



Memory & Hope

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Door of Hope

1878 first modern
agricultural settlement



A Door of Hope

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and bring her into the wilderness,
and speak tenderly to her.

And there I will give her her vineyards
and make the Valley of Achor a **door of hope**.

And there she shall answer as in the days of her youth,
as at the time when she came out of the land of Egypt...

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And I will betroth you to me forever. I will betroth you to me in righteousness and in justice, in steadfast love and in mercy. I will betroth you to me in faithfulness. And you shall know the Lord.”

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I will make the valley of Achor
a **door of hope** (Hos 2:15)

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The Valley of Achor/Trouble

The city and all that is in it are to be devoted to the LORD... But keep away from the devoted things, so that you will not bring about your own destruction by taking any of them. Otherwise you will make the camp of Israel liable to destruction and **bring trouble** on it. (Josh 6:17-18 NIV)

“Why did you **bring trouble** on us? The LORD **brings trouble** on you today” (7:25)

Therefore, the name of that place is called the **Valley of Achor/Trouble**. (7:26)

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Janus

Roman god of:

- transitions
- beginnings+endings
- doorways





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The Far Side



"Mr. Osborne, may I be excused?
My brain is full."



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Lest You Forget

Your eyes have seen what the LORD did...

See, I have taught you statutes and rules, as the LORD my God commanded me, that you should do them in the land that you are entering to take possession of it... Only **take care**, and keep your soul diligently, **lest you forget the things that your eyes have seen**, and lest they depart from your heart all the days of your life. **Make them known to your children and your children's children.**"

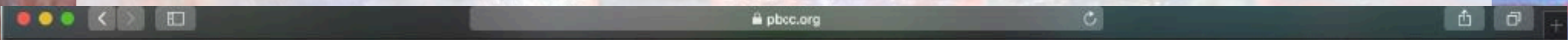
They did not know

And the people served the LORD all the days of Joshua, and all the days of the elders who outlived Joshua, who had seen all the great work that the LORD had done for Israel... And there arose another generation after them **who did not know the LORD or the work that he had done for Israel**. And the people of Israel did what was evil in the sight of the Lord and served the Baals. And they **abandoned the Lord**, the God of their fathers, **who had brought them out of the land of Egypt**.



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