

MADE FOR A NEW ADVENTURE
Joshua 1:1-11 (NIV)

❖ God made us for NEW ADVENTURES.

"Moses my servant is dead. Now then, you and all these people, get ready to cross the Jordan River into the land I am about to give to them—to the Israelites."

Joshua 1:2 (NIV)

"Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past. ¹⁹See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up, do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland."

Isaiah 43:18-19 (NIV)

❖ When God leads us somewhere new, He says...

1. I will fulfill all MY PROMISES.

"I will give you every place where you set your foot, as I promised Moses."

Joshua 1:3 (NIV)

For no matter how many promises God has made, they are "Yes" in Christ. And so through him the "Amen" is spoken by us to the glory of God.

2 Corinthians 1:20 (NIV)

2. I will be WITH YOU.

"No one will be able to stand against you all the days of your life. As I was with Moses, so I will be with you; I will never leave you nor forsake you."

Joshua 1:5 (NIV)

❖ When God leads us somewhere new, we should...

1. Be STRONG and COURAGEOUS.

"Be strong and courageous, because you will lead these people to inherit the land I swore to their ancestors to give them. ⁷Be strong and very courageous."

Joshua 1:6-7 (NIV)

2. Stay true to GOD'S WORD.

"Be careful to obey all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go. ⁸Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it."

Joshua 1:7-8 (NIV)

❖ When we follow God, we should be ready to do things we've NEVER DONE BEFORE.

So Joshua ordered the officers of the people: ¹¹"Go through the camp and tell the people, 'Get your provisions ready. Three days from now you will cross the Jordan here to go in and take possession of the land the LORD your God is giving you for your own.'"

Joshua 1:10-11 (NIV)

After three days the officers went throughout the camp, ³giving orders to the people...

⁴"Then you will know which way to go, since you have never been this way before..."

⁵Joshua told the people, "Consecrate yourselves, for tomorrow the LORD will do amazing things among you."

Joshua 3:2-5 (NIV)