

DARE TO STAND



EARLIER YEARS OF JOSHUA

- ✦ **EXODUS 17:8-16** DEFEATS THE AMALEKITES.
- ✦ **EXODUS 24:9-14** WITH MOSES ON MOUNT SINAI.
- ✦ **NUMBERS 11:28** ATTEMPTS TO STOP TWO PROPHETS.
- ✦ **NUMBERS 13-14** ONE OF TWELVE SPIES. HE TRUSTED GOD.



GOD'S COMMAND TO JOSHUA

JOSHUA 1:5-8 NO MAN SHALL BE ABLE TO STAND BEFORE YOU ALL THE DAYS OF YOUR LIFE. JUST AS I WAS WITH MOSES, SO I WILL BE WITH YOU. I WILL NOT LEAVE YOU OR FORSAKE YOU. BE STRONG AND COURAGEOUS, FOR YOU SHALL CAUSE THIS PEOPLE TO INHERIT THE LAND THAT I SWORE TO THEIR FATHERS TO GIVE THEM. ONLY BE STRONG AND VERY COURAGEOUS, BEING CAREFUL TO DO ACCORDING TO ALL THE LAW THAT MOSES MY SERVANT COMMANDED YOU. DO NOT TURN FROM IT TO THE RIGHT HAND OR TO THE LEFT, THAT YOU MAY HAVE GOOD SUCCESS WHEREVER YOU GO. THIS BOOK OF THE LAW SHALL NOT DEPART FROM YOUR MOUTH, BUT YOU SHALL MEDITATE ON IT DAY AND NIGHT, SO THAT YOU MAY BE CAREFUL TO DO ACCORDING TO ALL THAT IS WRITTEN IN IT. FOR THEN YOU WILL MAKE YOUR WAY PROSPEROUS, AND THEN YOU WILL HAVE GOOD SUCCESS.



BEHOLD, I HAVE ALLOTTED TO YOU AS AN INHERITANCE FOR YOUR TRIBES THOSE NATIONS THAT REMAIN, ALONG WITH ALL THE NATIONS THAT I HAVE ALREADY CUT OFF, FROM THE JORDAN TO THE GREAT SEA IN THE WEST. THE LORD YOUR GOD WILL PUSH THEM BACK BEFORE YOU AND DRIVE THEM OUT OF YOUR SIGHT. AND YOU SHALL POSSESS THEIR LAND, JUST AS THE LORD YOUR GOD PROMISED YOU. THEREFORE, BE VERY STRONG TO KEEP AND TO DO ALL THAT IS WRITTEN IN THE BOOK OF THE LAW OF MOSES, TURNING ASIDE FROM IT NEITHER TO THE RIGHT HAND NOR TO THE LEFT, THAT YOU MAY NOT MIX WITH THESE NATIONS REMAINING AMONG YOU OR **MAKE MENTION** OF THE NAMES OF THEIR GODS OR SWEAR BY THEM OR SERVE THEM OR BOW DOWN TO THEM, BUT YOU SHALL CLING TO THE LORD YOUR GOD JUST AS YOU HAVE DONE TO THIS DAY.

JOSHUA 23:4-8

**DON'T MAKE
MENTION**



EPHESIANS 5:1-12

AND JOSHUA SAID TO ALL THE PEOPLE, “THUS SAYS THE LORD, THE GOD OF ISRAEL, ‘LONG AGO, YOUR FATHERS LIVED BEYOND THE EUPHRATES, TERAH, THE FATHER OF ABRAHAM AND OF NAHOR; AND THEY SERVED OTHER GODS.

I GAVE YOU A LAND ON WHICH **YOU HAD NOT** LABORED AND CITIES THAT **YOU HAD NOT** BUILT, AND YOU DWELL IN THEM. YOU EAT THE FRUIT OF VINEYARDS AND OLIVE ORCHARDS THAT **YOU DID NOT** PLANT.’

JOSHUA 24:2,13



TITUS 3:1-7

**NOT OUR
WORK**

NOW THEREFORE FEAR THE LORD AND SERVE HIM IN SINCERITY AND IN FAITHFULNESS. PUT AWAY THE GODS THAT YOUR FATHERS SERVED BEYOND THE RIVER AND IN EGYPT, AND SERVE THE LORD. AND IF IT IS EVIL IN YOUR EYES TO SERVE THE LORD, **CHOOSE THIS DAY WHOM YOU WILL SERVE,** WHETHER THE GODS YOUR FATHERS SERVED IN THE REGION BEYOND THE RIVER, OR THE GODS OF THE AMORITES IN WHOSE LAND YOU DWELL. BUT AS FOR ME AND MY HOUSE, WE WILL SERVE THE LORD.” THEN THE PEOPLE ANSWERED, “FAR BE IT FROM US THAT WE SHOULD FORSAKE THE LORD TO SERVE OTHER GODS, FOR IT IS THE LORD OUR GOD WHO BROUGHT US AND OUR FATHERS UP FROM THE LAND OF EGYPT, OUT OF THE HOUSE OF SLAVERY, AND WHO DID THOSE GREAT SIGNS IN OUR SIGHT AND PRESERVED US IN ALL THE WAY THAT WE WENT, AND AMONG ALL THE PEOPLES THROUGH WHOM WE PASSED. AND THE LORD DROVE OUT BEFORE US ALL THE PEOPLES, THE AMORITES WHO LIVED IN THE LAND. THEREFORE **WE ALSO WILL SERVE THE LORD,** FOR HE IS OUR GOD.”

JOSHUA 24:14-18

**MAKE A
COMMITMENT**

LUKE 14:25-35



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