### "FRESH START-Life after the Desert"

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#### 1. STOP LIVING IN THE PAST.

Joshua 1:1–9 (NASB95) <sup>1</sup>Now it came about after the death of Moses the servant of the LORD, that the LORD spoke to Joshua the son of Nun, Moses' servant, saying, <sup>2</sup>"Moses My servant is dead; now therefore arise,

# 2. START TRUSTING IN HIS PLAN.

**cross this Jordan**, you and all this people, to the land which I am giving to them, to the sons of Israel. **3"Every place on which the sole of your foot treads**, I have given it to you, just as I spoke to Moses. **4"From the wilderness and this Lebanon**, even as far as the great river, the river Euphrates, all the land of the Hittites, and as far as the Great Sea toward the setting of the sun will be your territory.

### 3. GET YOUR COURAGE IN HIS PROMISE.

<sup>5</sup>"No man will be able to stand before you all the days of your life. Just as I have been with Moses, I will be with you; I will not fail you or forsake you. <sup>6</sup>"Be strong and courageous, for you shall give this people possession of the land which I swore to their fathers to give them.

# 4. FIND YOUR GUIDANCE IN HIS WORD.

<sup>7</sup>"Only be strong and very courageous; be careful to do according to all the law which Moses My servant commanded you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, so that you may have success wherever you go. <sup>8</sup>"This book of the law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do according to all that is written in it; for then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have success. <sup>9</sup>"Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous! Do not tremble or be dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go."