

D. Conclusion: There is no doubt as to where we are going but the path seems to have many turnings so be sure to follow His guidance...given with His eye...the omniscient program of God that we, being in the way, the Lord will lead us.

VI. Item # 5: We are Upheld by His Arm

Deuteronomy 33:26-29

There are some hermeneutical (matters of interpretation) that trouble us at times. It may be said this promise was given to Israel, how can we take it for ourselves? In historical context we cannot but in practical consideration we can in the light of the fact that God does not change! His merits are constant. Should that be perplexing to any in our audience, I will be glad to discuss it (really!) on a person to person basis. The promises of God must be seen in the light of historic occurrence but the character of God is not a changing thing from day to day or age to age. We will see Him upholding His people by His power in every age...and we will know that He does not weaken at any time.

A. The Reality

1. The arm is a great symbol of underlying power. Some key texts that show us this are
 - a. Exodus 6:6
 - b. Deuteronomy 4:34
 - c. 2 Kings 17:36
 - d. Psalm 4:3