

Mighty In Spirit, Part II - Prevailing In the Midst Of Failure

Joshua 5:2

“circumcise the sons of Israel”

Signing of covenant with God!

Pain and removal of shame!

- *“they stayed in their places...till they were healed.” -Joshua 5:8*
- *“this day I have rolled away the reproach of Egypt.” -Joshua 5:9*

“as Commander of the army of the Lord I have now come.” -Joshua 5:14

- Doesn't take sides but takes over!
- “take off your sandals”
- self-reliance

4 expressions of being mighty in spirit

1. Courage to obey
2. Fearless to fight
3. Prevailing in failure
4. Tenacious to finish

Prevailing in failure

- How do you handle defeat?
- Anger, frustration, despair, giving up, self-pity...

City of Ai, Joshua and the sin of Achan

- Small
- Overly confident
- Rebellion

What's in your “tent”?

- Remove the idols – they will pull you down!
- ACHAN
- 3 missed opportunities

“Get up ...Get up, sanctify the people.” -Joshua 7:10, 13

- Time for action!