

Therefore, the time has come for you to lead these people, the Israelites, across the Jordan River into the land I am giving them. ³ I promise you what I promised Moses: 'Wherever you set foot, you will be on land I have given you—4 from the Negev wilderness in the south to the Lebanon mountains in the north, from the Euphrates River in the east to the Mediterranean Sea in the west, including all the land of the Hittites.' ⁵ No one will be able to stand against you as long as you live. For I will be with you as I was with Moses. I will not fail you or abandon you.

God has a calling for you

Its an invitation from Him to take Canaanite territory

He's laid out boundaries for you to possess

He promises
His presence for
you as you step
in.

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are you numbing yourself?

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addictive distractions

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"I don't wanna talk about it"

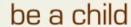
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when we avoid our insides, we weaken who we are

Joshua must learn to bring his insides to God

I can only
quiet my
internal parent by
knowing my
Father in
Heaven



God knows me I can know Him

this is where the easy yoke comes

Matthew 11

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be a child

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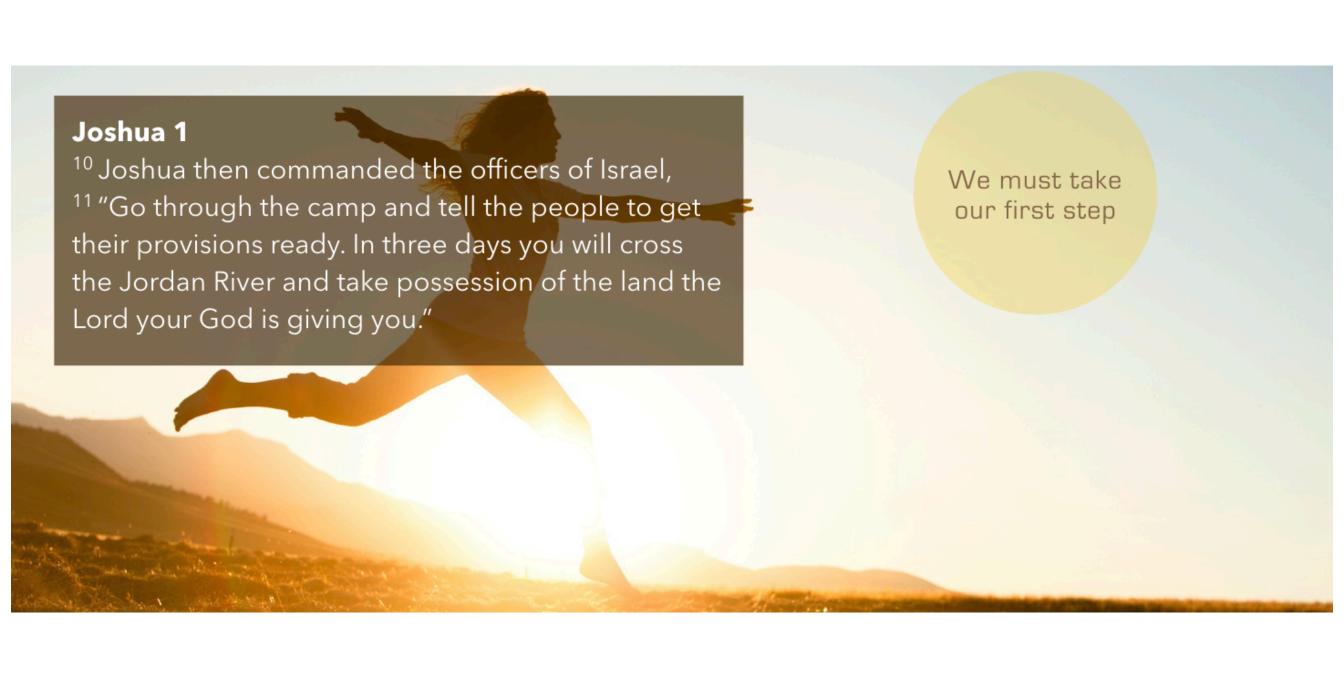
we must learn to be kind to ourselves

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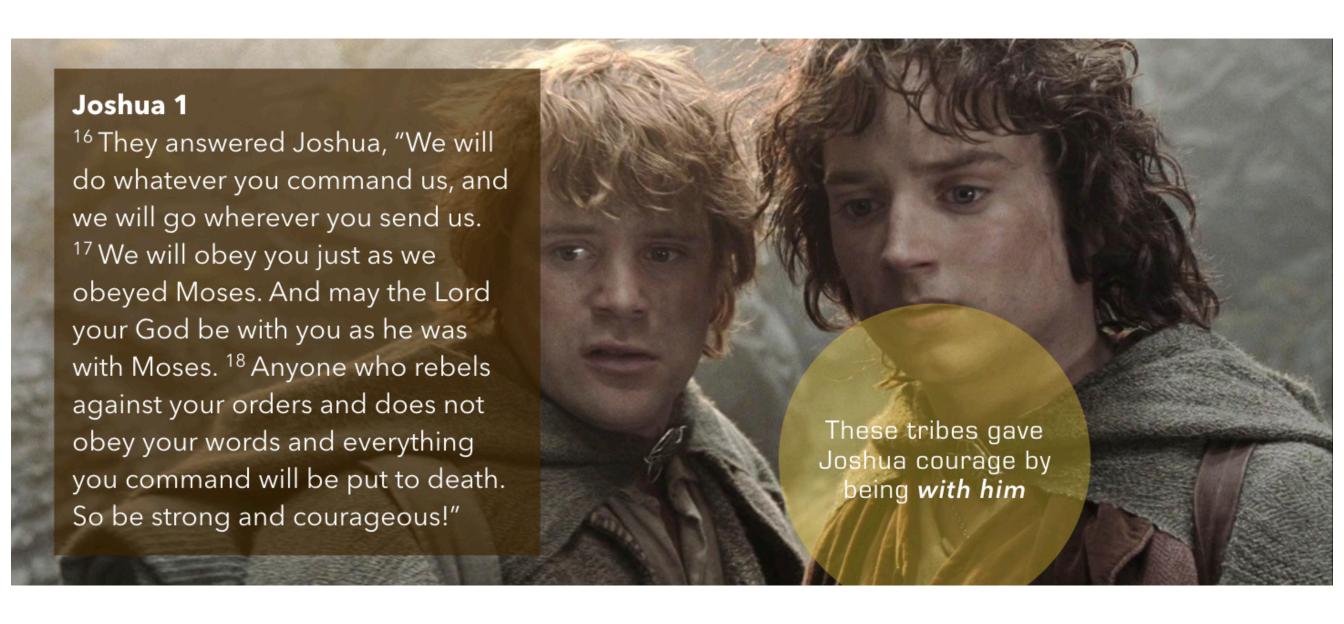
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¹²Then Joshua called together the tribes of Reuben, Gad, and the half-tribe of Manasseh. He told them, ¹³ "Remember what Moses, the servant of the Lord, commanded you: 'The Lord your God is giving you a place of rest. He has given you this land.' 14 Your wives, children, and livestock may remain here in the land Moses assigned to you on the east side of the Jordan River. But your strong warriors, fully armed, must lead the other tribes across the Jordan to help them conquer their territory. Stay with them 15 until the Lord gives them rest, as he has given you rest, and until they, too, possess the land the Lord your God is giving them. Only then may you return and settle here on the east side of the Jordan River in the land that Moses, the servant of the Lord, assigned to you."

We must take our first step



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the bible quoter God won't give you more than you can handle the scolder
how could you let
this happen?

the out-doer
well, if you think
that's bad, this is
what happened
to me

the condescender
Oh, you poor thing.
I feel so sorry for you!

These tribes gave Joshua courage by being with him mr or mrs fix-it

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courage means owning our story



