

A New Season

Joshua 1:2

Moses my servant is dead. Now then, you and all these people, get ready to cross the Jordan River into the land I am about to give to them—to the Israelites.

**1. THE END OF A SEASON MEANS
THE OLD HAS PASSED AWAY**

Luke 9:60

...Let the dead bury their dead

2. THE START OF A NEW SEASON BEGINS WITH A WORD FROM GOD

Isaiah 43:15-19

I *am* the LORD, your Holy One, the Creator of Israel, your King.

Thus says the LORD, who makes a way in the sea and a path through the
mighty waters, who brings forth the chariot and horse,
the army and the power...

Do not remember the former things, nor consider the things of old. Behold, I
will do a new thing, now it shall spring forth;
shall you not know it?

I will even make a road in the wilderness *and* rivers in the desert.

3. NEW SEASONS BEGIN WHEN YOU ARISE

4. NEW SEASONS ARE BUILT ON OLD SEASONS

5. TRANSITION WITH COURAGE

Joshua 1:3-9

³ Every place that the sole of your foot will tread upon I have given you, as I said to Moses. ⁴ From the wilderness and this Lebanon as far as the great river, the River Euphrates, all the land of the Hittites, and to the Great Sea toward the going down of the sun, shall be your territory. ⁵ No man shall *be able to* stand before you all the days of your life; as I was with Moses, so I will be with you. I will not leave you nor forsake you. ⁶ **Be strong and of good courage**, for to this people you shall divide as an inheritance the land which I swore to their fathers to give them.

Joshua 1:3-9

⁷ Only **be strong and very courageous**, that you may observe to do according to all the law which Moses My servant commanded you; do not turn from it to the right hand or to the left, that you may prosper wherever you go. ⁸ This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate in it day and night, that you may observe to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success. ⁹ Have I not commanded you? **Be strong and of good courage**; do not be afraid, nor be dismayed, for the LORD your God *is with you wherever you go.*”

6. NEW ROADS AND NEW RIVERS ARE AHEAD

7. BUILD A HOUSEHOLD OF CHAMPIONS

Joshua 24:15

But if serving the LORD seems undesirable to you, then choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served beyond the Euphrates, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you are living. But as for me and my household, we will serve the LORD."