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**Joshua 6:1-27**  
**Yahweh Fought The Battle Of Jericho**  
**Sunday, 2/13/22 Pastor Stuart Fraser**

**I. Introduction: God demonstrated that the battle of Jericho would be fought using His strategy and His might, and that all the spoils of war would be His.**

**II. Yahweh Fought The Battle of Jericho (Josh 6:1-27)**

**A. God's Strategy (vv. 1-5).**

1. God's plan at Jericho was to circle the city for seven days, proving that it was His strategy that decisively brought about success in the city's siege.

**B. God's Presence (vv. 6-15).**

1. The Ark would go before the people to demonstrate that God's presence would go before them, and they could have no victory without Him.

**C. God's Strength (vv. 15-21).**

1. God devoted the city to destruction and then ordered the people to shout, and the walls of the city collapsed, allowing the Israelites to destroy it completely.

**D. God's Deliverance (vv. 22-27).**

1. Joshua commanded the two spies to find Rahab and her family to ensure they were not harmed in the attack but to kill everything else.

**III. Conclusion: Yahweh fought the battle of Jericho, proving that it was only by His power and plans that Israel would enter the Promised Land.**

## Study Questions: Yahweh Fought The Battle of Jericho

1. Why is it important for Christians to be ready for spiritual warfare? Who or what are you battling? Who fought the battle of Jericho? In whose strength does the Christian fight?
2. Who did Joshua meet outside Jericho? (**Josh 5:13-15**) What was His battle plan? (**Josh 6:1-5**) What made Jericho challenging to conquer? What did God promise Joshua? (**v. 2**)
3. What weapons did God tell Joshua to take into battle? (**Josh 6:1-5**) Why is there a repetition of the number seven in this passage? How does God tear down strongholds? (**2 Cor 10:3-6**)
4. How did Yahweh lead Israel into battle? (**Josh 6:6-15**) What had Israel already seen God do with the Ark in the Jordan River? (**Josh 3-4**) Why did God instruct Israel to be quiet? (**v. 10**)
5. What are the weapons of warfare that the believer possesses? (**Eph 6:10-17**) How is the word of God a sword? (**Heb 4:12**) How did Jesus use it against Satan? (**Matt 4:1-11**)
6. What did God instruct Israel about Jericho? (**Josh 6:15-21**) Why were the Israelites not allowed to take any of the loot from the city? (**vv. 17-19**) Why was it God's possession?
7. Why did God command the Jews to kill everyone in Jericho? (**Josh 6:21**) How had God given them time to repent? (**Gen 15:16; Lev 18:24-30; Deut 9:4-5**) Why was it just?
8. How did God rescue Rahab and her family? (**Josh 6:22-27**) How did God redeem Rahab and include her in the family of God? (**Ruth 4:18-22; Matt 1:5**) Can God redeem your past?

### Prayer

1. Pray that God might show you He has a plan for you and the power to accomplish it.
2. Ask God to help deliver you from your sin no matter what iniquities you have committed.