

Monday (Sept 29 <sup>th</sup> )	<p><b><u>Scripture: Joshua 3:1-6</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. From these verses work out the order of events. Note the parts played by God and by the people. What principles of progress in the Christian life are illustrated here?</li> <li>2. While waiting to cross the Jordan, what do you suppose the people were doing? Feeling? Praying? Anticipating?</li> <li>3. What does Joshua's call to "consecrate yourselves" imply?</li> <li>4. In what way can you personally consecrate yourself for the amazing things in your life God wants to do?</li> </ol>
Tuesday (Sept 30 <sup>th</sup> )	<p><b><u>Scripture: Joshua 3:7-17</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Why did God begin Joshua's career with a miracle similar to the one that was given to Moses?</li> <li>2. Why did God have the people cross the Jordan at the flood stage?</li> </ol>
Wednesday (Oct 1 <sup>st</sup> )	<p><b><u>Scripture: Joshua 4:1-24</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Israel crossed the Jordan "on dry ground" but armed for war, indicating that God delivers, but battles will follow. Are you battle-ready or battle-weary these days?</li> <li>2. What "memorial" or other testimonial evidence would your classmates, co-workers, neighbors, or family come across which might prompt them to ask what God is doing in your life?</li> </ol>
Thursday (Oct 2 <sup>nd</sup> )	<p><b><u>Scripture: Joshua 5:1-12</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. God "rolled away the reproach" of Israel's skeptical neighbors with a miracle. How has God dealt with your own skepticism, or that of others watching you?</li> </ol>
Friday (Oct 3 <sup>rd</sup> )	<p><b><u>Scripture: Joshua 5:13-15</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Before the conquest of Jericho come the events described in chapter 5. Note their order. What is their significance for the (a) Jews; (b) Joshua; (c) us?</li> <li>2. How has God "stopped the manna" in your life? What has he substituted for it? How has that removal process helped you be more responsible?</li> </ol>
Saturday (Oct 4 <sup>th</sup> )	<p><b><u>Scripture: Joshua 6:1-14</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. What may we learn here concerning the conditions and demands of conquering enemy strongholds by faith? Do you have a faith that perseveres?</li> </ol>

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. When did you discover what it meant to be on God's side and take direction from him, rather than having him serve you on your side?</li> </ol>
Sunday (Oct 5 <sup>th</sup> )	<p><b><u>Scripture: Psalm 69</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. What is the cause of the psalmist's troubles? What is the chief concern of this prayer, and what does he expect will happen in the end?</li> <li>2. What is it about the psalmist's sufferings, makes it similar to our Lord's taste of human anguish? (ref. Heb.4:15; Lk.23:34)</li> <li>3. In what respects do verses 22-28 foreshadow the judgment that has fallen upon the Jewish people?</li> </ol>

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