

Who is the King of glory?
The LORD, strong and mighty,
the LORD, mighty in battle!
Psalm 24:8



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1. What does this story teach me about God or the gospel?
2. What does this story teach me about myself?
3. Are there any commands in this story to obey? How are they for God's glory and my good?
4. Are there any promises in this story to remember? How do they help me trust and love God?
5. How does this story help me to live on mission better?

My child has completed the Christ Connection on his/her own and has discussed it with me:
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JOSHUA'S FAREWELL

Joshua 23-24

WHY CAN WE TRUST GOD? WE CAN TRUST GOD BECAUSE HE IS FAITHFUL AND DOES EVERYTHING FOR HIS GLORY AND OUR GOOD.

Joshua said, "You have seen for yourselves everything the LORD did for you. He fought for you and gave you the land He promised. Be very strong and continue obeying all of God's laws. Do not worship the gods of the other nations. If you turn away from the LORD and begin serving the gods of the other nations, know for certain that God will not fight for you."

Joshua reported God's words, saying, "Long ago, I called Abraham to leave his home and the gods he worshiped and to follow Me. Abraham had Isaac, and Isaac had Jacob and Esau. Jacob and his sons went to Egypt, where your ancestors were put into slavery.

"Then I sent Moses and Aaron and defeated Egypt by sending the plagues, and My people were free. When it looked like the army of Egypt was about to capture my people again, I brought the Red Sea down on them to destroy them. After that, I led the people in the wilderness for a long time.

"Then I took you across the Jordan River. I fought for you and gave you victory in every battle."

Joshua then said, "Therefore, fear the LORD and worship Him alone." The people replied, "We will not abandon the LORD to worship other gods! We will worship the LORD, because He is our God."

Joshua died at the age of 110.

Christ Connection: Joshua reminded the people that God saved them from Egypt and gave them the Promised Land. He told them to worship God alone. Jesus is worthy of all worship because He saves those who trust in Him from sin and gives them eternal life.

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