

Next Steps: Usually when we think of “coaches” we think of people who coach sports teams. But coaches are not limited to sports. There are “vocal” coaches, “business” coaches, and “acting” coaches. You can probably think of dozens more. Basically, a coach is someone who helps you improve and develop so that you can be successful. Think about some coaches you have had in life. Write down their names and include a word or two that describes how they helped you.

Have you ever considered the idea of God being a coach?

What are some characteristics of God that would make him a good “life” coach?

Read Joshua 1:1-9. What are some ways God coached Joshua?

What are the necessary requirements for Joshua’s success?

Do you believe these are reasonable requirements for your success in this day and age? Why or Why not?

The Apostle Paul writes about God’s word to Timothy, his young protégé. What does 2 Timothy 3:14-17 teach you about the “Holy Scriptures?”

What does Hebrews 4:12 tell you about the “word of God?”

What are 3 things you can do this week that will help you read, understand and put the “Word of God” into practice?

Next Week: Success in life is not always a straight path from point A to Point B. Next Sunday we will be looking at the life of David as he grew from the boy shepherd to the Shepherd King. He reached the pinnacle of success only to hit incredible lows.