

Questions

1. What are some of the emotions you experienced as you read Joshua 10-12?
2. Are we to view the wars in Joshua 10-12 as mere military battles between armies, or as something more? Why?
3. In what ways are you most prone to underestimate God's power? What are some examples of times when you've seen God's power exercised in ways that were beyond what you expected?
4. God is sovereign and works all things after the counsel of His will (Ephes 1:11), including His election of some for salvation (Rom 8:28-30). How do Romans 9:19-23 and 11:33-36 helps us wrestle with the application of God's sovereignty to saving some but not others?
5. Who deserves God's wrath (cf. Romans 3:9-18)? Why?
6. Read Deuteronomy 9:1-6. How does this passage help us better understand God's purposes in the conquest?
7. Read 1st Thessalonians 5:9-11. What is the believer's relationship to God's wrath? What should that be producing in you?
8. Read Joshua 11:23. What is the difference between the rest that occurred in the promised land and that which awaits believers in Jesus Christ? If you are trusting in Jesus Christ, praise Him for providing that promised rest for you.

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Joshua

The Story of
The Promise-Keeping God

Exalting the Lord, in Conquest

Joshua 10:16 – 13:1

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In order to truly understand the conquest we read about in Joshua 10-12, we must have an enlarged view of God's power, wrath, and mercy.

1. God's Matchless Power

2. God's Holy Wrath

3. God's Merciful Blessings

Three truths to consider when meditating on Joshua 11:20 and God hardening the hearts of kings.

- **God is the Potter and we are the clay (Romans 9).**
- **God shows mercy every time He saves a stiff-necked rebel.**
- **Those God hardened were stiff-necked rebels who were wicked to the core.**