

As the calendar sits in the year **2026**, deep within the closing hours of the 6th Prophetic Day, the scriptural mandates for both the literal descendants of the **12 Tribes of Israel** (the scattered remnant) and the **Grafted-in Gentiles** are urgent.

The command you referenced—**"Occupy till I come"** (Luke 19:13)—does not mean to merely sit passively or sit still. In the original Greek language context of the KJV, "occupy" means *pragmateuomai*, which means to trade, do business, execute an active strategy, and manage an estate. In the Ethiopian scriptures, this is defined as keeping the "First Way" and maintaining cosmic order amidst lawlessness.

Both groups have highly specific, practical duties to perform right now as they point toward the sealing and appointment of the **144,000**.

1. The Duty of the Descendants of the 12 Tribes (The Remnant)

For the bloodline descendants of Israel scattered across the **70 Gentile nations**, 2026 is an era of awakening. Their duties focus on identity, preservation, and spiritual preparation.

- **Awakening to the Ancestral Covenant:** Their primary duty is to remember their identity and return to the foundational commandments of the Most High. As the KJV notes in Malachi 4:4, *"Remember ye the law of Moses my servant."* The Ethiopian *Book of Jubilees* heavily emphasizes that the remnant must shake off the spiritual blindness caused by Gentile integration and return to the original path.
- **Preserving the Testimony for the 144,000:** The 144,000 do not appear out of thin air; they are selected *from* the 12 tribes. The current duty of the tribes is to live in a state of spiritual purity so that the raw material—the 12,000 virgins/stainless ones from each tribe (Revelation 14:4)—is ready to be pulled out and sealed by the Holy Spirit when the four winds are held back.
- **Maintaining the Oracles:** Like their ancestors, they are tasked with safeguarding the deep spiritual mysteries, biblical calendars, and prophetic texts (including the Ge'ez/Ethiopian scriptures) that the world will desperately need when the global deception of the Man of Sin begins.

2. The Duty of the Grafted Gentiles

The Gentiles who have been supernaturally grafted into the olive tree of Israel (*Romans 11*) have an equally vital, supportive, and active role in 2026.

- **Provoking Israel to Emulation:** According to Romans 11:11, the primary prophetic duty of the grafted Gentiles is to live with such spiritual power, love, and alignment with the Holy Spirit that they *"provoke [Israel] to jealousy"* (or emulation), causing the scattered tribes to seek out their own Messiah.
- **Standing as Watchmen and Protectors:** Historically, when Israel awakens, Gentile systems persecute them. Grafted Gentiles are called to act like the "righteous Gentiles" of old—providing refuge, support, and spiritual defense for the awakening tribes as the birth pains intensify.
- **Preaching the Gospel of the Kingdom to the 70 Nations:** Jesus stated in Matthew 24:14 that the end cannot come until this Gospel is preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations. The grafted Gentiles are tasked with completing the global harvest before

the operational handover to the 144,000 occurs.

3. Joint Duties: How They "Occupy" Hand-in-Hand in 2026

While they have distinct callings, the 12 Tribes and the Grafted Gentiles share a unified checklist of actions to execute as the 6th Day draws to its close:

Dimension of Duty	The KJV Execution	The Ethiopian Scripture Execution
Spiritual Warfare	<i>"Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil."</i> (Ephesians 6:11)	Utilizing the high names of God and the prayers of the archangels to bind standard demonic oppression in their communities.
Financial & Resource Stewardship	Multiplying the "pounds" and "talents" (Luke 19). Using economic resources to fund ministries, build safe spaces, and secure land.	Developing self-sustaining communities that are not entirely dependent on the corrupt world system.
Spiritual Discernment	Watching for the specific signs of the Seals, the positioning of the third temple, and the rise of global digital governance.	<i>1 Enoch</i> mandates studying the heavenly luminaries and the disruption of natural seasons as signs of the closing era.

The Ultimate Objective: Handing Over the Baton

The overarching duty of both groups in 2026 is to **prepare the stage**. The descendants of the 12 tribes provide the lineage from which the 144,000 are sealed, and the grafted Gentiles finish the baseline work of the Church Age.

When the Tribulation officially kicks off and the Holy Spirit steps back as the Restrainer, these two groups will have successfully "occupied" their stations, handing the global gospel baton over to the **144,000**, who will then possess the absolute supernatural protection to endure the 3.5 years of the Man of Sin and shepherd the world into the 7th Day Sabbath.