God Magnifies His Leaders - Joshua 3B

Summarized situation before now.

- 1 Samuel 8:7 And the LORD said unto Samuel, Hearken unto the voice of the people in all that they say unto thee: for they have not rejected thee, but they have rejected me, that I should not reign over them.
- Joshua 3:7-13 And the LORD said unto Joshua, This day will I begin to magnify thee in the sight of all Israel, that they may know that, as I was with Moses, so I will be with thee. 8 And thou shalt command the priests that bear the ark of the covenant, saying, When ye are come to the brink of the water of Jordan, ye shall stand still in Jordan. 9 And Joshua said unto the children of Israel, Come hither, and hear the words of the LORD your God. 10 And Joshua said, Hereby ye shall know that the living God is among you, and that he will without fail drive out from before you the Canaanites, and the Hittites, and the Hivites, and the Perizzites, and the Girgashites, and the Amorites, and the Jebusites. 11 Behold, the ark of the covenant of the Lord of all the earth passeth over before you into Jordan. 12 Now therefore take you twelve men out of the tribes of Israel, out of every tribe a man. 13 And it shall come to pass, as soon as the soles of the feet of the priests that bear the ark of the LORD, the Lord of all the earth, shall rest in the waters of Jordan, that the waters of Jordan shall be cut off from the waters that come down from above; and they shall stand upon an heap.
- Joshua 3:7-13 And the LORD said unto Joshua, This day will <u>I begin to</u> magnify thee in the sight of all Israel, that they may know that, as I was with Moses, so I will be with thee.
- Joshua 7:1 But the children of Israel committed a trespass in the accursed thing: for <u>Achan</u>, ... took of the accursed thing: and the anger of the LORD was kindled against the children of Israel.
- Numbers 16 & 17 summarized with rebel Levites against God's Leader
- Numbers 17:29-30 If these men die the common death of all men, or if they be visited after the visitation of all men; *then* the LORD hath not sent me. 30 But if the LORD make a new thing, and the earth open her mouth, and swallow them up, with all that *appertain* unto them, and they go down quick into the pit; then ye shall understand that these men have provoked the LORD.
- 1 Samuel 17 summarized David & Goliath & David magnified by people.
- 1 Samuel 18:16 But all Israel and Judah loved David, because he went out and came in before them.
- Joshua 3:8,9 And thou shalt command the priests that bear the ark of the covenant, saying, When ye are come to the brink of the water of Jordan, ye shall stand still in Jordan. 9 And Joshua said unto the children of

- Israel, Come hither, and hear the words of the LORD your God.
- Ephesians 6:12 For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high *places*.
- Joshua 3:10 And Joshua said, Hereby ye shall know that the living God is among you, and that he will without fail drive out from before you the Canaanites, and the Hittites, and the Hivites, and the Perizzites, and the Girgashites, and the Amorites, and the Jebusites.
- Daniel 5:23B thou hast praised the gods of silver, and gold, of brass, iron, wood, & stone, which see not, nor hear, nor know: & the God in whose hand thy breath is, & whose are all thy ways, hast thou not glorified:
- Ecclesiastes 4:12 And if one prevail against him, two shall withstand him; and a threefold cord is not quickly broken.
- Joshua 3:11 Behold, the ark of the covenant of the Lord of all the earth passeth over before you into Jordan.
- John 15:26 But when the <u>Comforter</u> is <u>come</u>, whom I will send unto you from the Father, *even* the Spirit of truth, which proceedeth from the Father, he shall testify of me:
- Joshua 3:12,13 Now therefore take you twelve men out of the tribes of Israel, out of every tribe a man. 13 And it shall come to pass, as soon as the soles of the feet of the priests that bear the ark of the LORD, the Lord of all the earth, shall rest in the waters of Jordan, that the waters of Jordan shall be cut off from the waters that come down from above; and they shall stand upon an heap.
- Joshua 10:12 Then spake <u>Joshua</u> to the LORD in the day when the LORD delivered up the Amorites before the children of Israel, and he said in the sight of Israel, <u>Sun</u>, stand thou <u>still</u> upon Gibeon; and thou, Moon, in the valley of Ajalon.

Strongs #01431 gadal gaw-dal'

- AV-magnify 32, great 26, grow 14, nourish up 7, grow up 6, greater 5; 115
- 1) to grow, become great or important, promote, make powerful, praise, magnify, do great things 1a) (Qal) 1a1) grow up 1a2) become great
- 1a3) be magnified 1b) (Piel) 1b1) cause to grow 1b2) make great, powerful 1b3) to magnify 1c) (Pual) be brought up 1d) (Hiphil)
- 1d1) make great 1d2) magnify 1d3) do great things 1e) magnify oneself Isaiah 14:12-15 How art thou fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! how art thou cut down to the ground, which didst weaken the nations! 13 For thou hast said in thine heart, I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my throne above the stars of God: I will sit also upon the mount of the congregation, in the sides of the north: 14 I will ascend above the heights of the clouds; I will be like the most High. 15 Yet thou shalt be brought down to hell, to the sides of the pit.

Strongs #07585 sh@'owl *sheh-ole'* or lav sh@ol *sheh-ole'* AV-grave 31, hell 31, pit 3; 65

- 1) sheol, underworld, grave, hell, pit 1a) the underworld
 - 1b) Sheol-the OT designation for the abode of the dead
 - 1b1) place of no return 1b2) without praise of God
 - 1b3) wicked sent there for punishment
 - 1b4) righteous not abandoned to it
 - 1b5) place of exile (fig) 1b6) of extreme degradation in sin

Explained the ministry of the 3 Arch Angels.

- 2 Corinthians 11:13-15 For such *are* false apostles, deceitful workers, transforming themselves into the apostles of Christ. 14 And no marvel; for Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light. 15 Therefore *it is* no great thing if his ministers also be transformed as the ministers of righteousness; whose end shall be according to their works.
- Job 7:17 What *is* man, that thou shouldest <u>magnify</u> him? and that thou shouldest set thine heart upon him?
- Job 19:5 If indeed ye will <u>magnify</u> *yourselves* against me, and plead against me my reproach:
- Job 36:24 Remember that thou <u>magnify</u> his work, which men behold.
- Summarized God blessing & helping the work of Ezra & Nehemiah rebuilding Temple & wall.
- Psalms 34:3 O <u>magnify</u> the LORD with me, and let us exalt his name together.
- Psalms 35:26 Let them be ashamed and brought to confusion together that rejoice at mine hurt: let them be clothed with shame and dishonour that magnify *themselves* against me.
- In the Old Testament battles done in the physical rhealm, but in the New Testament, battles done in the heavenlies in the spiritual rhealm.

Summarized 2 Kings 6.

when God punishes, glory not

- Proverbs 24:17,18 Rejoice not when thine enemy falleth, and let not thine heart be glad when he stumbleth: 18 Lest the LORD see *it*, and it displease him, and he turn away his wrath from him.
- Matthew 5:44 But I say unto you, Love your enemies, <u>bless</u> them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and <u>persecute</u> you;
- Luke 23:34 Then said Jesus, <u>Father, forgive them; for they know not what</u> they do. And they parted his raiment, and cast lots.
- Psalms 38:16 For I said, *Hear me*, lest *otherwise* they should rejoice over me: when my foot slippeth, they <u>magnify</u> themselves against me.
- Psalms 55:12 For *it was* not an enemy *that* reproached me; then I could have borne *it*: neither *was it* he that hated me *that* did <u>magnify</u> *himself*

against me; then I would have hid myself from him:

Summarized some situations against David.

- 1 Samuel 18:14 And <u>David</u> <u>behaved</u> himself <u>wisely</u> in all his ways; and the LORD *was* with him.
- Psalm 34:7 The angel of the LORD encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them.
- Psalm 91 the Soldiers' psalm referred to.
- Psalms 69:30 I will praise the name of God with a song, and will <u>magnify</u> him with thanksgiving.
- 1 Corinthians 14:33 For God is not *the author* of confusion, but of peace, as in all churches of the saints.

More Service Notes:

- Isaiah 42:21 The LORD is well pleased for his righteousness' sake; he will magnify the law, and make *it* honourable.
- Ezekiel 38:23 Thus will I <u>magnify</u> myself & sanctify myself; & I will be known in the eyes of many nations, & they shall know that I *am* the LORD.
- Daniel 8:25 And through his policy also he shall cause craft to prosper in his hand; and he shall <u>magnify</u> <u>himself</u> in his heart, and by peace shall destroy many: he shall also stand up against the Prince of princes; but he shall be broken without hand.
- Daniel 11:36,37 And the king shall do according to his will; and he shall exalt himself, and <u>magnify</u> himself above every god, and shall speak marvellous things against the God of gods, and shall prosper till the indignation be accomplished: for that that is determined shall be done. 37 Neither shall he regard the God of his fathers, nor the desire of women, nor regard any god: for he shall <u>magnify</u> himself above all.
- Zechariah 12:7 The LORD also shall save the tents of Judah first, that the glory of the house of David and the glory of the inhabitants of Jerusalem do not magnify *themselves* against Judah.
- Luke 1:46 And Mary said, My soul doth magnify the Lord,
- Acts 10:46 For they heard them speak with tongues, and <u>magnify</u> God. Then answered Peter,
- Romans 11:13 For I speak to you Gentiles, inasmuch as I am the apostle of the Gentiles, I magnify mine office:

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