

## Tithe

- Deut 26 is the first record of God's command to Israel to tithe
- God instructed the people that upon entering the land He'd promised, they were to take a tithe of all their increase/produce and present it to the priest in the house of God's dwelling;
- Then the priest was to declare, before the Lord, all that the Lord had done for them;
  
- So we like the Israelites have been delivered from one kingdom to another and also bare the command to tithe.
- They from Egypt to the promise land, of abundant provision,
- We from the kingdom of darkness, to the kingdom of light in Jesus.
- They presented their tithe to the priest, who in turn presented it to God
- We present our tithe to The High Priest Jesus
  
- Before you give your tithe, take the time to stop, hold the tithe in your hand and pray.....
  
- Father may the word of our mouths and the meditation of our heart be acceptable in Your sight, as.....
  
- We declare this day to the Lord Our God that we have come into the inheritance which the Lord swore to give us. We are in the land which You have provided for us in Jesus Christ, the kingdom of Almighty God. We were sinners serving Satan, he was our god. But we called upon the Name of Jesus and You heard our cry and delivered us from the power and authority of darkness and translated us into the kingdom of Your dear Son.
  
- Jesus You are our Lord and High Priest, we bring the first fruits of our incomes, the tithe, to You and worship the Lord our God with them. We rejoice in and thank you for all the good which you have given to us and our households. We have heard Your voice and done according to all that He have commanded us. Now in the Name of Jesus we ask that You look down from heaven and bless us as You have said in Your Word.  
Malachi 3:10-11