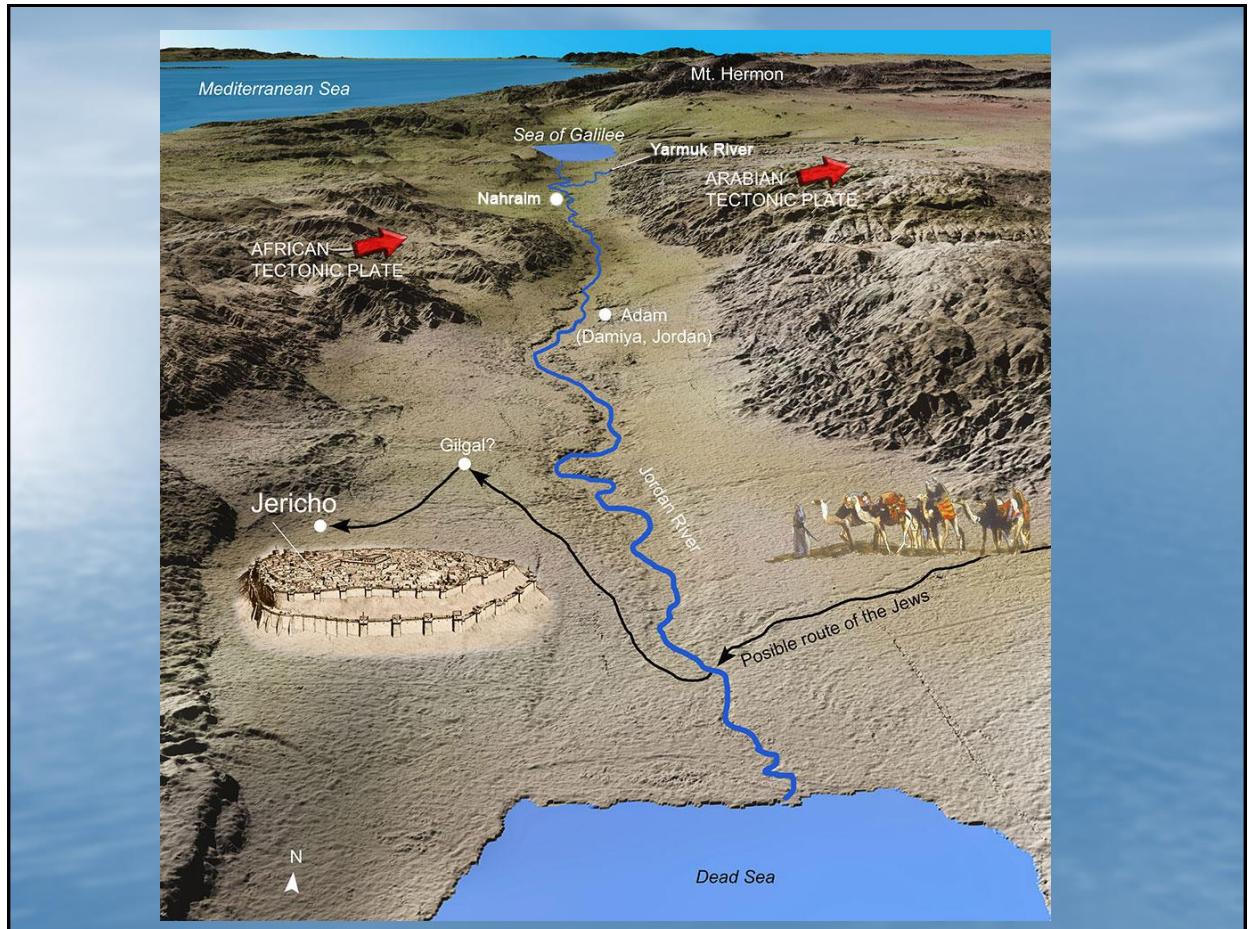


# **CONQUER IN CHRIST**

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Our Conquering King





# OBEDIENCE

- NAS **Joshua 6:8** ... when Joshua had spoken to the people, the seven priests carrying the seven trumpets of rams' horns before the LORD went forward and blew the trumpets; and the ark of the covenant of the LORD followed them.<sup>9</sup> And the armed men went before the priests who blew the trumpets, and the rear guard came after the ark, while they continued to blow the trumpets...<sup>15</sup> Then it came about on the seventh day that they rose early at the dawning of the day and marched around the city in the same manner seven times; only on that day they marched around the city seven times.<sup>16</sup> And it came about at the seventh time, when the priests blew the trumpets, Joshua said to the people, "Shout! For the LORD has given you the city."



## FAITHFULNESS: PART I

- NAS **Joshua 6:20** ... and it came about, when the people heard the sound of the trumpet, that the people shouted with a great shout and the wall fell down flat, so that the people went up into the city, every man straight ahead, and they took the city. <sup>21</sup> And they utterly destroyed everything in the city, both man and woman, young and old, and ox and sheep and donkey, with the edge of the sword.

## FAITHFULNESS: PART II

- NAS **Joshua 6:22** And Joshua said to the two men who had spied out the land, "Go into the harlot's house and bring the woman and all she has out of there, as you have sworn to her." <sup>23</sup> So the young men who were spies went in and brought out Rahab and her father and her mother and her brothers and all she had; they also brought out all her relatives, and placed them outside the camp of Israel... <sup>25</sup> ... Rahab the harlot and her father's household and all she had, Joshua spared; and she has lived in the midst of Israel to this day, for she hid the messengers whom Joshua sent to spy out Jericho.

# APPLICATION

# THE SEVENTH TRUMPET

- <sup>NAS</sup> **Joshua 6:15** Then it came about on the seventh day that they rose early at the dawning of the day and marched around the city in the same manner seven times...<sup>20</sup> ... and it came about, when the people heard the sound of the trumpet, that the people shouted with a great shout ...
- <sup>NIV</sup> **Revelation 11:15** The seventh angel sounded his trumpet, and there were loud voices in heaven, which said: "The kingdom of the world has become the kingdom of our Lord and of his Christ, and he will reign for ever and ever."

## COMPLETE CONQUEST

- NAS **Joshua 6:20** ...and the wall fell down flat, so that the people went up into the city, every man straight ahead, and they took the city. <sup>21</sup> And they utterly destroyed everything in the city ...<sup>24</sup> And they burned the city with fire, and all that was in it...
- ESV **Revelation 11:18** The nations raged, but your wrath came, and the time for the dead to be judged...and for destroying the destroyers of the earth."

# THE ARK OF THE COVENANT

- NAS **Joshua 6:8** ...the seven priests carrying the seven trumpets of rams' horns before the LORD went forward and blew the trumpets; and the ark of the covenant of the LORD followed them...<sup>13</sup> And the seven priests carrying the seven trumpets of rams' horns before the ark of the LORD went on continually, and blew the trumpets; and the armed men went before them, and the rear guard came after the ark of the LORD, while they continued to blow the trumpets.
- NAS **Revelation 11:19** And the temple of God which is in heaven was opened; and the ark of His covenant appeared in His temple, and there were flashes of lightning and sounds and peals of thunder and an earthquake and a great hailstorm.

# MISSION ACCOMPLISHED

- **ESV Revelation 11:16** And the twenty-four elders who sit on their thrones before God fell on their faces and worshiped God,<sup>17</sup> saying, "We give thanks to you, Lord God Almighty, who is and who was, for you have taken your great power and begun to reign.



**REMINDER**

## TRUST GOD'S WORD

- NIV **Isaiah 55:10** As the rain and the snow come down from heaven, and do not return to it without watering the earth and making it bud and flourish, so that it yields seed for the sower and bread for the eater,<sup>11</sup> so is my word that goes out from my mouth: It will not return to me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it.<sup>12</sup> You will go out in joy and be led forth in peace; the mountains and hills will burst into song before you, and all the trees of the field will clap their hands.

## TRUST GOD'S FAITHFULNESS

- **ESV Lamentations 3:22** The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; his mercies never come to an end;<sup>23</sup> they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.<sup>24</sup> "The LORD is my portion," says my soul, "therefore I will hope in him."
- **NIV 2 Corinthians 1:20** For no matter how many promises God has made, they are "Yes" in Christ. And so through him the "Amen" is spoken by us to the glory of God.

# CONCLUSIONS

## LIVING IN LIGHT OF THE FUTURE

- NIV **2 Peter 3:10** But the day of the Lord will come like a thief. The heavens will disappear with a roar; the elements will be destroyed by fire, and the earth and everything in it will be laid bare.<sup>11</sup> Since everything will be destroyed in this way, what kind of people ought you to be? You ought to live holy and godly lives<sup>12</sup> as you look forward to the day of God and speed its coming. That day will bring about the destruction of the heavens by fire, and the elements will melt in the heat.<sup>13</sup> But in keeping with his promise we are looking forward to a new heaven and a new earth, the home of righteousness.

## AWAITING DELIVERANCE

- NIV **Hebrews 9:28** so Christ was sacrificed once to take away the sins of many people; and he will appear a second time, not to bear sin, but to bring salvation to those who are waiting for him.

## LISTENING FOR THE TRUMPET

- <sup>NAS</sup> **1 Corinthians 15:51** Behold, I tell you a mystery; we shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, <sup>52</sup> in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet; for the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we shall be changed. <sup>53</sup> For this perishable must put on the imperishable, and this mortal must put on immortality.
- <sup>NAS</sup> **1 Thessalonians 4:16** For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trumpet of God; and the dead in Christ shall rise first. <sup>17</sup> Then we who are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and thus we shall always be with the Lord.

# OUR CONQUERING KING

- <sup>NIV</sup> **Psalm 56:3** When I am afraid, I will trust in you. <sup>4</sup> In God, whose word I praise, in God I trust; I will not be afraid. What can mortal man do to me?
- <sup>NAS</sup> **Isaiah 41:10** 'Do not fear, for I am with you; Do not anxiously look about you, for I am your God. I will strengthen you, surely I will help you, Surely I will uphold you with My righteous right hand.'
- <sup>NAS</sup> **2 Peter 3:14** Therefore, beloved, since you look for these things, be diligent to be found by Him in peace, spotless and blameless,