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2. Like Abraham, the Promise of the Gospel enables us to both _____ and _____ as we face the tough stuff of life.

*By faith he lived as an alien in the land of promise,
as in a foreign land, dwelling in tents with Isaac and Jacob,
fellow heirs of the same promise . . .*

*All these died in faith, without receiving the promises,
but having seen them and having welcomed them from a distance, and
having confessed that they were
strangers and exiles on the earth.*

--Hebrews 11:9, 13

3. Like Abraham, the Promise of the Gospel makes us _____ in this world.

*And if you belong to Christ,
then you are Abraham's descendants,
heirs according to promise.*

--Galatians 3:29

1. Like Abraham, the Promise of the Gospel challenges us to _____ for _____ beyond our own lives here and now.

*With respect to the promise of God,
Abraham did not waver in unbelief but grew strong in faith,
giving glory to God,
and being fully assured that what God had promised,
He was able also to perform.*

--Romans 4:20-21