

Dwelling Richly  
COMMUNITY BIBLE STUDY

# Joshua

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Joshua 1:9

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"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."  
Joshua 1:8

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**Our foundational Scripture...**  
"Let the Word of Christ dwell in us richly."  
Colossians 3:16

- The Bible is not about discovering ourselves...
- It's about discovering God
- We find ourselves when we know God.

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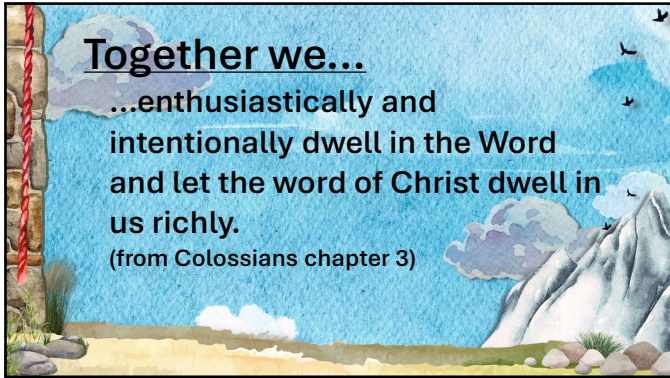
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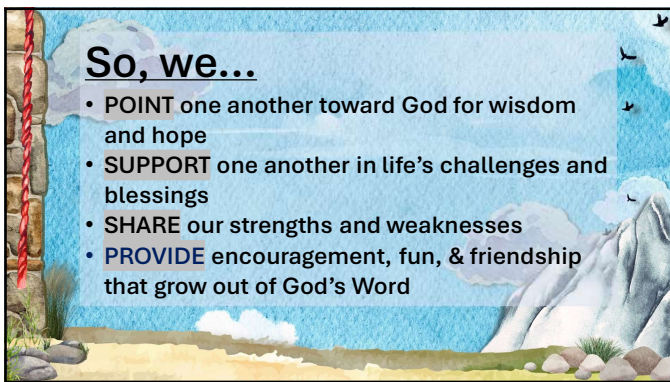
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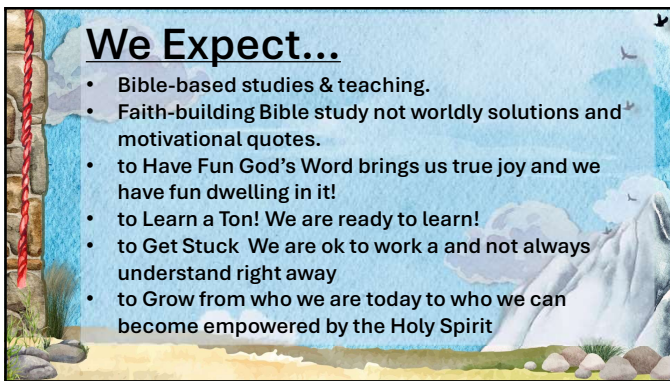
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**Know Two Things...**

1. **You have an advocate!**
2. [Jesus] is able to save to the uttermost those who draw near to God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.
3. **You have an enemy!**

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- **Pray.**
- Get armored up (remember your Enemy)
- Tell God that you want His blessing as you schedule, study, think, and get into His Word.

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- **Partner.**
- Connect with someone in your group
- Encourage and be encouraged

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• **Plan.**

- It won't just happen.
- Appointment with yourself
- TWIG Time
- Study Buddy

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• **Prioritize.**

- Valued
- Best time
- Exclusivity

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• **Eisegesis** 😞😞😞

- Denominations
- Personality and preferences
- Culture

• **Exegesis** 😊😊😊

- Listen – by praying and waiting
- Look – by observing, interpreting, connecting
- Live – Apply and Share

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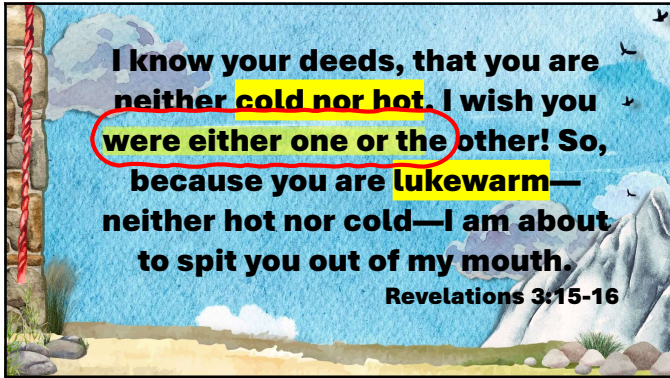
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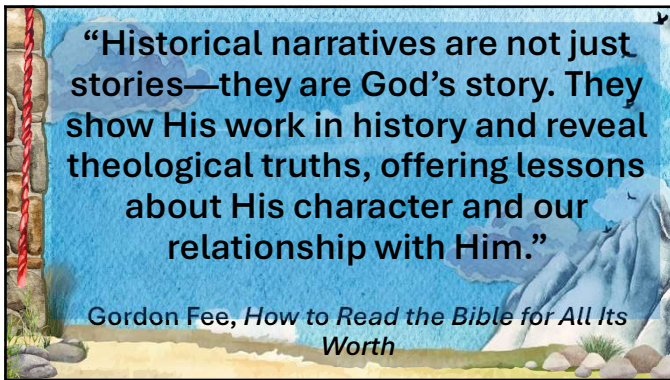
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**REMEMBER –**

- God’s Word was not written to you
- God’s Word was written **FOR YOU**

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**HOW WE’LL GET THERE...**

- Read it all – in context –
- When...where...who...why...
- “Flyover” then
- “Drive-Thru”
- “Park & Ponder”

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**“Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go,”**

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1) The Bible is God's Story – we're not the main character – He is.

2) Knowing God anchors us

- **Purpose:** to glorify and enjoy Him forever (Isaiah 43:7, 1 Corinthians 10:31).
- **Strength:** courage to face life's challenges (Isaiah 41:10).
- **Peace:** God's sovereignty brings rest in the midst of chaos (Philippians 4:6-7).

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**Invitation to...**

- Pray.
- Memorize & Meditate.
- Read.
- Study.
- Write.
- Create & Share.

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**How the Dwelling Richly Study Works**

- 10 days over 2 weeks...
- Day 1 – Come: Connect & Grow
- Day 2 – Flyover:
- Days 3-9 – Drive-Thru:
- Read & Engage
- Day 10 – Go: Create & Share

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