

God's Chosen People Enter the Promised Land



CHAPTER 15 Study Guide

Keep these ideas in mind as you study **Chapter 15**.

God called Moses to Mount Nebo where he showed Moses the Promised Land. Before Moses died, he blessed the people and told them to keep God's Law.

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Joshua replaced Moses as the leader of the Israelites after Moses died. He was filled with the spirit of wisdom when Moses laid hands on him.

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In the Sacrament of Confirmation, the bishop lays hands on a person as a sign of conferring the gift of the Holy Spirit.

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Joshua had the people renew their covenant with the Lord at Shechem.

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When the priests carrying the ark of the covenant began to cross the Jordan, the river stopped flowing, which allowed the people to walk on a dry path.

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Jericho was the first city in Canaan that the Israelites encountered. After the people circled the wall of this city seven times, they began to shout and blow their horns. God brought down the wall of Jericho, allowing the Israelites to take the city. Their victory was a sign that God was with them.

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The Levites received cities in the lands of the other tribes.

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Hell is a state of total separation from God forever.

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In Purgatory we undergo a final cleansing of all our human imperfections to prepare us to enter God's presence in heaven.

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The pope is the Church's visible leader and Christ's representative.

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