Finish The Job - Joshua 8C

Summarized the battle at Ai & God's commands.

- Joshua 8:23-29 And the king of Ai they took alive, and brought him to Joshua. 24 And it came to pass, when Israel had made an end of slaying all the inhabitants of Ai in the field, in the wilderness wherein they chased them, and when they were all fallen on the edge of the sword, until they were consumed, that all the Israelites returned unto Ai, and smote it with the edge of the sword. 25 And so it was, that all that fell that day, both of men and women, were twelve thousand, even all the men of Ai. 26 For Joshua drew not his hand back, wherewith he stretched out the spear, until he had utterly destroyed all the inhabitants of Ai. 27 Only the cattle and the spoil of that city Israel took for a prev unto themselves, according unto the word of the LORD which he commanded Joshua. 28 And Joshua burnt Ai, and made it an heap for ever, even a desolation unto this day. 29 And the king of Ai he hanged on a tree until eventide: and as soon as the sun was down, Joshua commanded that they should take his carcase down from the tree, and cast it at the entering of the gate of the city, and raise thereon a great heap of stones, that remaineth unto this day.
- Proverbs 22:1 A *good* <u>name</u> *is* rather to be chosen than great riches, *and* loving favour rather than silver and gold.
- 2 Corinthians 10:5 Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;
- Joshua 8:23 And the king of Ai they took alive, and brought him to Joshua.
- Zachariah 14:12 And this shall be the plague wherewith the LORD will smite all the people that have fought against Jerusalem; Their flesh shall consume away while they stand upon their feet, and their eyes shall consume away in their holes, and their tongue shall consume away in their mouth.
- Joshua 8:24 And it came to pass, when Israel had made an end of slaying all the inhabitants of Ai in the field, in the wilderness wherein they chased them, and when they were all fallen on the edge of the sword, until they were consumed, that all the Israelites returned unto Ai, and smote it with the edge of the sword.
- Ephesians 6:17 And take the helmet of salvation, and the <u>sword</u> of the Spirit, which is the word of God:
- Three times Our Lord challenged the devil in the tepmtations in the

- wilderness with "it is written..."
- Matthew 22:29 Jesus answered and said unto them, Ye do <u>err</u>, <u>not</u> knowing the scriptures, nor the <u>power</u> of God.
- Joshua 8:25,26 And so it was, that all that fell that day, both of men and women, were twelve thousand, even all the men of Ai. 26 For Joshua drew not his hand back, wherewith he stretched out the spear, until he had utterly destroyed all the inhabitants of Ai.
- Colossians 3:23 And whatsoever ye do, do *it* heartily, as to the Lord, and not unto men;
- Joshua 8:27,28 Only the cattle and the spoil of that city Israel took for a prey unto themselves, according unto the word of the LORD which he commanded Joshua. 28 And Joshua burnt Ai, and made it an heap for ever, even a desolation unto this day.
- Joshua 6:26 And Joshua adjured *them* at that time, saying, <u>Cursed</u> *be* the man before the LORD, that riseth up and <u>buildeth</u> this city <u>Jericho</u>: he shall lay the foundation thereof in his firstborn, and in his youngest *son* shall he set up the gates of it.
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- Exodus 23:27 I will send My fear before thee, and will destroy all the people to whom thou shalt come, and I will make all thine enemies turn their backs unto thee.
- Exodus 23:28 And I will send hornets before thee, which shall drive out the Hivite, the Canaanite, and the Hittite, from before thee.
- 2 Kings 2:23,24 And he went <u>up</u> from thence unto Bethel: and as he was going <u>up</u> by the way, there came forth little children out of the city, and mocked him, and said unto him, <u>Go up</u>, thou <u>bald head</u>; <u>go up</u>, thou <u>bald head</u>. 24 And he turned back, and looked on them, and cursed them in the name of the LORD. And there came forth two she bears out of the wood, and tare forty and two children of them.
- Exodus 23:29 I will not drive them out from before thee in one year; lest the land become desolate, and the beast of the field multiply against thee.

 30 By little and little I will drive them out from before thee, until thou be increased, and inherit the land.
- God gave Israel the promise land like our walk in deliverance.
- Exodus 23:31 And I will set thy bounds from the Red sea even unto the sea of the Philistines, and from the desert unto the river: for I will deliver the inhabitants of the land into your hand; and thou shalt drive them out

before thee. 32 Thou shalt make no covenant with them, nor with their gods. 33 They shall not dwell in thy land, lest they make thee sin against me: for if thou serve their gods, it will surely be a snare unto thee.

Isaiah 11:2 And the spirit of the LORD shall rest upon him, the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the LORD;

Romans 12 & 1 Corinthians 12 for the spirits of God.

Galatians 5 for the fruit of the Holy Spirit.

Numbers 33:50-56 And the LORD spake unto Moses in the plains of Moab by Jordan near Jericho, saying, 51 Speak unto the children of Israel, and say unto them, When ye are passed over Jordan into the land of Canaan; 52 Then ye shall drive out all the inhabitants of the land from before you, and destroy all their pictures, and destroy all their molten images, and quite pluck down all their high places: 53 And ye shall dispossess the inhabitants of the land, and dwell therein: for I have given you the land to possess it. 54 And ye shall divide the land by lot for an inheritance among your families: and to the more ye shall give the more inheritance, and to the fewer ve shall give the less inheritance: every man's inheritance shall be in the place where his lot falleth; according to the tribes of your fathers ve shall inherit. 55 But if ye will not drive out the inhabitants of the land from before you; then it shall come to pass, that those which ye let remain of them shall be pricks in your eyes, and thorns in your sides, and shall vex you in the land wherein ye dwell. (constantly be vexing & afflicting them.)

Psalm 23:3A He restoreth my soul:

In the Message Version - Finish & job List:

Numbers 31:17 <u>Finish your job</u>: kill all the boys. Kill every woman who has slept with a man.

Numbers 25:18 For they vex you with their wiles, wherewith they have beguiled you in the matter of Peor, and in the matter of <u>Cozbi</u>, the daughter of a prince of Midian, their sister, which was slain in the day of the plague for Peor's sake.

- 1 Samuel 15 Summarized V19,21 Wherefore then didst thou not obey the voice of the LORD, but didst fly upon the spoil, and didst evil in the sight of the LORD? 21 But the people took of the spoil, sheep and oxen, the chief of the things which should have been utterly destroyed, to sacrifice unto the LORD thy God in Gilgal.
- 1 Samuel 17:51 Then David ran up to the Philistine and stood over him, pulled the giant's sword from its sheath, and <u>finished</u> the <u>job</u> by cutting off his head. When the Philistines saw that their great champion was dead, they scattered, running for their lives.

- Acts 20:24 But that matters little. What matters most to me is to <u>finish</u> what God started: the <u>job</u> the Master Jesus gave me of letting everyone I meet know all about this incredibly extravagant generosity of God.
- 2 Corinthians 5:14 For the <u>love</u> of Christ <u>constraineth</u> us; because we thus judge, that if one died for all, then were all dead:
- John 19:30 When Jesus therefore had received the vinegar, he said, <u>It is</u> finished: and he bowed his head, and gave up the ghost.
- John 17:4 I have glorified thee on the earth: <u>I have finished the work which</u> thou gavest me to do.
- Matthew 4:23-25 And Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing all manner of sickness and all manner of disease among the people. 24 And his fame went throughout all Syria: and they brought unto him all sick people that were taken with divers diseases and torments, and those which were possessed with devils, and those which were lunatick, and those that had the palsy; and he healed them. 25 And there followed him great multitudes of people from Galilee, and from Decapolis, and from Jerusalem, and from Judaea, and from beyond Jordan.
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- Mark 5:19 Howbeit Jesus suffered him not, but saith unto him, Go home to thy friends, and tell them how great things the Lord hath done for thee, and hath had compassion on thee.
- Many times our Lord had compassion on the people and ministered to them.
- Luke 10 Summarized the parable of the good Samaritan.
- When Jesus healed the lepers he told them to show the priest as Moses said.
- Ephesians 6:10-18 Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might. 11 Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. 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. 13 Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and

having done all, to stand. 14 Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness; 15 And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace; 16 Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked. 17 And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God: 18 Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints;

- Isaiah 59:17 For he put on righteousness as a breastplate, and an helmet of salvation upon his head; and he put on the garments of vengeance *for* clothing, and was clad with <u>zeal</u> as a <u>cloke</u>.
- Luke 10:17-21 And the seventy returned again with joy, saying, Lord, even the devils are subject unto us through thy name. 18 And he said unto them, I beheld Satan as lightning fall from heaven. 19 Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you. 20 Notwithstanding in this rejoice not, that the spirits are subject unto you; but rather rejoice, because your names are written in heaven.
- Luke 10:19 NKJV "Behold, I give you the authority to trample on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall by any means hurt you.
- Mark 16:15-18 And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and <u>preach</u> the gospel to every creature. 16 He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned. 17 And these signs shall follow them that believe; In My name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues; 18 They shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover.
- James 5:14 Is any sick among you? let him call for the elders of the church; and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord: 15 And the prayer of faith shall save the sick, and the Lord shall raise him up; and if he have committed sins, they shall be forgiven him.

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