

Bible Survey
Joshua - Esther
Week of October 19

- 1. What impacted you the most from the presentation/video? Why?**

- 2. Israel begged for a King, but it didn't take long for the monarchy to spiral out of control, leading God's people further into rebellion. What do you think contributed to this fall? Why were none of the kings able to faithfully lead God's people?**

- 3. What do the Historical books reveal about the nature of leadership? Do you think these principles still apply today?**

- 4. How do the Historical books contribute to our understanding of the nature of God and His character? What about the nature of people in general?**

- 5. How does the story of God's people in the time of Joshua, the Judges, and the first Kings of Israel carry the narrative set by the Torah forward?**

6. With respect to the arrow of obedience, do you think that obedience leads to faith or that it validates and sustains faith?

7. In your opinion, what does the arrow of obedience reveal about the nature of our relationship with God? Is there anything today that we could compare to “burnt offerings”? How is obedience superior to those things?