Jericho & Conquering the Land

Joshua 1-10
Name _____ Date _____

Read & think

READ IN ORDER

1. Joshua 1
2. Joshua 2-3
3. Joshua 4-5
4. Joshua 6
5. Joshua 7-8
6. Joshua 9-10

MAIN POINTS

- The LORD's charge joined Joshua's courage to exact observance and continual meditation on the law (Joshua 1:7-9).
- Rahab acknowledged the LORD as God in heaven and earth, secured an oath for her household, and was spared when Jericho fell (Joshua 2:9-21; Joshua 6:22-25).
- The twelve stones at Gilgal were an intergenerational sign meant to prompt questions and rehearse the Jordan crossing (Joshua 4:6-7; Joshua 4:20-24).
- Achan's concealed taking brought corporate defeat at Ai, while the later victory followed the LORD's direction and concluded with covenant worship and public law reading (Joshua 7:1-26; Joshua 8:1-35).

THINGS TO THINK ABOUT

1. How does Joshua 1 connect strength and courage with Joshua's treatment of the law?
Joshua 1:7-9

2. What do Rahab's words and actions show before Jericho falls?
Joshua 2:9-21

3. Joshua 1:7-9 joins courage with careful attention to the law. Which difficult decision calls for Scripture-shaped obedience rather than a response driven only by fear?
Joshua 1:7-9

MEMORY VERSE / Joshua 4:6-7

The stones were to be a sign. When later children asked about them, Israel was to explain that the Jordan's waters were cut off before the ark of the covenant (Joshua 4:4-7, 20-24).

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that this may be a sign among you, that when your children ask in the future, saying, ‘What do you mean by these stones?’ then you shall tell them, ‘Because the waters of the Jordan were cut off before the ark of Yahweh’s covenant. When it crossed over the Jordan, the waters of the Jordan were cut off. These stones shall be for a memorial to the children of Israel forever.’”

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That this may be a sign among you, that when your children ask their fathers in time to come, saying, What mean ye by these stones? Then ye shall answer them, That the waters of Jordan were cut off before the ark of the covenant of the LORD; when it passed over Jordan, the waters of Jordan were cut off: and these stones shall be for a memorial unto the children of Israel for ever.

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Notes

Waymark 21 / Solo

Main verse _____ Bonus verse(s) _____

Passage or verse _____

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ONE THING TO PUT INTO PRACTICE

PRAYER