

# JOSHUA

## CROSSING THE JORDAN

### Introduction

#### I. Events

II. This miracle marked the beginning of a new way of guidance for Israel (3:4)

##### A. Explanation

##### B. Application: As we are led:

1. Forgiveness (I John 1:9; 2:1,2)
2. Faith (Heb. 11:1,2)

III. This miracle established Joshua as their new leader (3:7; 4:14)

##### A. Explanation

##### B. Application: Area designating the greater Leader (Mt. 3:16,17; Jn. 10:27)

IV. This miracle a reminder to fear God (3:10,11; Ps. 66:5-7; Josh 4:6,7,21-24; 5:1)

##### A. Explanation

##### B. Application:

1. Fear God (4:24)
2. Teach future generations (4:21-25; Ex. 13:11-14; 12:25,26; Dt. 6:20-25)
3. Weakness of God's people---we forget; we fail to remember (4:9)

V. God's purposes for His glory and His people are the center of history (Eph. 1:22)