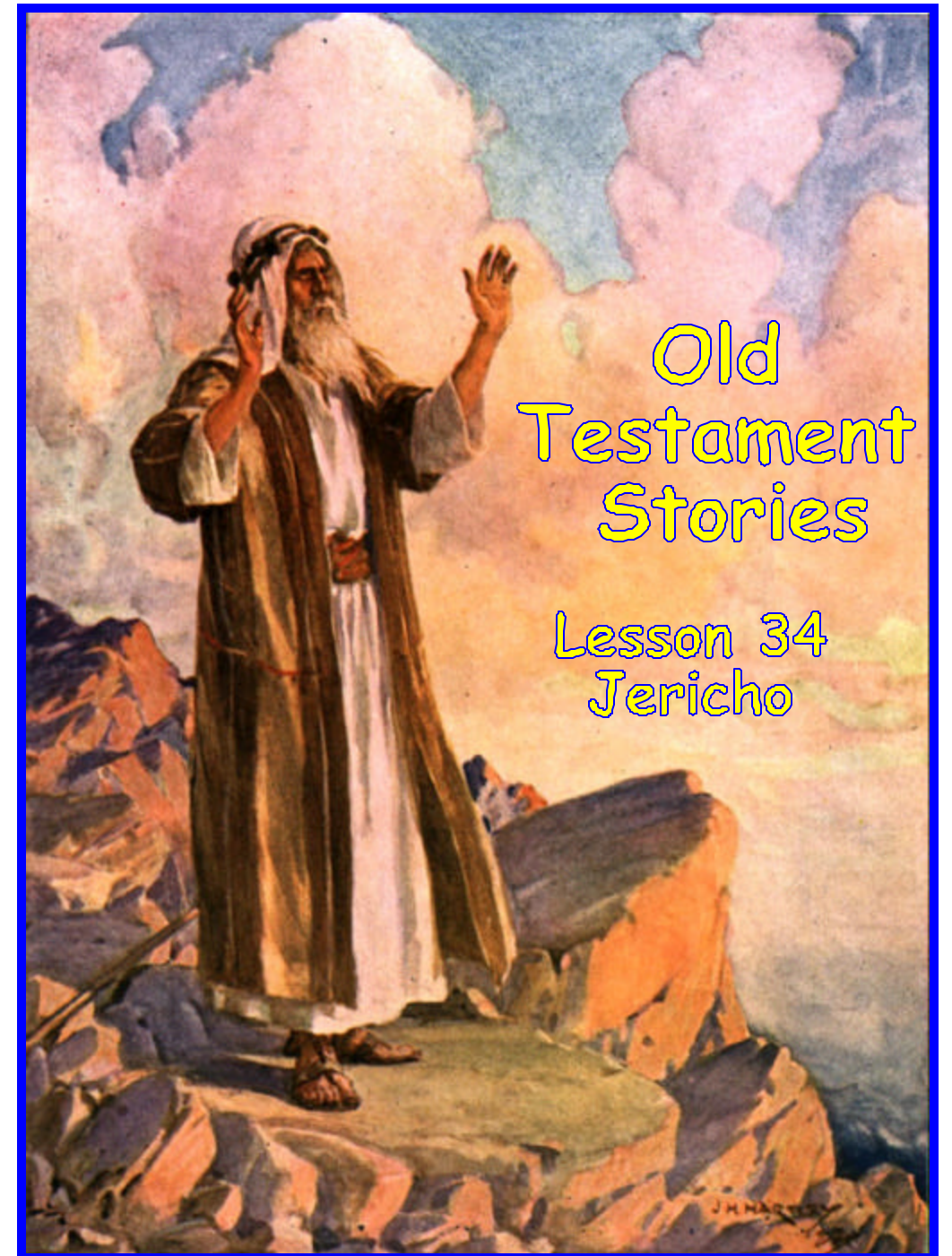
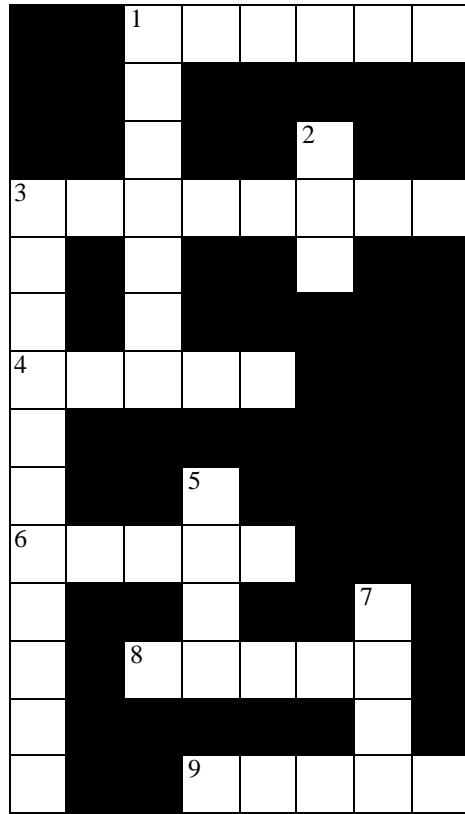


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- 6 only _____ the harlot shall live, she and all that are with her in the house, because she hid the messengers that we sent.
- 8 And it came to pass on the seventh day, that they rose early about the

dawning of the day, and compassed the city after the same manner _____ times:

- 9 And the young men that were _____ went in, and brought out Rahab, and her father, and her mother, and her brethren, and all that she had;

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- 1 And the LORD said unto Joshua, See, I have given into thine hand _____, and the king thereof, and the mighty men of valour.
- 2 Take up the _____ of the covenant, and let seven priests bear seven trumpets of rams' horns before the _____ of the LORD.
- 3 But all the silver, and gold, and vessels of brass and iron, are _____ unto the LORD: they shall come into the treasury of the LORD.
- 5 So the LORD was with Joshua; and his _____ was noised throughout all the country.
- 7 So the ark of the LORD compassed the city, going about it _____; and they came into the camp, and lodged in the camp.

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Adam and Eve



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11 Letters
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Joshua 6 : 1-27

1 Now Jericho was straitly shut up because of the children of Israel: none went out, and none came in. 2 And the LORD said unto Joshua, See, I have given into thine hand Jericho, and the king thereof, and the mighty men of valour. 3 And ye shall compass the city, all ye men of war, and go round about the city once. Thus shalt thou do six days. 4 And seven priests shall bear before the ark seven trumpets of rams' horns: and the seventh day ye shall compass the city seven times, and the priests shall blow with the trumpets. 5 And it shall come to pass, that when they make a long blast with the ram's horn, and when ye hear the sound of the trumpet, all the people shall shout with a great shout; and the wall of the city shall fall down flat, and the people shall ascend up every man straight before him.

6 And Joshua the son of Nun called the priests, and said unto them, Take up the ark of the covenant, and let seven priests bear seven trumpets of rams' horns before the ark of the LORD. 7 And he said unto the people, Pass on, and compass the city, and let him that is armed pass on before the ark of the LORD. 8 And it came to pass, when Joshua had spoken unto the people, that the seven priests bearing the seven trumpets of rams' horns passed on before the LORD, and blew with the trumpets: and the ark of the covenant of the LORD followed them. 9 And the armed men went before the priests that blew with the trumpets, and the rereward came after the ark, the priests going on, and blowing with the trumpets. 10 And Joshua had commanded the people, saying, Ye shall not shout, nor make any noise with your voice, neither shall any word proceed out of your mouth, until the day I bid you shout; then shall ye shout. 11 So the ark of the LORD compassed the city, going about it once: and they came into the camp, and lodged in the camp. 12 And Joshua rose early in the morning, and the priests took up the ark of the LORD. 13 And seven priests bearing seven trumpets of rams' horns before the ark of the LORD went on continually, and blew with the trumpets: and the armed men went before them; but the rereward came after the ark of the LORD, the priests going on, and blowing with the trumpets. 14 And the second day they compassed the city once, and returned into the camp: so they

Bible Quiz

did six days. 15 And it came to pass on the seventh day, that they rose early about the dawning of the day, and compassed the city after the same manner seven times: only on that day they compassed the city seven times. 16 And it came to pass at the seventh time, when the priests blew with the trumpets, Joshua said unto the people, Shout; for the LORD hath given you the city.

17 And the city shall be accursed, even it, and all that are therein, to the LORD: only Rahab the harlot shall live, she and all that are with her in the house, because she hid the messengers that we sent. 18 And ye, in any wise keep yourselves from the accursed thing, lest ye make yourselves accursed, when ye take of the accursed thing, and make the camp of Israel a curse, and trouble it. 19 But all the silver, and gold, and vessels of brass and iron, are consecrated unto the LORD: they shall come into the treasury of the LORD. 20 So the people shouted when the priests blew with the trumpets: and it came to pass, when the people heard the sound of the trumpet, and the people shouted with a great shout, that the wall fell down flat, so that the people went up into the city, every man straight before him, and they took the city. 21 And they utterly destroyed all that was in the city, both man and woman, young and old, and ox, and sheep, and ass, with the edge of the sword. 22 But Joshua had said unto the two men that had spied out the country, Go into the harlot's house, and bring out thence the woman, and all that she hath, as ye sware unto her. 23 And the young men that were spies went in, and brought out Rahab, and her father, and her mother, and her brethren, and all that she had; and they brought out all her kindred, and left them without the camp of Israel. 24 And they burnt the city with fire, and all that was therein: only the silver, and the gold, and the vessels of brass and of iron, they put into the treasury of the house of the LORD. 25 And Joshua saved Rahab the harlot alive, and her father's household, and all that she had; and she dwelleth in Israel even unto this day; because she hid the messengers, which Joshua sent to spy out Jericho. 26 And Joshua adjured them at that time, saying, Cursed be the man before the LORD, that riseth up and buildeth this city Jericho: he shall lay the foundation thereof in his firstborn, and in his youngest son shall he set up the gates of it. 27 So the LORD was with Joshua; and his fame was noised throughout all the country.

1. Where in the scriptures is this story found?
2. Now Jericho was straitly shut up because of the _____ of Israel: none went out, and none came in.
3. And the LORD said unto Joshua, See, I have given into thine hand _____, and the king thereof, and the mighty men of valour.
4. And Joshua had commanded the people, saying, Ye shall not _____, nor make any noise with your voice, neither shall any word proceed out of your mouth, until the day I bid you _____; then shall ye _____.
5. Take up the ____ of the covenant, and let seven priests bear seven trumpets of rams' horns before the ____ of the LORD.
6. So the ark of the LORD compassed the city, going about it _____: and they came into the camp, and lodged in the camp.
7. And it came to pass on the seventh day, that they rose early about the dawning of the day, and compassed the city after the same manner _____ times:
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Memory Verses

Joshua 6:16

And it came to pass at the seventh time, when the priests blew with the trumpets, Joshua said unto the people, Shout; for the LORD hath given you the city.

Joshua 6:25

And Joshua saved Rahab the harlot alive, and her father's household, and all that she had; and she dwelleth in Israel even unto this day; because she hid the messengers, which Joshua sent to spy out Jericho.

Key Points

1. Joshua and the children of Israel were successful in capturing Jericho because they followed God's plan exactly.
2. Joshua saved Rahab the harlot alive, and her father's household, and all that she had; ...; because she hid the messengers, which Joshua sent to spy out Jericho.
3. So the LORD was with Joshua; and his fame was noised throughout all the country.

Jericho

place of fragrance, a fenced city in the midst of a vast grove of palm trees, in the plain of Jordan, over against the place where that river was crossed by the Israelites (Josh. 3:16). Its site was near the 'Ain es-Sultan, Elisha's Fountain (2 Kings 2:19-22), about 5 miles west of Jordan. It was the most important city in the Jordan valley (Num. 22:1; 34:15), and the strongest fortress in all the land of Canaan. It was the key to Western Palestine.



This city was taken in a very remarkable manner by the Israelites (Josh. 6). God gave it into their hands. The city was "accursed" (Heb. herem, "devoted" to Jehovah), and accordingly (Josh. 6:17; comp. Lev. 27:28, 29; Deut. 13:16) all the inhabitants and all the spoil of the city were to be destroyed, "only the silver, and the gold, and the vessels of brass and of iron" were reserved and "put into the treasury of the house of Jehovah" (Josh. 6:24; comp. Num. 31:22, 23, 50-54). Only Rahab "and her father's household, and all that she had," were preserved from destruction, according to the promise of the spies (Josh. 2:14).

Jericho

It seems God always has a man to reveal His will or plan to His people. At first it was Moses as he freed God's people from the slavery of Egypt, and led them round about (because of their disobedience) to the edge of the Promise Land. Now is the time of Joshua's leadership of God's people, and what do we find Him doing? He's alone with God, listening to Him as He speaks and tells Him of His battle plans to capture and destroy Jericho.

God doesn't tell Joshua how many men to attack a certain section of the wall, or where to put the archers in the battle, but He tells Joshua and the men of war to march around Jericho one time a day for six days. Then on the seventh day with the priests blowing trumpets, and carrying the ark in the rear they are to march seven times around the city and then blow the trumpets with a loud blast. Quite an unusual battle plan wouldn't you think?

I bet that God's plan was maybe not the same

plan that Joshua had in his own mind. Many times the answers we get from God seem unusual, even to the point of crazy, and then we have to decide whose plan we are going to follow. Am I going to do it my way, or am I going to follow God. Often

times it is best to seek the counsel of an experienced minister or pastor before proceeding, I'm sure the influence of Moses' life taught Joshua about the ways of God, but Joshua knew it was God speaking and had the wisdom and the courage to follow God's plan.

So Joshua was careful to follow all of the Lord's plan. Joshua and the men of war march around Jericho one time a day for six days. Then on the seventh day with the priests blowing trumpets, and carrying the ark in the rear they marched seven times around the city and then blew the trumpets with a loud blast. The walls of Jericho came crashing down and Joshua and God's people took the city and killed all the inhabitants except Rahab and her family, who hid the spies.

Does God's plan work? EVERYTIME you are faithful and follow His plans exactly.