

SERIES: *Joshua: Strong and Courageous*
TITLE: *The Choices That Define Us*
SPEAKER: *Pastor Kip McCormick*
PASSAGE: *Joshua 24:1-15; 2 Kings 3:18*
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MESSAGE TAKEAWAY

While the events in our life may shape us, our choices define us.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- Have you ever made a dumb decision that you don't mind telling us about?
- What is one life-changing decision that you have made?
- Kip divided Israel's history into four acts. Act 1: God's grace. How did God show his grace to Israel? How has he shown his grace to you?
Act 2: God's leadership. How did God lead Israel? How has he led you?
Act 3: God's victory. What kinds of victories did God give Israel? What victories has he given you?
Act 4: God's provision. How did God provide for Israel? What has he provided for you?
- Joshua challenged the Israelites to abandon their idols. What are some of the idols you've had to abandon?
- Joshua also challenged Israel to make an important choice. *"Choose today whom you will serve. As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord."* Have you made that choice and what does that mean for you?

NEXT STEPS

This week, get intentional about your decision to serve him. Strike the ground again, and again, and again, everyday this week.