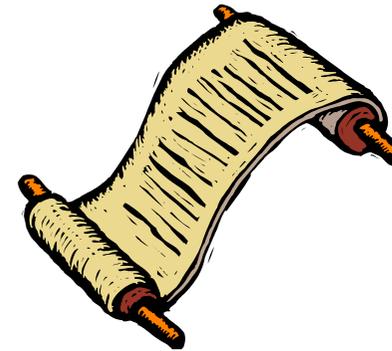


Prayer and the decisions we make

When common sense says that a course is right, lift your heart to God, for the path of faith and the path of blessing may be in a direction completely opposite to that which you call common sense. When voices tell you that action is urgent, that something must be done immediately, refer everything to the tribunal of heaven. Then, if you are still in doubt, dare to stand still. If you are called on to act and you have no time to pray, don't act. If you are called on to move in a certain direction and cannot wait until you have peace with God about it, don't move. Be strong enough and brave enough to dare to stand and wait on God, for none of them that wait on him shall ever be ashamed. That is the only way to outmatch the devil.

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Joshua 9:1-27

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Topical Questions for Discussion

Study 9: Deceived by Appearances

1. Vs.1, 2: At this point in the book of Joshua the size and intensity of the opposition against Israel is increasing. Why?
2. What examples can you think of either from history or in your own experience where Christians have been deceived by appearances?
3. You are offered a new job overseas working for a large, successful company. The work sounds really interesting and the salary is attractive. How do you respond? (Be specific)
4. Take time to reflect on what you have learned about God from Joshua 9 and what it means for you to be in covenant relationship with Him. Then...
 - Ask for wisdom not to be deceived by the disguise and flattery of the enemy
 - Reflect on any past mistakes you may have made and thank God for His over-ruling grace.
 - Bring any current decisions before the Lord and commit to obeying His instruction.

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