

The **Big** Story Of The Bible

Finding Jesus In The Old Testament

Part 8: The Prayer Of Jabez

Changing A Life & The World

The descendants of Adam were Seth, Enosh, Kenan, Mahalalel, Jared, Enoch, Methuselah, Lamech, and Noah. 1 Chronicles 1:1-4 (NLT)

There was a man named Jabez who was more honorable than any of his brothers. His mother named him Jabez because his birth had been so painful. He was the one who prayed to the God of Israel, "Oh, that you would bless me and expand my territory! Please be with me in all that I do, and keep me from all trouble and pain!" And God granted him his request. 1 Chronicles 4:9-10 (NLT)

3 Keys To A "Blessed" Life:

1. You Need A Great _____.

* He was the one who prayed to the God of Israel, "Oh, that you would bless me and expand my territory!" 1 Chronicles 4:9-10 (NLT)

2. You Need A Growing _____.

* Please be with me in all that I do... 1 Chronicles 4:10 (NLT)

* Take delight in the Lord, and he will give you your heart's desires. Commit everything you do to the Lord. Trust him, and he will help you. Psalm 37:4 (NLT)

3. You Need To _____.

* Oh, that you would bless me and expand my territory! Please be with me in all that I do, and keep me from all trouble and pain!
1 Chronicles 4:9-10 (NLT)

*** Keep on asking, and you will receive what you ask for. Keep on seeking, and you will find. Keep on knocking, and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks, receives. Everyone who seeks, finds. And to everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Matthew 7:7-8 (NLT)**

Jabez asked for God's power, God's presence & God's protection.

**And God granted him his request.
1 Chronicles 4:10 (NLT)**

Next Week's Reading:

The Tower Of Babel: Genesis Chapter 11

-or-

**The Jesus Storybook Bible Chapter 4
A Staircase To Heaven**

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