be able to stand before thee all the days of thy life: as I was with Moses, so I will be with thee: I will not fail thee, nor forsake thee."

- 3. You're anxious because you feel inadequate and inferior.
- 4. You need to take a step of faith, but you're tempted to delay.

1 Chronicles 28:20

"... Be strong and of good courage, and do it: fear not, nor be dismayed: for the LORD God, even my God, will be with thee; he will not fail thee, nor forsake thee, ..."

- 4. You need to take a step of faith, but you're tempted to delay.
- 5. You find that it's costly to follow Jesus.

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