

¹Now the gates of Jericho were securely barred because of the Israelites. No one went out and no one came in. ²Then the Lord said to Joshua, “See, I have delivered Jericho into your hands, along with its king and its fighting men. ³March around the city once with all the armed men. Do this for six days. ⁴Have seven priests carry trumpets of rams’ horns in front of the ark. On the seventh day, march around the city seven times, with the priests blowing the trumpets.

Joshua 6:1-17, 20

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⁵When you hear them sound a long blast on the trumpets, have the whole army give a loud shout; then the wall of the city will collapse and the army will go up, everyone straight in.”

⁶So Joshua son of Nun called the priests and said to them, “Take up the ark of the covenant of the Lord and have seven priests carry trumpets in front of it.” ⁷And he ordered the army, “Advance! March around the city, with an armed guard going ahead of the ark of the Lord.”

Joshua 6:1-17, 20

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⁸When Joshua had spoken to the people, the seven priests carrying the seven trumpets before the Lord went forward, blowing their trumpets, and the ark of the Lord's covenant followed them. ⁹The armed guard marched ahead of the priests who blew the trumpets, and the rear guard followed the ark. All this time the trumpets were sounding. ¹⁰But Joshua had commanded the army, "Do not give a war cry, do not raise your voices, do not say a word until the day I tell you to shout. Then shout!"

Joshua 6:1-17, 20

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¹¹So he had the ark of the Lord carried around the city, circling it once. Then the army returned to camp and spent the night there.

¹²Joshua got up early the next morning and the priests took up the ark of the Lord. ¹³The seven priests carrying the seven trumpets went forward, marching before the ark of the Lord and blowing the trumpets. The armed men went ahead of them and the rear guard followed the ark of the Lord, while the trumpets kept sounding.

Joshua 6:1-17, 20

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¹⁴So on the second day they marched around the city once and returned to the camp. They did this for six days.¹⁵On the seventh day, they got up at daybreak and marched around the city seven times in the same manner, except that on that day they circled the city seven times.¹⁶The seventh time around, when the priests sounded the trumpet blast, Joshua commanded the army, “Shout! For the Lord has given you the city!

Joshua 6:1-17, 20

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¹⁷The city and all that is in it are to be devoted to the Lord. Only Rahab the prostitute and all who are with her in her house shall be spared, because she hid the spies we sent. ²⁰When the trumpets sounded, the army shouted, and at the sound of the trumpet, when the men gave a loud shout, the wall collapsed; so everyone charged straight in, and they took the city.

Joshua 6:1-17, 20

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**Win in the Spirit and you win everywhere
else!**

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THE WORD AGAINST
THE WALL

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Accept that God's Decisions are our Reality

²Then the Lord said to Joshua, "**See, I have delivered** Jericho into your hands, along with its king and its fighting men.

Joshua 6:2

Accept that God's Decisions are our Reality

The Word of the Lord is the revelation of what God has decided.

Accept that God's Decisions are our Reality

Jericho was secured in God's Word, rather than at Jericho.

Accept that God's Decisions are our Reality

Once God has decided, there is no power, no force of nature, and no political will that can reverse what God has chosen to do.

Circle the Problem and Proclaim the Word Against the Wall

³March around the city once with all the armed men. Do this for six days. ⁴Have seven priests carry trumpets of rams' horns in front of the ark. On the seventh day, march around the city seven times, with the priests blowing the trumpets.

Joshua 6:3-4

Circle the Problem and Proclaim the Word Against the Wall

They didn't run from the problem but circled it
with God's Word!

Circle the Problem and Proclaim the Word Against the Wall

The trumpet being blown represents the prophetic Word of the Lord.

It is a powerful word that fills the earth in advance of its accomplishment so that when it is accomplished, no man could take the credit.

Circle the Problem and Proclaim the Word Against the Wall

¹⁹“Here comes that dreamer!” they said to each other. ²⁰“Come now, let’s kill him and throw him into one of these cisterns and say that a ferocious animal devoured him. Then we’ll see what comes of his dreams.”

Genesis 37:19-20

Circle the Problem and Proclaim the Word Against the Wall

⁸“My thoughts,” says the LORD, “are not like yours, and my ways are different from yours. ⁹As high as the heavens are above the earth, so high are my ways and thoughts above yours.” ¹⁰My word is like the snow and the rain that come down from the sky to water the earth.

Isaiah 55:8-11 GNT

Circle the Problem and Proclaim the Word Against the Wall

They make the crops grow and provide seed for planting and food to eat. ¹¹So also is the word that I speak- it will not fail to do what I plan for it; it will do everything I send it to do.”

Isaiah 55:8-11 GNT

Use the Weapon of Praise!

¹⁵On the seventh day, they got up at daybreak and marched around the city seven times in the same manner, except that on that day they circled the city seven times. ¹⁶The seventh time around, when the priests sounded the trumpet blast, Joshua commanded the army, **“Shout! For the Lord has given you the city! ...**

Joshua 6:15, 16, 20

Use the Weapon of Praise!

²⁰When the trumpets sounded, the army shouted, and at the sound of the trumpet, when the men gave a loud shout, the wall collapsed; so everyone charged straight in, and they took the city.

Joshua 6:15, 16, 20



Use the Weapon of Praise!

Prophecy + Praise = **POWER!**

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Use the Weapon of Praise!

Praise is thanking God for His prophetic proclamation over your life.

Use the Weapon of Praise!

⁶Let the exaltation of God be in their mouths and
a double-edged sword in their hands!

Psalm 149:6