

Fighting among the Nations

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Joshua 11:6 - 9, 16 - 23 (KJV)

1. Give the names of the first cities that Joshua conquered in the Northern part of the Promised Land.

Joshua 10:1 (KJV)

Now it came to pass, when Adonizedek king of Jerusalem had heard how Joshua had taken Ai, and had utterly destroyed it; as he had done to Jericho and her king, so he had done to Ai and her king; and how the inhabitants of Gibeon had made peace with Israel, and were among them;

2. What did the king of Jerusalem do when he saw how Joshua had conquered some of the cities in the Northern part of the Promised Land and Gibeon made peace with Israel?

Joshua 10:3 - 4 (KJV)

³ Wherefore Adonizedek king of Jerusalem sent unto Hoham king of Hebron, and unto Piram king of Jarmuth, and unto Japhia king of Lachish, and unto Debir king of Eglon, saying, ⁴ Come up unto me, and help me, that we may smite Gibeon: for it hath made peace with Joshua and with the children of Israel.

3. What did the men of Gibeon do when the ten kings came to attack them?

Joshua 10:5 - 6 (KJV)

⁵ Therefore the five kings of the Amorites, the king of Jerusalem, the king of Hebron, the king of Jarmuth, the king of Lachish, the king of Eglon, gathered themselves together, and went up, they and all their hosts, and encamped before Gibeon, and made war against it. ⁶ And the men of Gibeon sent unto Joshua to the camp to Gilgal, saying, Slack not thy hand from thy servants; come up to us quickly, and save us, and help us: for all the kings of the Amorites that dwell in the mountains are gathered together against us.

4. What happened before the kings attacked Gibeon?

Joshua 10:9 (KJV)

Joshua therefore came upon them suddenly, having marched all night from Gilgal.

5. What did the kings of the armies do during the battle?

Joshua 10:10 (KJV)

And the LORD discomfited them before Israel, and slew them with a great slaughter at Gibeon, and chased them along the way that goeth up to Bethhoron, and smote them to Azekah, and unto Makkedah.

Joshua 10:17 (KJV)

And it was told Joshua, saying, The five kings are found hid in a cave at Makkedah.

6. What did Joshua do after he destroyed the kings who escaped?

Joshua 10:28 - 29 (KJV)

²⁸ And that day Joshua took Makkedah, and smote it with the edge of the sword, and the king thereof he utterly destroyed, them, and all the souls that *were* therein; he let none remain: and he did to the king of Makkedah as he did unto the king of Jericho. ²⁹ Then Joshua passed from Makkedah, and all Israel with him, unto Libnah, and fought against Libnah:

7. In the following Scriptures, indicate the cities that Joshua fought against.

Then Joshua passed from Makkedah, and all Israel with him, unto Libnah, and fought against Libnah: **Joshua 10:29 (KJV)**

And Joshua passed from Libnah, and all Israel with him, unto Lachish, and encamped against it, and fought against it: **Joshua 10:31 (KJV)**

Then Horam king of Gezer came up to help Lachish; and Joshua smote him and his people, until he had left him none remaining. **Joshua 10:33 (KJV)**

And from Lachish Joshua passed unto Eglon, and all Israel with him; and they encamped against it, and fought against it: **Joshua 10:34 (KJV)**

And Joshua went up from Eglon, and all Israel with him, unto Hebron; and they fought against it: **Joshua 10:36 (KJV)**

And Joshua returned, and all Israel with him, to Debir; and fought against it: **Joshua 10:38 (KJV)**

8. Why do you think Joshua was so successful in defeating the enemies of the Promised Land?

Joshua 10:42 (KJV)

And all these kings and their land did Joshua take at one time, because the LORD God of Israel fought for Israel.

9. Give the number of kings in the following Scripture.

Joshua 11:1 (KJV)

And it came to pass, when Jabin king of Hazor had heard *those things*, that he sent to Jobab king of Madon, and to the king of Shimron, and to the king of Achshaph,

10. Give the geographical directions that the kings gathered from.

Joshua 11:2 - 3 (KJV)

² And to the kings that *were* on the north of the mountains, and of the plains south of Chinneroth, and in the valley, and in the borders of Dor on the west,

³ *And to* the Canaanite on the east and on the west, and *to* the Amorite, and the Hittite, and the Perizzite, and the Jebusite in the mountains, and *to* the Hivite under Hermon in the land of Mizpeh.

11. Complete blanks with words below that contain the various peoples who came to fight against Israel.

A _____ite

H _____ite

C _____ite

P _____ite

J _____ite

H _____ite

Joshua 11:3 (KJV)

And to the Canaanite on the east and on the west, and *to* the Amorite, and the Hittite, and the Perizzite, and the Jebusite in the mountains, and *to* the Hivite under Hermon in the land of Mizpeh.

12. When the kings of the land came together to attack Israel, how did God reassure Joshua that the kings would not be successful in defeating Israel?

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(#12 Scripture Reference next page.)

Joshua 11:6 (NKJV)

But the LORD said to Joshua,
“Do not be afraid because of them,
for tomorrow about this time I will deliver all of them slain before Israel.
You shall hamstring their horses and burn their chariots with fire.”

13. When the kings of the land and Israel gathered near the waters of Merom, who attacked first?
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Joshua 11:7 (KJV)

So Joshua came, and all the people of war with him,
against them by the waters of Merom suddenly; and they fell upon them.

14. During the battle, some of the enemies tried to get away.
What did Joshua do when some of the enemies were trying to escape?
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Joshua 11:8 (KJV)

And the LORD delivered them into the hand of Israel,
who smote them, and chased them unto great Zidon,
and unto Misrephothmaim, and unto the valley of Mizpeh eastward;
and they smote them, until they left them none remaining.

15. Why do you think God told Joshua to *cripple the horses* and *burn the chariots*?
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Joshua 11:9 (NKJV)

So Joshua did to them as the LORD had told him:
he hamstrung their horses and burned their chariots with fire.

Psalms 20:7 (KJV)

Some *trust* in chariots, and some in horses:
but we will remember the name of the LORD our God.

16. Give the geographical territory that Joshua conquered.

H_____ V_____ P_____ M_____

Joshua 11:16 (KJV)

So Joshua took all that land, the hills,
and all the south country, and all the land of Goshen,
and the valley, and the plain, and the mountain of Israel,
and the valley of the same;

17. Give the advantage of having a television with a remote control.

Joshua 11:17 - 18 (KJV)

¹⁷ *Even* from the mount Halak, that goeth up to Seir,
even unto Baalgad in the valley of Lebanon under mount Hermon:
and all their kings he took, and smote them, and slew them.

¹⁸ Joshua made war a long time with all those kings.

18. Give the name of the people who made peace with Israel. _____

Joshua 11:19 (KJV)

There was not a city that made peace with the children of Israel,
save the Hivites the inhabitants of Gibeon: all *other* they took in battle.

19. Why do you think the other people in the land *did not* try to make peace with Israel?

Joshua 11:20 (KJV)

For it was of the LORD to harden their hearts,
that they should come against Israel in battle,
that he might destroy them utterly, *and* that they might have no favour,
but that he might destroy them, as the LORD commanded Moses.

20. Give the key word in Joshua 11:21 (KJV).

Joshua 11:21 (KJV)

And at that time came Joshua,
and cut off the Anakims from the mountains,
from Hebron, from Debir, from Anab,
and from all the mountains of Judah,
and from all the mountains of Israel:
Joshua destroyed them utterly with their cities.

21. Did Joshua conquer all of the Anakims? ► **Yes or No**

Joshua 11:22 (KJV)

There was none of the Anakims left in the land of the children of Israel:
only in Gaza, in Gath, and in Ashdod, there remained.

22. Give the difference between the *rest* that Joshua gave to Israel and the *rest* the Holy Spirit gives to some Christians.

God through Joshua gave the Children of Israel rest from **w**_____.

The Holy Spirit gives some Christians rest from the **w**_____ of
this life we are living in today.

Joshua 11:23 (KJV)

So Joshua took the whole land, according to all that the LORD said unto Moses;
and Joshua gave it for an inheritance unto Israel according to their divisions
by their tribes. And the land rested from war.

Hebrews 4:8 (KJV)

For if **Jesus** had given them rest,
then would he not afterward have
spoken of another day.

Hebrews 4:8 (NKJV)

For if **Joshua** had given them rest
then would He not afterward have
spoken of another day.

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JOSHUA 11:6 - 9 (KJV)

⁶ And the LORD said unto Joshua, Be not afraid because of them: for to morrow about this time will I deliver them up all slain before Israel: thou shalt hough their horses, and burn their chariots with fire.

⁷ So Joshua came, and all the people of war with him, against them by the waters of Merom suddenly; and they fell upon them.

⁸ And the LORD delivered them into the hand of Israel, who smote them, and chased them unto great Zidon, and unto Misrephothmaim, and unto the valley of Mizpeh eastward; and they smote them, until they left them none remaining.

⁹ And Joshua did unto them as the LORD bade him: he houghed their horses, and burnt their chariots with fire.

JOSHUA 11:16 - 23 (KJV)

¹⁶ So Joshua took all that land, the hills, and all the south country, and all the land of Goshen, and the valley, and the plain, and the mountain of Israel, and the valley of the same;

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