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When Walking in Circles Makes Perfect Sense

Joshua 5:13-6:20

1. The _____ We _____

"...Joshua was by Jericho...Now Jericho was shut up inside and outside because of the people of Israel. None went out, and none came in." –Joshua 5:13, 6:1

2. The _____ We _____

At that time the Lord said to Joshua, "Make flint knives and circumcise the sons of Israel a second time"...While the people of Israel were encamped at Gilgal, they kept the Passover on the fourteenth day of the month in the evening on the plains of Jericho. –Joshua 5:2, 10

"...[Joshua] lifted up his eyes and looked, and behold, a man was standing before him with his drawn sword in his hand. And Joshua went to him and said to him, "Are you for us, or for our adversaries?" And he said, "No; but I am the commander of the army of the Lord. Now I have come." And Joshua fell on his face to the earth and worshiped and said to him, "What does my lord say to his servant?" And the commander of the Lord's army said to Joshua, "Take off your sandals from your feet, for the place where you are standing is holy." And Joshua did so. –Joshua 5:13-15

3. The _____ We _____

And the Lord said to Joshua, "See, I have given Jericho into your hand, with its king and mighty men of valor. You shall march around the city, all the men of war going around the city once. Thus it shall be for six days....On the seventh day you shall march around the city seven times, and the priests shall blow the trumpets. And when they make a long blast with the ram's horn, when you hear the sound of the trumpet, then all the people shall shout with a great shout, and the wall of the city will fall down flat, and the people shall go up, everyone straight before him."

—Joshua 6:2-5

And at the seventh time, when the priests had blown the trumpets, Joshua said to the people, "Shout, for the Lord has given you the city..." So the people shouted, and the trumpets were blown. As soon as the people heard the sound of the trumpet, the people shouted a great shout, and the wall fell down flat, so that the people went up into the city, every man straight before him, and they captured the city. —Joshua 6:16, 20

*All Scripture ESV unless otherwise noted.



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