

## Study Notes and Questions for Joshua 12-19

- What is the overall theme of these eight chapters?
- What are the names of the two kings that Israel conquered under Moses on the east side of the Jordan River?
- Which Israelite tribes asked to stay on the east side of the Jordan River?
- What message did the Lord have for Joshua at the beginning of chapter 13?
- God said in 13:6 **“I myself will drive them out from before the people of Israel.”** Then, in verse 13 it says: **Yet the people of Israel did not drive out the Geshurites or the Maacathites, but Geshur and Maacath dwell in the midst of Israel to this day.** Why do you think this is?
- What lesson does this provide for us about the battles we fight in our Christian walk?
- In **chapter 14** Caleb is mentioned as a man who **“wholly followed the LORD.”** What did he do to earn that title?
- How did the Lord reward Caleb?
- How does the attitude of Caleb differ from that of the other Israelites in these chapters?
- Read **chapter 17:12-13**. How did the Israelites compromise the command of the Lord concerning the people of the land?
- Chapter 18 tells us that the people set up the Tent of Meeting at Shiloh. What was the Tent of Meeting used for?
- In chapter 18 how did Joshua resolve the issue of seven tribes that had still not been allotted land?
- In chapter 19 the people obeyed the command of the Lord to do something special for Joshua. What was it?
- How does the taking of land by Israel relate to our own efforts to lay hold of the promises of God?