

For the weak and cowardly
Joshua 1.1-11 September 27, 2015

Mt 11.12: *From the days of John the Baptist until now, the kingdom of heaven has been forcefully advancing, and forceful men lay hold of it.*

App 1:

After the death of Moses the servant of the LORD, the LORD said to Joshua son of Nun, Moses' aide: "Moses my servant is dead. Now then, you and all these people, get ready to cross the Jordan River into the land I am about to give to them—to the Israelites. I will give you every place where you set your foot, as I promised Moses. Your territory will extend from the desert to Lebanon, and from the great river, the Euphrates—all the Hittite country—to the Great Sea on the west. No one will be able to stand up against you all the days of your life. As I was with Moses, so I will be with you; I will never leave you nor forsake you.



"Be strong and courageous, because you will lead these people to inherit the land I swore to their forefathers to give them. Be strong and very courageous. Be careful to obey all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go. Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful. Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go."

So Joshua ordered the officers of the people: "Go through the camp and tell the people, 'Get your supplies ready. Three days from now you will cross the Jordan here to go in and take possession of the land the LORD your God is giving you for your own.

1. Do

James 1.22: *Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. **Do what it says.***



2. Say/Speak

Eccl 6.11: *The more the words, the less the meaning, and how does that profit anyone?*



•To Him - Psalms

•To one another Eph 5.19: *...with psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs. Heb 10.24: *...spur one another on toward love and good deeds.**

• To our Selves Ps 42.5: *Why are you downcast, O my soul? Why so disturbed within me? Put your hope in God, for I will yet praise him, my Savior and my God.*

App 2:

3. Think



4. Do

Mt 13.11-12: *He replied, "The knowledge of the secrets of the kingdom of heaven has been given to you..., Whoever has will be given more, and he will have an abundance.*