

Preparation for Conquest

Joshua 1:1-5:12

I. INTRODUCTION TO THE BOOK OF JOSHUA

II. ORDERS AND RECONNAISSANCE – JOS 1-2 (Preparation by Hearing and Observing)

III. CROSSING THE JORDAN - JOS 3-4 (Preparation by Stepping Out in Faith)

IV. CIRCUMCISION – JOS 5:1-12 (Preparation by Spiritual Inventory)

Principle: *We have to hear from God ourselves before we are ready to speak to others on His behalf.*

Principle: *God will give us courage to do hard things after we first do what he's already asked us to do.*

Principle: *Spiritual preparation precedes physical victories.*