



JOSHUA SERIES – PART 6

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WORSHIP

Begin your group with a time of worship. If someone in your group can lead worship, invite them to lead two or three songs. Alternatively, consider using one or more of these songs from our Sunday morning worship time:

- **Faithful And True** (*New Life Worship*)
- **Trust In God** (*Elevation Worship*)
- **Thank You Jesus For The Blood** (*Charity Gayle*)

SCRIPTURE REFERENCES

- Joshua 10:1-24
- Exodus 14:10-12

OPENING PRAYER

Begin your session with a prayer, asking God to open your hearts and minds to His Word and the lessons from this sermon.

KEY TAKEAWAYS

1. Spiritual warfare often indicates you're on the right track in your faith journey.
2. God is reprogramming our minds to trust Him, not our fears.
3. Faith is a victorious mentality we must practice.
4. God gives us courage to confront our spiritual enemies.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Pastor Brian mentioned various examples of spiritual opposition. Have you experienced similar challenges in your life? How did you recognize them as spiritual warfare?
2. The sermon talks about breaking free from slave mentality. In what areas of your life do you still struggle with "slave thinking" instead of "conqueror thinking"?
3. Discuss the five faith tips mentioned in the sermon. Which one resonates with you the most and why?
 - A. Faith sees what facts cannot.
 - B. Faith sees what your enemy cannot.
 - C. Faith anchors us when feelings betray us.
 - D. Fear is afraid of what we're losing; faith looks to what we're gaining.
 - E. Faith stands in God's Spirit and not human strength.
4. How does the story of Joshua asking for the sun to stand still encourage you in your current circumstances?
5. The sermon emphasizes that God is giving us courage to confront our enemies. What spiritual enemies do you need to confront in your life right now?

PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS

1. **Faith Exercise:** This week, practice viewing your challenges from God's perspective. When facing difficulties, ask yourself, "How might God be using this for my good or His glory?"
2. **Mind Renewal:** Choose a Bible verse that counters a fear or negative thought pattern in your life. Memorize it and recite it daily this week.
3. **Spiritual Authority:** Identify one area where you've been tolerating sin or deception. Write a personal declaration, following the model given in the sermon, to confront this issue.
4. **Prayer Partners:** Pair up with someone in the group to pray for each other's spiritual battles this week.

CLOSING PRAYER

Thank God for His faithfulness and ask for His strength to stand firm in faith against spiritual opposition.