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Celebration and Anticipation

Joshua 3-4

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Joshua

3.7-8

The Lord told Joshua, “This very day I will begin to honor you before all Israel **so they will know that I am with you** just as I was with Moses. Instruct the priests carrying the ark of the covenant, ‘When you reach the bank of the Jordan River, **wade into the water.**’”

Joshua

3.17

The priests carrying the ark of the covenant of the Lord stood firmly on **dry ground** in the middle of the Jordan. **All Israel** crossed over on dry ground until the entire nation was on the other side.



Joshua

3.9-11

Joshua told the Israelites, “Come here and listen to the words of the Lord your God!”

Joshua continued, “This is **how you will know** the living God is among you and that he will truly drive out before you the Canaanites...

Joshua

3.9-11

Look! The ark of the covenant of the **Ruler** of the **whole earth** is ready to enter the Jordan ahead of you.

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C.S. Lewis

Author & Philosopher

I was assuming that if the human mind once accepts a thing as **true** it will automatically go on regarding it as true, until some real reason for reconsidering it turns up. In fact, I was assuming that the human mind is completely ruled by reason. **But that is not so.**

C.S. Lewis

Author & Philosopher

For example, my **reason** is perfectly convinced by good evidence that anaesthetics do not smother me and that properly trained surgeons do not start operating until I am unconscious.

C.S. Lewis

Author & Philosopher

But that does not alter the fact that when they have me down on the table and clap their horrible mask over my face, a mere childish panic begins inside me. I start thinking I am going to choke, and I am afraid they will start cutting me up before I am properly under. In other words, **I lose my faith** in anaesthetics.

C.S. Lewis

Author & Philosopher

It is **not reason** that is taking away my faith: on the contrary, my faith is based on reason. It is my **imagination and emotions**. The battle is between faith and reason on one side and emotion and imagination on the other.

Joshua

4.5-7

Joshua told them, “Go in front of the ark of the Lord your God to the middle of the Jordan. Each of you is to put a **stone** on his shoulder, according to the number of the Israelite tribes.

The stones will be a reminder to you.

Joshua

4.5-7

When **your children** ask someday, ‘Why are these stones important to you?’ **tell them** how the water of the Jordan stopped flowing before the ark of the covenant of the Lord. When it crossed the Jordan, the water of the Jordan stopped flowing.”

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Joshua

4.19

The people went up from the Jordan on the **tenth day of the first month** and camped in Gilgal on the eastern border of Jericho.

Joshua

4.24

He has done this so **all the nations** of the earth might **recognize** the Lord's power and so you might always **obey** the Lord your God.

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