

1. Joshua 1, Joshua is chosen to succeed Moses. Why was Joshua chosen for this assignment? Compare v1 with Nb 11.28, Ex 17.10, Nb 14.5-8, 30. What lessons can you learn from this for your own life?
2. Notice that Joshua doesn't come up with a plan to take charge and lead the people into the Promised Land. Whose idea was this according to v3 and what are the implications of this for you personally? Compare with Acts 9.6, and James 4.13-16. Would you say that you are living your life according to your plan to God's plan?
3. How does God reassure Joshua in vs5-6 and why is this necessary? Do you ever need to be reassured by God? What are some things in front of you that force you to trust that the Lord is "with you."
4. Notice that vs7-8 give a *conditional* promise. Identify the condition and the promise. Why is this important to consider. Why does it say to "be careful to do according to all the Law...?" And "Do not turn from it the right hand or to the left...?" What does this seem to indicate about our natural tendencies? Compare with Dt 30.15-20.
5. In v8, how often are we exhorted to "meditate" on the "book of the Law." What are the implications of this for your personal application? Do you have a regular time each day to meditate on Scripture or are you planning on establishing a regular time in God's Word? Describe.
6. How does this passage encourage in your own walk with God. What are the specific steps that you can take this week to act on what God is saying to you in His Word?