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Joshua 3:1-7

**The Crossover: Wilderness to Promise**

**1. Let Divine Destiny Dictate Direction**

- After centuries of waiting, the promise made to Abraham was coming to fruition for his descendants.
- Since Moses passed, Joshua was charged to take the reign and cross the people over to the promise land.
- Initially must depart *Shittim* (Spiritually depleted) after wandering in the wilderness.

**2. Prayer and Preparation (Supportive Scripture: 6:12; 7:16; 8:10)**

- Joshua's custom was to arise early for prayer & devotion. He is found here rising early to leave Shittim, and once they arrived on the bank of the River Jordan, they lodged there three days in prayer and preparation to crossover.
- During their stay they also received detailed instructions for crossing over.

**3. Practice of Patience, Position Presence & Pursue Prophetic Purpose**

- Patiently stay in position while actively pursuing God's presence
- prophetic purpose will be revealed
- Just because we know where we want to go, it does not mean we know how to get there.
- Follow the plans of those God has placed in our path to assist us along the way.

**4. Sanctify for Success**

- Sanctify means to set apart, consecrate to hear and be used by God.
- Anticipate divine appointment

**5. Do not have to do alone: Include Others & Delegate**

**6. Welcome the "Revealed Promise of FOREVER"**