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 - b. Flee evil
 - c. Be spiritually restored
 - d. Honor the Lord with all you have
4. Enjoy the blessings

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2nd They already knew that they were to go on a missionary journey

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