

Facts to Know

Joshua	Followed after Moses to lead the Israelites in the Conquest of Canaan
Canaan	Promise land of Israelites, also known as Israel, Palestine, or the Holy Land
Jordan River	River that Israel crossed through to enter the promised land
Rahab the harlot	Hid the spies sent into Jericho
Jericho	First city to be conquered by Israel in Canaan
Flax	Plant; produces linseed oil; linen fabric made from fibers

Memory Verse

Joshua 1:9

Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.

1. What does it mean to be "of a good courage?"
2. What does "whithersoever thou goest" mean?
3. What reason did the Israelites have to not be afraid?

Comprehension Questions

1. What was the arrangement Rahab made with the spies?
2. How did Rahab mark her father's house?
3. What does "faint with fear" mean?
4. Why were the people of Jericho so afraid of Israel?
5. What orders did Joshua give the priests? Describe their procession around the city.
6. What orders did Joshua give the Israelites? How many days did they march?

Activities

Locate on your map and memorize: Jordan River Jericho

Pp. 180 Identify the spies. Who is helping them down from the roof?

Pp. 182 In which city does the story take place? Find it on the map.

Pp. 183 Describe what is happening in the picture. What are the men carrying? What are their trumpets made of?

Pp. 184-185 Who is standing before the Israelite army? What has happened to the walls of Jericho?

Pp. 140-143 Review the Ark of the Covenant and the articles of Old Testament worship.

Draw a picture of the Israelites marching around the city with their horns.