

## LEARNING FROM THE OLD TESTAMENT: WHEN IT COMES TO TRIALS YOU CAN EITHER PASS OR FAIL THEM (Pt. 6)

- I. FAITH TEST #1:** “Will you trust the Lord and His *POWER* for victory over your *ENEMIES*? (Exodus 14)
- II. FAITH TEST #2:** “Will you trust the Lord to *PROVIDE* for your *NEEDS* in His time?” (Exodus 15)
- III. FAITH TEST #3:** “Will you trust the Lord and be *CONTENT* with His *WILL* for your life or not?” (Exodus 16)
- IV. FAITH TEST #4:** “Will you trust the Lord or trust *YOURSELF* to *DO* God’s will? (Exodus 19-32)
- V. FAITH TEST #5:** “Will you trust the Lord and His *PROMISES* or will you walk by *SIGHT*? (Numbers 13-14)
- VI. FAITH TEST #6:** “Will you trust the Lord and take *ONE STEP* at a time?” (Joshua 1-3)
- VII. FAITH TEST #7:** “Will you trust the Lord even when His \_\_\_\_\_ are not how you would naturally \_\_\_\_\_?” (Joshua 6)

### A. The Captain of the Host (5:13-6:5)

1. The tell tale sign that this “Commander of the army” was more than just an angel, but the pre-incarnate Christ, was that He \_\_\_\_\_ . (5:13-15)
2. From the human perspective the Lord had a \_\_\_\_\_ request for Israel’s army; they were to march \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ once for six days, and then on the seventh day there were special instructions. (6:1-5)

\* Is it safe to assume that there were probably some who thought that this was a crazy idea?

### B. The Capture of the City (6:6-25)

1. The seven priests and the people as a whole \_\_\_\_\_ the established \_\_\_\_\_ . (6:6-9)
2. The priests and the soldiers followed through on the plan, which displayed \_\_\_\_\_ on their part in the sovereignty of God, and great \_\_\_\_\_ in the wisdom of God. (6:10-14)

\* Can you imagine how much trust this must have taken to do this six days in a row?

3. Even though the people of Israel didn't fully understand all that was involved, they were willing to trust the Lord to do the \_\_\_\_\_ for them. (6:15-16)

4. They \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord in every last \_\_\_\_\_. (6:17-21)

### **C. The Covenant with Rahab honored (6:22-25)**

1. Joshua initiated the command for the two spies who had previously entered Jericho to \_\_\_\_\_ for Rahab and her family members just as they had \_\_\_\_\_. (6:22)

2. Once Rahab, her extended family as well as her belongings were \_\_\_\_\_ outside the camp, the army of Israel \_\_\_\_\_ the city. (6:23-25)

### **D. The Curse of the Lord (6:26)**

\* Was God actually serious about this curse?

### **E. The Character and Clout of Joshua was established (6:27)**

\* How can you personally apply this truth today?