

**Luke 1:5-7.** In the time of Herod king of Judea there was a priest named Zechariah, who belonged to the priestly division of Abijah; his wife Elizabeth was also a descendant of Aaron. Both of them were righteous in the sight of God, observing all the Lord's commands and decrees blamelessly. But they were childless because Elizabeth was not able to conceive, and they were both well advanced in years.

**Duet. 28: (1)** If you fully obey the Lord your God and carefully follow all this commands I give you today...(4) the fruit of your womb will be blessed...(11) The Lord will grant you abundant prosperity – in the fruit of your womb, the young of your livestock and the crops of your ground... (15)However, if you do not obey the Lord your God...(18) The fruit of your womb will be cursed...

**Acts 16: 31** Believe in the Lord Jesus  
and you shall be saved — you and  
your household.

**1. Make Sure You Haven't Misinterpreted a Biblical Promise**

**2. Understand the Hyperbole of the Bible**

**Prov 22:6.** Start children off (= train children right) on the way they should go, and even when they are old they will not turn from it.

**Mt 21:22.** If you believe, you will receive whatever you ask in prayer.

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- 2. Understand the Hyperbole of the Bible**
- 3. Believe in the possibility of miracles.**
- 4. Keep your eyes fixed on Jesus**

**2 Cor. 1:20.** “No matter how many promises God has made, they are “Yes” in Christ. And so through him the “Amen” is spoken by us to the glory of God.”