Title: A Conditional Promise

Title: (2 Chron 7:14)

(2 Chron 6:23) Solomon asks God a series of?

- (2 Chron 7:1-3) God's approval seen as fire
- (2 Chron 7:4-7) Solomon's solemn sacrifice.
- (2 Chron 7:8-11) Solomon kept the feast of dedication
- (2 Chron 7:12-22) God appears to Solomon (Pestilence)

PROPOSITION: (2 Chron 7:14)

I. "IF" - 1 of the most powerful words in the bible. Many of God's promises are "Conditional" Promises. (1 Jn 1:7, 9) If we walk in the light, the blood cleanses (Jn 15:7) If ye abide in me, you shall ask, it shall be (Jam 4:8) Draw nigh to God, & He will draw high 2U (Mk 9:23) If thou canst believe, all things are possible Jn 11:40) If you believe you shall see the glory of God (Rom 10:9) That IF THOU shalt confess with thy ...

Deity responds to Humanity's choices: (Ex 19:5-6) **Choosing requires FAITH** – (Heb 11:1, 6, 8)

II. If "my people" - Kinship=Family
How did you become His Person? (1 Jn 5:1) (Jn 3:36)

III. "called by my name," (Lk 9:23)
Baptism is US Identifying with GOD's Name!

It is a Requirement to be His disciple. (Lk 14:27) Christans 1st @ Antioch ~ Christ-Like: (Acts 11:26)

IV. <u>Shall Humble Themselves</u>: (Ex 5:1-2) Pharaoh's response to God's command. The source of Willfulness/Stubbornness is PRIDE! (Ps 10:4) (Prov 13:10)

V. and pray, and seek my face: (Luke 18:1-8) (Is 44:3) R U Thirsty? (Heb 11:6) Rewards those that seek Him

We are to Pray persistently! (Neh 1:1-2:1) (Matt 17:14-21) *THIS KIND:* prayer & fasting.

We are to Seek God's Face! (I Chron 16:11) (Psalm 105:4) (Acts 17:27)

VI. and turn from their wicked ways; (Gal 5:16-17) (Rom 12:1)

VII. Then will I hear from heaven: (Is 59:1-2)

VIII. Then: forgive their sin & will heal their land. (Prov 3:1-10) (Gal 6:7-9)