

Joshua 24:19-21

¹⁹Joshua said to the people, "You are not able to serve the Lord. He is a holy God; he is a jealous God. He will not forgive your rebellion and your sins. ²⁰If you forsake the Lord and serve foreign gods, he will turn and bring disaster on you and make an end of you, after he has been good to you."

²¹But the people said to Joshua, "No! We will serve the Lord."



SERMON NOTES

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What a Father Can Do!

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Joshua's farewell address
Dark days ahead

History

Prosperity

Deuteronomy 8:12-14

¹²Otherwise, when you eat and are satisfied, when you build fine houses and settle down, ¹³and when your herds and flocks grow large and your silver and gold increase and all you have is multiplied, ¹⁴then your heart will become proud and you will forget the Lord your God, who brought you out of Egypt, out of the land of slavery.

Liberty

Judges 17:6 (NASB) In those days there was no king in Israel; every man did what was right in his own eyes.

- Tell the story! (vs. 2-13)

Deuteronomy 6:4-7 (NASB)

⁴"Hear, O Israel! The Lord is our God, the Lord is one! ⁵You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. ⁶These words, which I am commanding you today, shall be on your heart. ⁷You shall teach them diligently to your sons and shall talk of them when you sit in your house and when you walk by the way and when you lie down and when you rise up.

- Set the example 9v. 15)

To serve – abad (Hebrew) "to work"

- Warn of half-heartedness (v. 14)

Revelation 2:4 " You have forsaken your first love."