

## **The Empire Strikes Back - Joshua 10A**

**Joshua 10:1-6** Now it came to pass, when Adonizedek king of Jerusalem had heard how Joshua had taken Ai, and had utterly destroyed it; as he had done to Jericho and her king, so he had done to Ai and her king; and how the inhabitants of Gibeon had made peace with Israel, and were among them; 2 That they feared greatly, because Gibeon was a great city, as one of the royal cities, and because it was greater than Ai, and all the men thereof were mighty. 3 Wherefore Adonizedek king of Jerusalem sent unto Hoham king of Hebron, and unto Piram king of Jarmuth, and unto Japhia king of Lachish, and unto Debir king of Eglon, saying, 4 Come up unto me, and help me, that we may smite Gibeon: for it hath made peace with Joshua and with the children of Israel. 5 Therefore the five kings of the Amorites, the king of Jerusalem, the king of Hebron, the king of Jarmuth, the king of Lachish, the king of Eglon, gathered themselves together, and went up, they and all their hosts, and encamped before Gibeon, and made war against it. 6 And the men of Gibeon sent unto Joshua to the camp to Gilgal, saying, Slack not thy hand from thy servants; come up to us quickly, and save us, and help us: for all the kings of the Amorites that dwell in the mountains are gathered together against us.

**Joshua 9** Summarized how the Gibeonites deceived Joshua & the Israelites to make a deal with them under God to let them live.

**Joshua 6:25** Joshua saved Rahab the harlot alive, & her father's household, & all that she had; & she dwelleth in Israel *even* unto this day; because she hid the messengers, which Joshua sent to spy out Jericho.

**John 11:49,50** And one of them, *named* Caiaphas, being the high priest that same year, said unto them, Ye know nothing at all, 50 Nor consider that it is expedient for us, that one man should die for the people, and that the whole nation perish not.

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**Isaiah 6:1** In the year that king Uzziah died I saw also the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up, and his train filled the temple.

**Acts 7:56** And (Stephen) said, Behold, I see the heavens opened, and the Son of man standing on the right hand of God.

**Godly fear of the Lord when reading the book of Revelation given to John.**

**Jeremiah 17:5 Thus saith the LORD; Cursed *be* the man that trusteth in man, & maketh flesh his arm, & whose heart departeth from the LORD.**

**Joshua 10:3 Wherefore Adonizedek king of Jerusalem sent unto Hoham king of Hebron, and unto Piram king of Jarmuth, and unto Japhia king of Lachish, and unto Debir king of Eglon, saying, (an ungodly confederacy)**

**Luke 10:19 Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents & scorpions, & over all the power of the enemy: & nothing shall by any means hurt you.**

**Mark 16:16,17 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;**

**1 John 1:9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us *our* sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

**Joshua 10:4 Come up unto me, and help me, that we may smite Gibeon: for it hath made peace with Joshua and with the children of Israel.**

**Job 1 Summarized how God limited what satan could do to Job.**

**Romans 8:34 Who *is* he that condemneth? *It is* Christ that died, yea rather, that is risen again, who is even at the right hand of God, who also maketh intercession for us.**

**Matthew 7:13,14 Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide *is* the gate, and broad *is* the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat: 14 Because strait *is* the gate, and narrow *is* the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.**

**1 John 4:1 Beloved, believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God: because many false prophets are gone out into the world.**

**Revelation 12:11 And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb, & by the word of their testimony; and they loved not their lives unto the death.**

**Joshua 10:5 Therefore the five kings of the Amorites, the king of Jerusalem, the king of Hebron, the king of Jarmuth, the king of Lachish, the king of Eglon, gathered themselves together, and went up, they and all their hosts, and encamped before Gibeon, and made war against it.**

**Luke 4:8 And Jesus answered and said unto him, Get thee behind me, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve.**

**Matthew 4:7 Jesus said unto him, It is written again, Thou shalt not tempt the Lord thy God.**

**Joshua 10:6 And the men of Gibeon sent unto Joshua to the camp to Gilgal, saying, Slack not thy hand from thy servants; come up to us quickly, and save us, and help us: for all the kings of the Amorites that dwell in the mountains are gathered together against us.**

**Matthew 14:30 But when he (Peter) saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid;**

and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me.

**Matthew 11:28** Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

**Joshua 10:2** That they feared greatly, because Gibeon *was* a great city, as one of the royal cities, and because it *was* greater than Ai, and all the men thereof *were* mighty.

**Luke 8** Summarized of the account of the Gadarene demoniac meeting Jesus. V28 When he saw Jesus, he cried out, and fell down before him, and with a loud voice said, What have I to do with thee, Jesus, *thou* Son of God most high? I beseech thee, torment me not.

**Matthew 27:54** Now when the centurion, and they that were with him, watching Jesus, saw the earthquake, and those things that were done, they feared greatly, saying, Truly this was the Son of God.

**Luke 23:46** when Jesus had cried with a loud voice, he said, Father, into thy hands I commend my spirit: & having said thus, he gave up the ghost.

**Luke 23:34** Then said Jesus, Father, forgive them; for they know not what they do. And they parted his raiment, and cast lots.

**Strong's #0139** 'Adoniy-Tsedeq *ad-o''- nee-tseh'- dek* AV-Adonizedek 2; Adoni-zedek =" my lord is righteous" 1) Canaanite king slain by Joshua

The false religion coming against God's people.

**Romans 1:17** For therein is the righteousness of God revealed from faith to faith: as it is written, The just shall live by faith.

**Strong's #01944** Howham *ho-hawm'* AV-Hoham 1; Hoham =" whom Jehovah impels" 1) king of Hebron at the time of the conquest of Canaan

**Strong's #06502** Pir'am *pir-awm'* AV-Piram 1; Piram =" like a wild ass" 1) the Amorite king of Jarmuth at the time of the conquest

**Proverbs 22:1** A good name *is* rather to be chosen than great riches, *and* loving favour rather than silver and gold.

**Strong's #03309** Yaphiya` *yaw-fee'- ah* AV-Japhia 5; Japhia =" shining" (False Light) 2) king of Lachish at the conquest of Canaan by Joshua

**Strong's #01688** D@biyr *deb-eer'* or (shortened) D@bir (#Joshua 13:26 but see 03810) *deb-eer'* AV-Debir 14; 14 Debir =" sanctuary" (False Church)

1) the king of Eglon, one of the five kings hanged by Joshua

2) a town in the mountains of Judah west of Hebron and given to the priests and a city of refuge

**Romans 8:31** What shall we then say to these things? If God *be* for us, who *can be* against us?