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Joshua 3



Bible Study Guide For All Ages

Remember It? Match.

- According to John the Baptist, this one takes away the sins of the world.
- At Sinai, God said these people belonged to him.
- _ The kind of stone God wanted the Israelites to use for their altars
- Joshua would have success by being...
- ___ The Jericho prostitute who helped the Israelite spies
- The number of pairs of clean animals taken on the ark

Obedient Lamb of God 7
Uncut Cut

Rahab All 40

Answers: 1) John 1:29 2) Ex 19:5 3) Ex 20:25 4) Josh 1:7 5) Josh 2:1 6) Gen 7:2

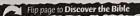
Memory Workout

- Say the first seven of the Ten Commandments. Add the eighth, ninth and tenth commandments.
- 2. Name the four divisions of the New Testament books.

Guess What...

The **Levites** are descendants of Levi, one of Jacob's twelve sons. The Levites took care of the tabernacle, the tent-like place of worship before the temple was built.

The ark of the covenant was a gold-covered box with winged, angel-like creatures called cherubim on its lid. God met with Moses between the cherubim (Ex 25:10-22) and gave Moses his commands.



Map Draw the symbol of the book in the blank.

- ★ Deuteronomy ③ Numbers X Joshua
 - ♦ Leviticus ➤ Exodus Genesis
- ___ Jacob and his whole family moved from Canaan to Egypt.
- After 400 years in Egypt, Moses led the Israelites out of Egypt to Mount Sinai where God gave the Israelites the Law of Moses.
- __ At Mount Sinai, God gave the Israelites rules about how they were to worship.
- __ The Israelites wandered in the desert for forty years.
- Before he died, Moses repeated the Law on the east side of the Jordan River.
- The Israelites entered Canaan and conquered it.

Get Active

Imagine that you are in a huge mall that you have never been to. You get separated from your parents and you can't find them anywhere! Make up a plan of how you will find them.

Do a little one person skit, showing what you would do to find them.

Apply It! on trusting God to lead you

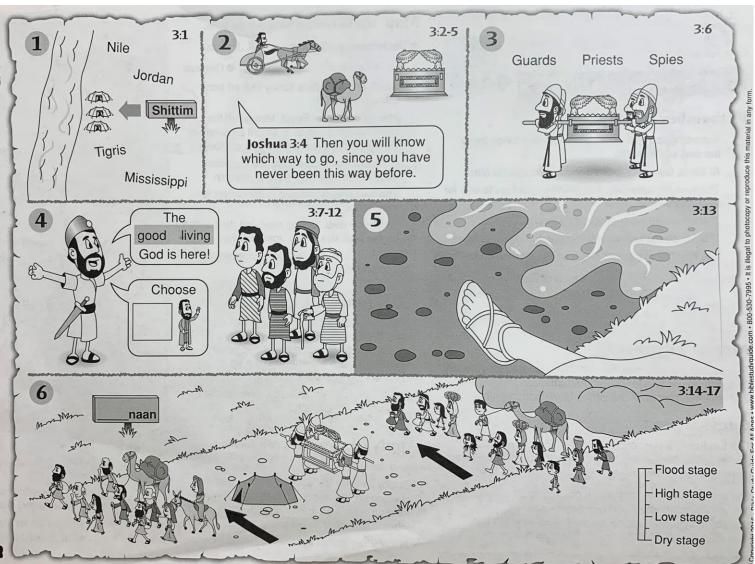
Read Joshua 3:3-4.

- Bobby's family had moved and he was walking up the steps to a new school where he didn't know anybody. He was scared and didn't know what to do. Tell the rest of the story.
- · In the Bible story, how did the Israelites know where to go?
- Mediterranean Sea Joshua Genesis Numbers Exodus Nile River Leviticus
 - What does God want you to do when you are not sure what you should do?
 - Thank God for leading you when you are not sure what you should do.

Crossing the Jordan on Dry Land Joshua 3

Discover the Bible

- 1. With blue, draw waves beneath the name of the river the Israelites were going to cross.
- 2. Circle what the Israelites were to follow. Could they touch it? (Yes No) Read the Bible verse. Why did the Israelites need to follow the ark?
- 3. Above the ark, underline those who carried the ark.
- 4. In the gray box, circle the word that Joshua used to describe God. In the white box, write the number of men who were to be chosen. Why was that number of men chosen?
- 5. What happened when the priests carrying the ark set their feet in the Jordan River?
- 6. On the righthand side of the picture, circle the stage of the Jordan River before the Israelites crossed. With yellow, color what was in the middle of the Jordan River while the people crossed. Mark out what was *not* in the middle of the river. Complete the sign to name the land on the other side of the Jordan River.



- 1 You shall have no other gods before me.
- 6 You shall not murder.

- 2 You shall not make for yourself an idol.
- 7 You shall not commit adultery.

- 3 You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God.
- 8 You shall not steal.

4 Remember the Sabbath day, by keeping it holy.

9 You shall not give false testimony.

5 Honor your father and your mother.

10 You shall not covet.

Exodus 20

- 1. Photocopy Drill E (part 1) on colored paper (light brown or gray might be best) and copy Drill E (part 2) on white paper.
- 2. Cut your photocopied **Drill E** (part 1) on dotted lines only, to make flaps. Staple part1 and part2 together, so that the flaps reveal the words below.

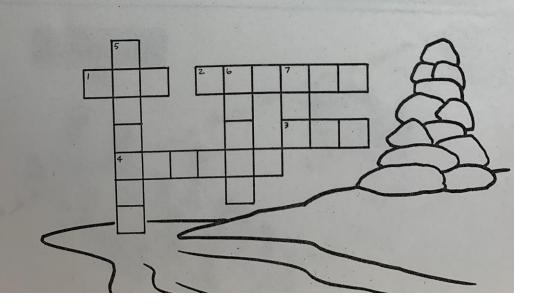
CROSSING THE JORDAN JOSHUA 3

ACROSS

- 1) THE ____ OF THE COVENANT
- 2) THE NATION OF ISRAEL HAD HOW MANY TRIBES?
- 3) THE PEOPLE CROSSED THE JORDAN RIVER ON ___ LAND.
- 4) ROCKS

DOWN

- 5) THE LEVITE CARRIED THE ARK OF THE COVENANT.
- 6) THE ____ IN THE RIVER JORDAN PARTED TO ALLOW THE PEOPLE TO PASS ON DRY LAND.
- 7) THE PRIESTS AND ARK ACROSS THE RIVER FIRST. (RHYMES WITH BED)



Remember commanded that I and brave! you to be strong So, don't be afraid! The Lord your God will be with you everywhere you Joshua 1:9 **ICB** go.