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God is raising up a
Joshua generation,
A generation of leaders,
mentors and disciplers who
will be committed
to equip and lead the next
generation into a
supernatural lifestyle.

#1: JOSHUA'S RECOGNIZE THEIR APPOINTED TIME AND WILL NOT LINGER IN PAST MOVES OF GOD

Joshua 1:1–2 (NLT) — **1** After the death of Moses the LORD's servant, the LORD spoke to Joshua son of Nun, Moses' assistant. He said, **2** ***"Moses my servant is dead"*** therefore, the time has come for you to lead these people, the Israelites, across the Jordan River into the land I am giving them"

1. Moses represents a past move of God that accomplished its purpose
2. The past move was necessary and important in God's plan and is honored as such
3. Our Vision must be God's Vision or we remain in the past with "our vision" while God has moved on.
4. God will find someone to carry His vision! He is looking for Joshua's!

#2: JOSHUA'S ARE FAITHFUL LEADER-WARRIORS FOR GOD



Joshua 1:2 (NLT) —...Therefore, the time has come for you to lead these people, the Israelites, across the Jordan River into the land I am giving them...

1. Joshua's know when their season has come: *"the time has come..."*
2. Joshua's are faithful in the previous charge from God: *Exodus 17:9 (NLT)* —*Moses commanded Joshua, "Choose some men to go out and fight the army of Amalek for us...10 So Joshua did what Moses had commanded and fought the army of Amalek... 13 As a result, Joshua overwhelmed the army of Amalek in battle.*
3. Joshua's get results *"Joshua overwhelmed the army..."*

#3: JOSHUA'S KNOW THEIR COVENANT WITH GOD



Joshua 1:3–5 (NLT) — **3** I promise you what I promised Moses: ‘Wherever you set foot, you will be on land I have given you—**4** from the Negev wilderness in the south to the Lebanon mountains in the north, from the Euphrates River in the east to the Mediterranean Sea in the west, including all the land of the Hittites.’ **5** No one will be able to stand against you as long as you live. For I will be with you as I was with Moses. I will not fail you or abandon you.

1. Joshua knew God: ***Exodus 33:11 (ESV)*** — *Thus the LORD used to speak to Moses face to face, as a man speaks to his friend. When Moses turned again into the camp, his assistant Joshua the son of Nun, a young man, would not depart from the tent.*

#4: JOSHUA'S POSSESS GREAT STRENGTH AND COURAGE TO LEAD OTHERS



Joshua 1:6 (NLT) — “Be strong and courageous, for you are the one who will lead these people to possess all the land I swore to their ancestors I would give them.

1. Joshua's know their call and life purpose is for others.
2. Joshua's know they cannot answer the call without the Lord's strength and courage
 - *Strong*: — to be or become strong or powerful beyond the average or expected; whether physically or in one's constitution.
 - *Courageous*: to be able to face and deal with danger or fear without flinching.

#5: JOSHUA'S FOCUS ON AND ARE OBEDIENT TO GOD'S WORD



- **Joshua 1:7–8 (ESV)** — **7** Only be strong and very courageous, being careful to do according to all the law that Moses my servant commanded you. Do not turn from it to the right hand or to the left, that you may have good success wherever you go. **8** This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success.
- 1. Joshua's will not compromise the Word because they “meditate” on it
 - **Meditate**: to reflect deeply on a subject; mutter, read in an undertone,; to proclaim; ponder, give serious thought and consideration to selected information, with a possible implication of speaking in low tones reviewing the material
 - TWOT: the meditation of my heart” is parallel to “the words of my mouth,”

ARE YOU A JOSHUA? DO YOU WANT TO BE?



JOSHUA'S...

1. ...DO NOT STAY IN PAST MOVES OF GOD;
2. ...ARE FAITHFUL LEADER-WARRIORS FOR GOD;
3. ...KNOW THEIR COVENANT WITH GOD;
4. ...POSSESS GREAT STRENGTH AND COURAGE TO LEAD;
5. ...ARE OBEDIENT TO GOD'S WORD