

The God of Abraham Praise

Verse 2

His Spirit floweth free,
High surging where it will:
In prophet's word He spoke of old,
He speaketh still.
Established is His law,
And changeless it shall stand,
Deep writ upon the human heart,
On sea or land.

about this hymn:

Words: Daniel ben Judah Dayyan, Translated by Newton Mann Music: Meyer Lyon

Long ago, a man named Daniel ben Judah Dayyan was thinking about this Bible truth, too. He wrote this hymn based on an ancient Hebrew song of praise. He called it "The God of Abraham Praise." We're going to learn a verse from it.

God's Holy Spirit works powerfully, doing everything God wants Him to do. Long ago, in the days of the prophets, God's Spirit spoke His words to them, and then they spoke God's Words to the people. The prophets didn't just speak God's words. They also wrote them down in the Bible. God spoke different kinds of things to His people through the prophets. Sometimes God's words were laws He wanted His people to keep. Sometimes they were words of comfort or warning. Other times, they were words about the future. God's Holy Spirit helped the prophets say God's words just right...and He helped them write them down just right. Even now, we can read God's words that the prophets wrote down when we read the Bible. God can use them to "write" His truth deep upon our hearts. That is, He can use them to teach us His ways and how He wants us to live. He can use them to help us to know Him and obey Him.

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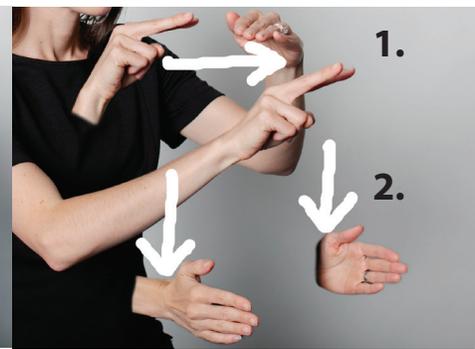
Spirit

Right "H" hand, palm facing left, slides from heel to fingertips of left flat hand, palm up. Then touch the thumbs and index fingers of both "T" hands to each other, right hand above left, palms facing each other. Draw hands apart in an upward motion.



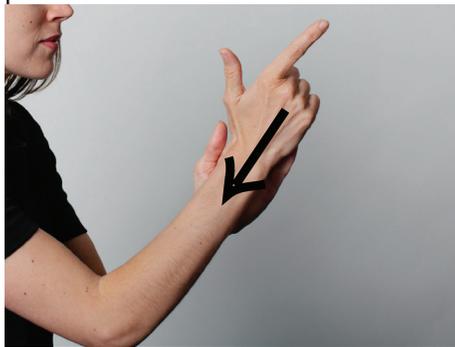
Will (Decides)

Touch forehead with right index finger, then bring both "F" hands down with palms facing each other.



Prophet

Right "V" fingers point and move outward under downturned flat hand held at face height. Then both flat hands, palms facing each other are moved down sides of body.



Law

Right "L" hand slides down the left hand, palms facing each other, fingers pointed up and out.



Spoke, Speaketh

Right index finger touches mouth then makes a small forward circle as it moves to point outward.



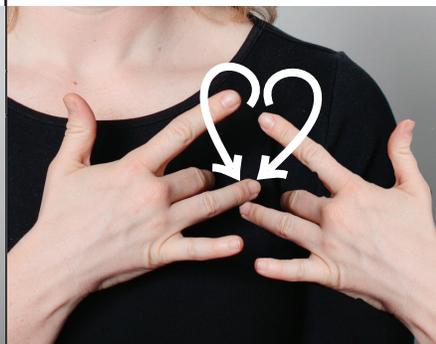
Established, Changeless, Stand

Pinky side of right "A" hand, thumb pointing up, is brought down firmly onto back of downturned left "S" hand.



Writ

Right index finger pretends to write on palm of upturned left flat hand.



Heart

Middle fingers are used to traced out the shape of a heart on upper left chest.



Sea

Touch mouth with index finger of right W hand a couple times (sign for water); Then move both hands forward in wavy motion.

I Will Raise Up

I will raise up, I will raise up,
I will raise up for them a prophet like you.
I will raise up, I will raise up,
I will raise up for them a prophet like you.

He will come from among their brothers,
I will put my words in his mouth,
And he will tell them everything I command him.
And whoever does not listen,
I will hold him accountable.

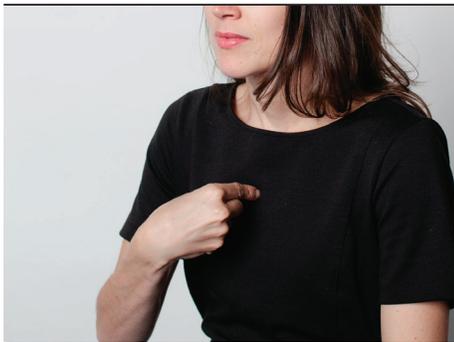
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Deuteronomy Eighteen, eighteen and nineteen.

about this Bible verse:

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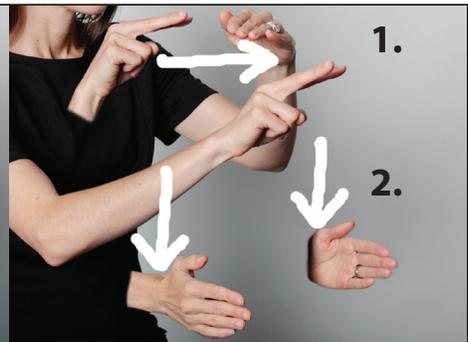
God tells us in His Word that He would raise up prophets to instruct the people. He used them to instruct the people in how they could be saved by trusting in Him. He used them to warn the people to turn back to Him when they kept on sinning against Him and to offer them forgiveness for their sins. The people were to obey the prophet's words because they were His words. God's people still read the words of the prophet's written in the Bible today. There are things that God wants them to still obey that He commanded through them, long ago.



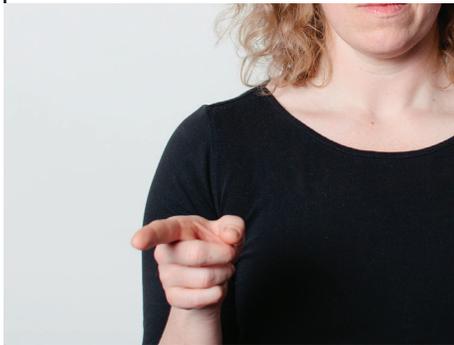
I
Point to self with right index finger.



Raise Up
Both upturned open hands held in front of body and lifted up in front of the face.



Prophet
Right "V" fingers point and move outward under downturned flat hand held at face height. Then both flat hands, palms facing each other are moved down sides of body.



He
Point right index finger forward.



Brothers
Right index finger starts at chin and strokes down throat, ending near base of neck.



Words
Tips of right index finger and thumb are held about an inch apart as they are brought to touch index finger of extended left index finger.



Command
Right "L" hand slides down the left hand, palms facing each other, fingers pointed up and out.



Listen
Right "D" hand is held in front of body, index finger pointing up and palm facing forward. Move it forward and down in a slight arc until the index finger points forward.



Hold Accountable
"P" hands, held side by side, make alternating forward circles.

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Em B Em Am B G Am E Am D G B Em D G C

1.The God of A-braham praise, All prais-ed be His name, Who was, and is, and
 2.His Spir - it flow - eth free, High surg-ing where it will: In proph-et's word He
 3.He hath e - ter - nal life Im - plant-ed in the soul; His love shall be our

6 G D7 Em C G D D7 G B7 Em G D B7(#5)

is to be, For aye the same! The one e - ter - nal God, Ere
 spoke of old, He speak - eth still. Es - tab-lished is His law, And
 strength and stay While a - ges roll. Praise to the liv - ing God! All

11 Em C G Am6 B Em B Em D

aught that now ap - pears; The First, the Last: be -
 change - less it shall stand, Deep writ up - on the
 prais - ed be His name, Who was and is, and

14 G Am Am B7(b9) Em B B7

yond all tho't, His time - less years!
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I will raise up! I will raise up! I will raise up for them a prophet like you. I will raise up! I will

6 Em Bm Em Bm F# Bm Em Bm

raise up! I will raise up for them a prophet like you! He will come from among their brothers

11 F# Bm Em Bm

I will put my words in his mouth, And he will tell them ev'ry-thing I command him, And who

15 Em F# ritard Em Bm

ev-er does not lis-ten I will hold him ac-count-a-ble. I will raise up! I will

19 Em Bm Em Bm F# Bm Em Bm Em Bm

raise up! I will raise up for them a prophet like you. I will raise up! I will raise up! I will

24 Em Bm F# Bm F# Bm

raise up for them a prophet like you! Deu-ter-on-o-my Eigh teen, eigh-teen and nine-teen.

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