

**"Standing on  
the Promises"  
Genesis 23**

**Introduction**

**1 Peter 4:12**

## **I. We Experience Hard Times Because of Our Sin (23:1-4)**

**A. Romans 6:23**

**B. Romans 3:23**

**C. It is ok not to be ok.**

**It's just not ok to stay that way.**

**D. 1 Thessalonians 4:13**

**E. Where will you turn when the hard  
times come?**

## **II. We Endure Hard Times by Standing on the Promises of God (23:5-20)**

**A. Genesis 12:7**

**B. "While they themselves were  
silent (in death)... the sepulcher cried  
aloud, that death formed no obstacle  
to their entering in possession of it."**

**- John Calvin**

## **II. We Endure Hard Times by Standing on the Promises of God (23:5-20)**

**C. Ephesians 1:13-14**

**D. 2 Corinthians 1:22**

**E. Romans 8:12-39**

**F. 2 Corinthians 5:8**

**G. Hebrews 13:5**

**H. Philippians 4:13**

**I. Phillipians 4:19**

**J. Isaiah 41:10**

### **Conclusion**

**Hebrews 11:9-16**