

# Joshua

A 12 Week Study

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# Joshua Chapter 2

- Chapter 1 – Moses has died and God gives the charge of taking possession of the promised land to Joshua

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- Chapter 1 is a continuation from the Pentateuch
- God had given a Promise, Prophecy and a Covenant
- They were here 40 years before – Numbers 14:6,7
- Joshua trusts God

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- Read Chapter 2
- What surprises you ?
- What do we know for sure ?
- What do we not know for sure ?

# Chapter 2 – The spies are found out

- V1-7
- Two men were sent to spy
- They lodged at Rahab's house
- They were discovered
- The king sends someone to confront Rahab
- Rahab hides Joshua's spies and lies for them
- Rahab took a risk

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## Rahab in the New Testament

- Matthew 1:5 Salmon begot Boaz by Rahab, Boaz begot Obed by Ruth, Obed begot Jesse, 6 and Jesse begot David the king.
- James 2:25 Likewise, was not Rahab the harlot also justified by works when she received the messengers and sent them out another way?
- Hebrews 11:31 By faith the harlot Rahab did not perish with those who did not believe, when she had received the spies with peace.

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- V8-11
- Rahab saw the fear of the people because of the Red Sea crossing and the defeat of Sihon and Og
- Rahab believed, “the LORD your God, He is God in heaven above and on earth beneath”.

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- Og King of Bashan
- Sihon king of Heshbon



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- Deuteronomy 4:39 Therefore know this day, and consider it in your heart, that the LORD Himself is God in heaven above and on the earth beneath; there is no other.
- Joshua 5:1 “dried up the waters of the Jordan ... their heart melted ... there was no spirit in them”

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- V12-24
- Rahab begs
- She also asks kindness for her family
- Oaths are exchanged
- Conditions are made
- The escape is successful
- A favorable report is given

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- What parallels do we see with other scripture?
- What comfort and hope do we have?
- What Bible continuity do we see?
- What does it teach us about God's sovereignty?
- What does it teach about God, family and country?