

# REPOSITIONED



## Prayer diary Week 1

### From Recession to Possession

The book of Joshua is the redemptive story of God bringing His people from a place of failure into favour, from recession into possession. Joshua means “Yahweh saves,” an appropriate name for the man who led Israel, under God’s command, to victorious conquest of the Promised Land. Joshua has lived under the promise of God and now he is repositioning the people for its fulfilment.

**I believe the Lord has invited us to reposition our hearts in expectancy, to align our lives with His Glory and to expand our vision of territory.**

**Joshua** 1v1-3 *After the death of Moses the servant of the Lord, the Lord said to Joshua son of Nun, Moses’ aide: 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. 3 I will give you every place where you set your foot, as I promised Moses.*

**The process of repositioning starts with leaving behind something or someone behind.**

**Moses is dead** - Deuteronomy 34v5-12 **5** *So Moses the servant of the Lord died there in the land of Moab, according to the word of the Lord, 6 and he buried him in the valley in the land of Moab opposite Beth-peor; but no one knows the place of his burial to this day. 7 Moses was 120 years old when he died. His eye was undimmed, and his vigour unabated. 8 And the people of Israel wept for Moses in the plains of Moab thirty days. Then the days of weeping and mourning for Moses were ended. 9 And Joshua the son of Nun was full of the spirit of wisdom, for Moses had laid his hands on him. So the people of Israel obeyed him and did as the Lord had commanded Moses. 10 And there has not arisen a prophet since in Israel like Moses, whom the Lord knew face to face, 11 none like him for all the signs and the wonders that the Lord sent him to do in the land of Egypt, to Pharaoh and to all his servants and to all his land, 12 and for all the mighty power and all the great deeds of terror that Moses did in the sight of all Israel.*

**God didn't want them to erect a monument to Moses He was inviting them to become a new movement of God.**

It's so important that we don't get stuck in the past when we are invited into Gods preferred future

God buries Moses and doesn't tell anyone where. The season of weeping is over, it has past and there can be no camping in what has happened.

God wants the people to understand that Moses only saw the promise from a distance, but they are the people who will possess it. Church history is littered with people who loved the blessing of the past and never entered the promise of future. It's true to say that when God gives us the blessing we desire we can end up desiring the blessing more than the One who gave it. Moses is dead – it's important to the Israelites to know that they can't go around trying to dig up what God has buried

## **If you won't let your past die - it won't let you live**

Joshua-had more reasons than anyone for wanting to dig up Moses was his mentor, father, teacher, he carried a powerful presence of God and performed many miracles and demonstrations of Gods favour.

Weather your past is good or bad - God begins to speak and says Moses my servant is dead.

### **If we are not careful the thing that brought deliverance in one season of our lives will deny our inheritance in the next**

**What brought to hear won't take you to there;** People, relationships, connections that brought you to *here* can't always accompany you to *there*. We need discernment to know the wisdom of partnering with those who can take us into our future. Do not dig up past blessings, encounters and experiences we need to become clear and understand that what God has buried must remain dead.

Phil 3v13-14: *Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended: but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus.*

**Have to leave the Old Glory to walk in the New Story and Glory God invites us to.**

## **Prayer points Moving from Recession to Possession**

### **Monday**

Pray that The Holy Spirit will show you if there is anything that is keeping you attached to your past. Ask The Lord to give you the courage and wisdom to let your Moses stay dead.

### **Tuesday**

The Old move of God defined your life but it brought you here but it won't lead you there. Pray that you don't confine the life of the Spirit by holding onto what has happened. Ask the Holy Spirit to give you a fresh hope and expectancy and a willingness to more and more into the fulfilment of God Promise.

### **Wednesday**

Often the emergence of The Promise is hidden in the problem. The disruption is more than an interruption, it's a deconstruction of anything that restricts movement. Ask The Holy Spirit to help you find the invitation inside the interruption there is always treasure in trial and trauma.

### **Thursday**

Now and Then are two words spoken in the Glory by God to Joshua. They speak of something present and something future. There are alignments right now that produce Kingdom assignments. We need to understand what needs to happen now if we are to move towards then. What is needed *now* opens up what is promised *then*. Pray the Lord brings clarity to your now.

**Friday**

Ask for a prophetic expansive vision of your promised future. The Lord has much to show us and our eyes have grown faint through disappointments and discouragement. Fresh vision is required, and the Lord loves to reveal His nature and character. Vision is not what we do but who we are becoming.