



GUIDED BIBLE STUDY

Heirs of the Kingdom

Speaker: Pastor Tony Orihuela

Highlighted Scripture

Ephesians 1:5–6 (ESV)

5 He predestined us for adoption to himself as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will,

6 to the praise of his glorious grace, with which he has blessed us in the Beloved.

Joshua 1:9 (ESV)

Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.

Discussion Questions

- 1. What does it mean to you personally to be adopted into God's family and called an heir of the Kingdom of Heaven?**
- 2. How does knowing you are a co-heir with Christ change the way you view hardship or spiritual opposition?**
- 3. The speaker reminds us that attacks often come because we matter. How does that perspective help you endure difficult seasons?**
- 4. Why do you think God repeatedly commands His people to be strong and courageous instead of promising a trouble-free life?**
- 5. Where do you need to remind yourself today that God is not finished with you yet?**

Reflection Challenge

Today, Intentionally remind yourself of your identity:

You are an heir of the Kingdom of Heaven.

When challenges arise, resist the urge to believe you are forgotten, punished, or overlooked.

Instead, declare this truth:

- **I belong to God.**
- **I am adopted into His family.**
- **What I'm facing came to pass—not to stay.**

Stand firm, knowing that the enemy's resistance is not proof of defeat, but evidence that your life carries eternal value.

Prayer

Heavenly Father,

Thank You for loving us enough to adopt us into Your family through Jesus Christ.

Thank You that we are no longer outsiders, but heirs of the Kingdom of Heaven—co-heirs with Your Son.

When attacks come and life feels heavy, remind us who we belong to.

Give us strength and courage to stand firm, knowing You are for us and not against us.

Help us trust that You are still working, still moving, and not finished with us yet.

We place our confidence not in what we see, but in who You are.

In Jesus' mighty name, Amen.

