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that of your
descendants
forever, because
you wholeheartedly
followed the Lord
my God.'

Joshua 14:9



Volunteer Highlight: Angelita

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What keeps us from our dreams?

A promised-life person

Has a courageous spirit

Not a slave

So the Egyptians made the Israelites their slaves...crushing labor... without mercy. They made their lives bitter...They were ruthless in all their demands...the Lord brought us out of Egypt, the place of our slavery. Exodus 1:11,13,14, 13:14

I am loved by God

..."Let's go at once to take the land," he said. "We can certainly conquer it!" ... "The land we traveled through... is a wonderful land!...the Lord...will bring us safely into that land and give it to us. It is a rich land...don't be afraid of the people of the land. They are only helpless prey to us! They have no protection, but the Lord is with us!..." But the whole community began to talk about stoning Joshua and Caleb... Numbers 13:30, 14:7-10

Embraces God's promises and dreams

"I was **forty years old** when Moses, the servant of the Lord, sent me from Kadesh-barnea to explore the land of Canaan. I returned and gave an honest report...So that day Moses solemnly **promised me**, 'The land of Canaan on which you were just walking will be your grant of land and that of your descendants forever, because you **wholeheartedly** followed the Lord my God.'" Joshua 14:7,9

A promised-life person (cont.)

Doesn't quit...perseveres

Trusted in God's timing

"Now, as you can see, the Lord has kept me alive and well as he promised for all these **forty-five** years since Moses made this promise-even while Israel wandered in the wilderness. Today I am **eighty-five** years old." Joshua 14:10

Practical faith

"I am as strong now as I was when Moses sent me on that journey, and I can still travel and fight as well as I could then." Joshua 14:11

Older and wiser

"I am as strong now as I was when Moses sent me..." Joshua 14:11

Lives with purpose

Purpose your whole life

"So give me the **hill country** that the Lord promised me. You will remember that as scouts we found the descendants of **Anak** living there in great, **walled** towns. But if the Lord is with me, **I will drive** them out of the land, just as the Lord said." Joshua 14:12

Whole-hearted follower

...he wholeheartedly followed the Lord... Joshua 14:14

Go together

A **delegation** from the tribe of Judah, led by Caleb...came to Joshua at Gilgal..."Remember what the Lord said..." Joshua 14:6

What is keeping you from your dream?

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