

Week 12: Slow Burn Out

December 08, 2025



Last Week: It's not you,
it's HIM

God instructed the
Israelites to take over the
Promised Land, starting
with Jericho

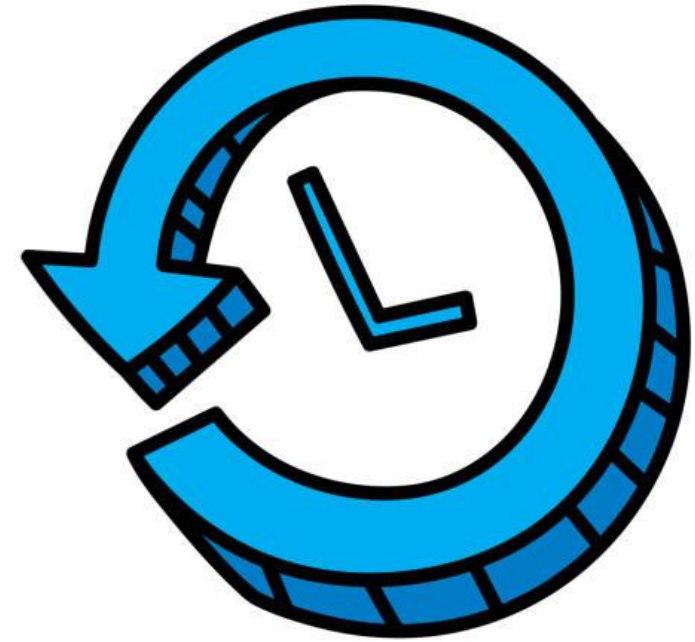
Joshua sent spies into
Jericho and a woman
named Rahab, who
feared God, helped them

God gave Joshua
instructions on how to
conquer Jericho

The Israelites marched
around the city for 7
days and on the 7th day
the walls of Jericho fell
down

The Israelites conquered
all of Jericho, but spared
Rahab and her family
because she helped the
spies

RECAP



Roadmap through the Wilderness

**Israelites In Egypt
(400 years)**

**Journey in the wilderness
(40 years)**

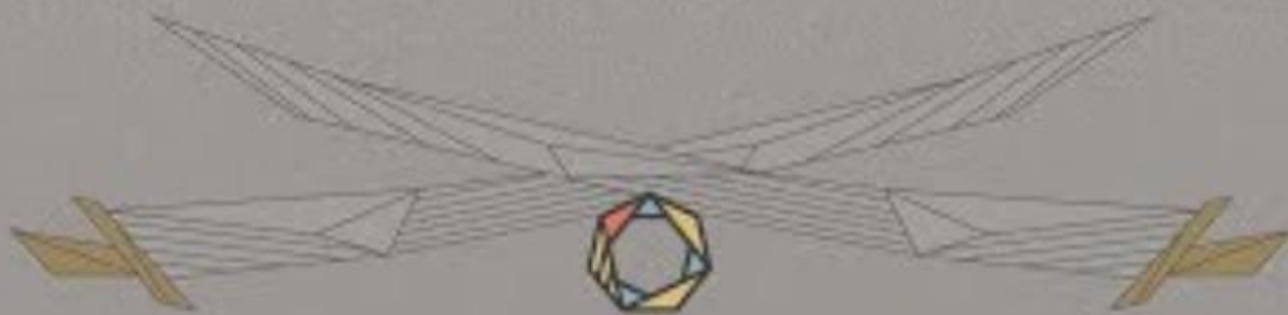
After the Promised Land

- 2 Kings 24 – 25
- 2 Chronicales 36
- Ezra
- Nehemiah
- Psalm 137
- Jeremiah
- Ezekiel
- Daniel

**Exodus from Egypt
(weeks to months)**

**Israelites in the Promised land
(approximately 800 years)**

Judges 1 - 16



the book of

JUDGES



GIDEON



DEBORAH



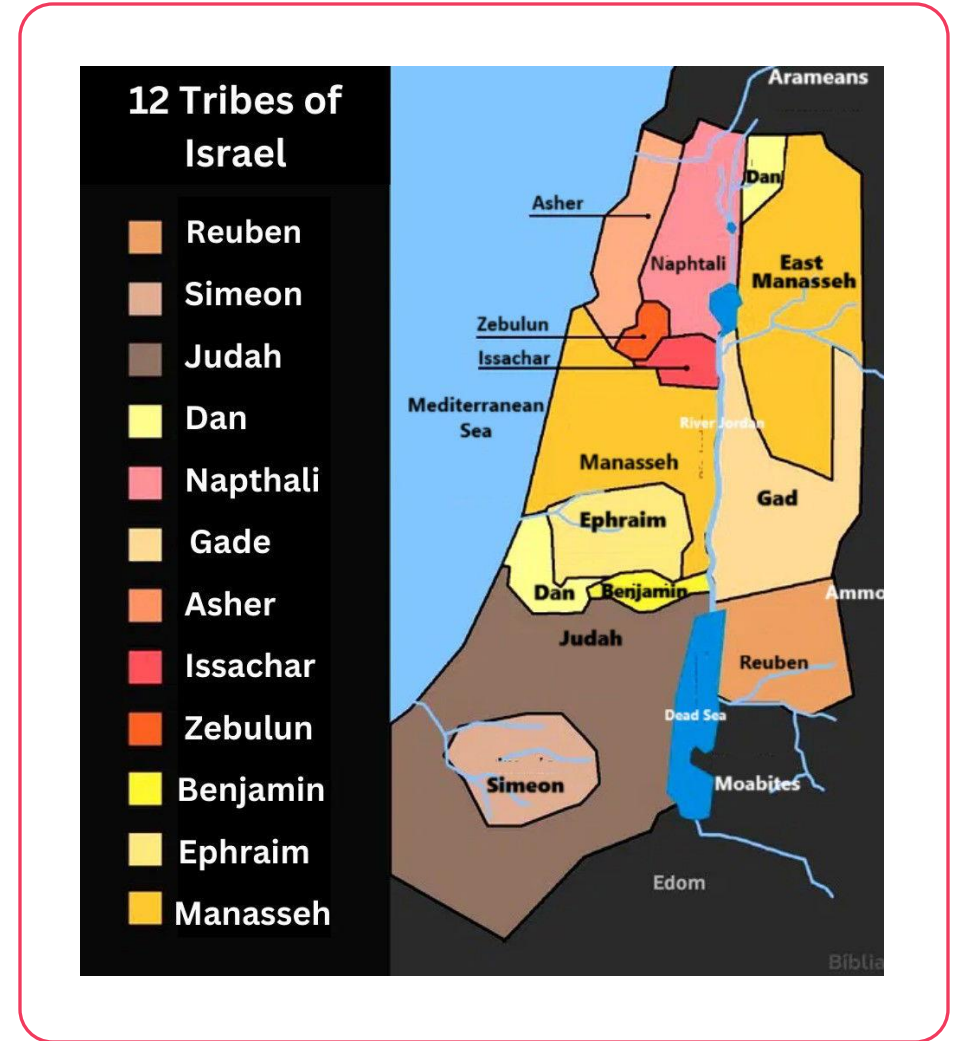
SAMPSON



JEPHTHAH

Joshua 22

- Some tribes were separated from the rest of Israel by the Jordan River
 - Gad
 - Reuben
 - Half the tribe of Manasseh
- These eastern tribes built an altar (Joshua 22:10)
- The western tribes got ready to go to war against them when they heard about the altar (Joshua 22:11)
- The western tribes were willing to give up some of their land (Joshua 22:19)



Reminder: Blessings and Curses

- Blessings (Deuteronomy 28: 1-14)
 - Trust in God
 - Faithfulness to God
- Curses (Deuteronomy 28: 15 – 68)
 - Trusting in false gods and idols
 - Disobedience to God



(Open Discussion)

**How do you
keep a fire
burning?**

Keeping Your Faith on Fire



START WITH A GOOD
FOUNDATION



STOKE THE FIRE



PROTECT IT

Results of Faith on Fire

- Big Burnt Out
- Maintain it
- Let it Go Out
- Grow it



Big Burn Out



- **When:** Usually this happens at the beginning of a faith journey
- **How:** Poor foundation



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Let it Go Out



- **When:** Anytime on a faith journey, but more likely during hard or very easy times
- **How:** Stop fueling and/or stop protecting the fire



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Maintain It



- **When:** When we get "comfortable" or complacent in our faith
- **How:** Doing the bare minimum



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Grow It



- **When:** Anytime during our faith journey
- **How:** Consistently and intentionally working on your relationship with God



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**REMINDER:
REGISTRATION IS
OPEN**

**Winter 2026 Starts
January 5th**

