

Isaiah 49:23b (NIV) "... Those who hope in me will not be disappointed."

C) _____

Joshua 1:8 (NIV) "Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful."

What you meditate on (think, mutter) will come out of your mouth and determine the course of your life.

Numbers 14:1-4 (NIV) "That night all the people of the community raised their voices and wept aloud. All the Israelites grumbled against Moses and Aaron, and the whole assembly said to them, 'If only we had died in Egypt! Or in this desert! Why is the Lord bringing us to this land only to let us fall by the sword? Our wives and children will be taken as plunder. Wouldn't it be better for us to go back to Egypt?' And they said to each other, 'We should choose a leader and go back to Egypt.'"

We have to be like David and make a decision to not sin with our mouths.

Psalms 17:3 (NIV) "Though you probe my heart and examine me at night, though you test me, you will find nothing; I have resolved that my mouth will not sin."

Psalms 19:14 (NIV) "May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be pleasing in your sight, O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer."



GETTING READY FOR MY ASSIGNMENT

JOSHUA 1:1-3 & 8-11 (NIV)

"After the death of Moses the servant of the Lord, the Lord said to Joshua son of Nun, Moses' aide: '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. I will give you every place where you set your foot as I promised Moses.'

'... Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful. Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the Lord our God will be with you wherever you go.'

So Joshua ordered the officers of the people: 'Go through the camp and tell the people, **Get your supplies ready**. Three days from now you will cross the Jordan here to go in and take possession of the land the Lord your God is giving you for your own.'"

1) RECOGNIZE SOME THINGS IN MY LIFE ARE MEANT TO _____

HOW I CAN GET READY FOR MY ASSIGNMENT:

Isaiah 42:9 (NIV) "See, the former things have taken place, and new things I declare; before they spring into being I announce them to you."

God often times is waiting for _____

Isaiah 42:14-16 (NIV) "For a long time I have kept silent, I have been quiet and held myself back. But now, like a woman in childbirth, I cry out, I gasp and pant. I will lay waste the mountains and hills and dry up all their vegetation; I will turn rivers into islands and dry up the pools. I will lead the blind by ways they have not known, along unfamiliar paths I will guide them; I will turn the darkness into light before them and make the rough places smooth. These are the things I will do; I will not forsake them."

2) RECOGNIZE WHEN GOD IS INDICATING IT IS TIME FOR _____

Joshua 1:11 "Go through the camp and tell the people, 'Get your supplies ready. Three days from now you will cross the Jordan here to go in and take possession of the land the Lord your God is giving you for your own!'"

When God decides it is time to transition and to shift into the fulfillment of a promise, it may seem _____

Joshua 3:15-16 (NIV) "Now the Jordan is at flood stage all during harvest. Yet as soon as the priests who carried the ark reached the Jordan and their feet touched the water's edge, the water from upstream stopped flowing."

Zechariah 4:6-7 "Not by might, nor by power, but by my Spirit, says the Lord Almighty. What are you, O mighty mountain? Before Zerubbabel you will become level ground..."

3) AVOID THREE MAJOR _____ IN MY NEW SEASON

Joshua 1:9 (NIV) "Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go."

A) _____

Numbers 13:31-32 (NIV) "But the men who had gone up with him said, 'We can't attack those people; they are stronger than we are. And they spread among the Israelites a bad report about the land they had explored.'"

We are not to be afraid of the giants or problems that we face in life because God is bigger than any problem. Fear can allow something else to become bigger than God.

Hebrews 3:19 (NIV) "So we see that they were not able to enter because of their unbelief."

The key to removing fear is to stay centered in God's love.

1 John 4:18 (NIV) "There is no fear in love. But perfect love drives out fear, because fear has to do with punishment. The one who fears is not made perfect in love."

B) _____

Joshua 1:9 "... do not be discouraged..."

"Discouraged" (Strong's #2865, Chathath) means _____