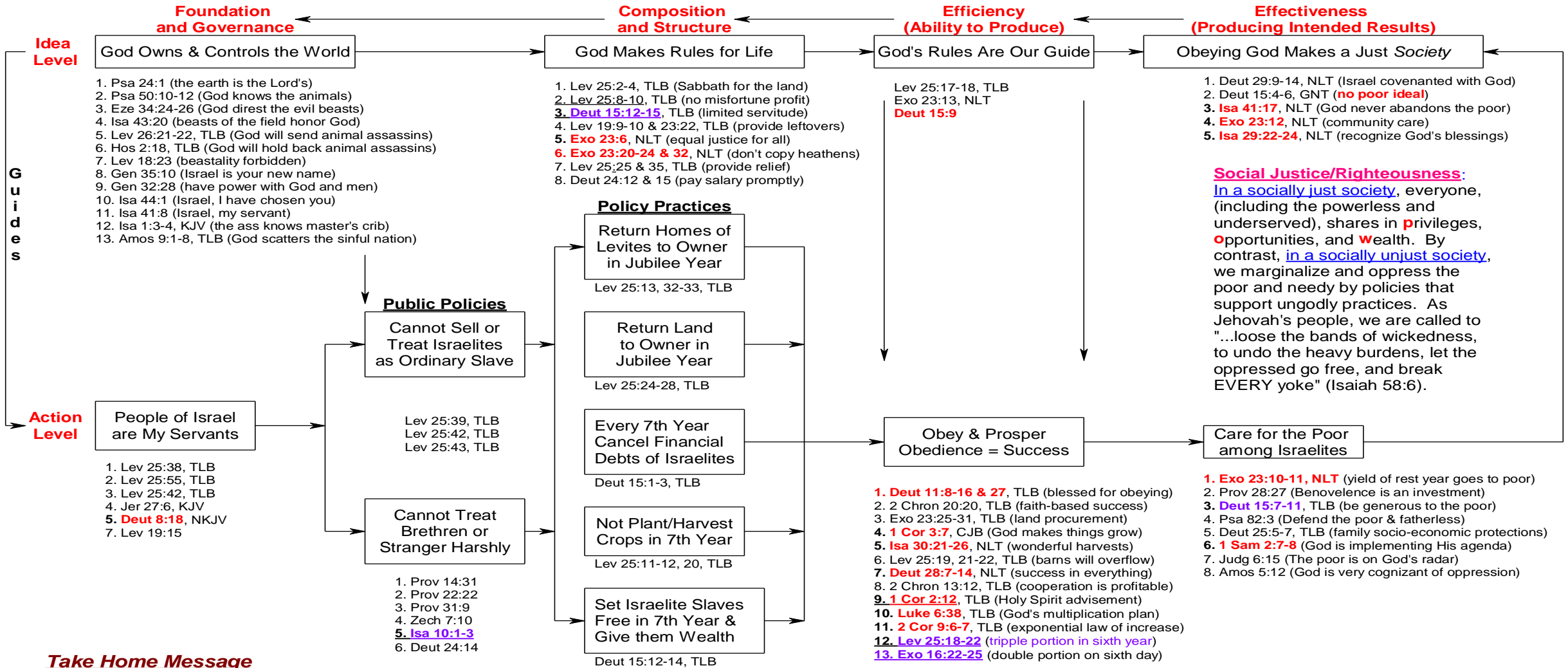


Jehovah's **Social Justice** Agenda: The 7th & 50th, (Jubilee), Years of Releases-- God's Plan to Address Inequalities, (Uneven Distribution of Resources), in Society



Take Home Message

God uses cycles. Every seven days, seven years, and seven Sabbaths of years, (the jubilee), come rest and relief. God intended that His great society planned for Canaan would include the principles of rest and relief. Don't confuse the principles of rest and relief with social welfare. They were intended to transform the beneficiaries of God's bounties into a selfless people who loved and cared for each other even as God cared for Israel. Despite God's ideal and warning, Ezekiel captured Israel's lived experience in Canaan, (**Eze 22:28-30**), which replicated the disobedience of Eden (Gen 3). Today, we live in fulfillment of Proverbs 30:14 rather than Galatians 6:2. But God has not changed. Faith-based obedience has its rewards. His Word remains our guide (Psa 119:105).