

Women's Bible Study
Discussion Questions

Joshua 8

1. After reading vs. 1-2, describe the battle plan for Joshua's attack on Ai. Who is responsible for what?
2. As we experienced in Joshua 6 with the destruction of Jericho, God's command to destroy all the people can seem harsh. To better understand the larger spiritual reasons for such a command, read Deuteronomy 12:1-4. Summarize what these verses teach us about destroying sin in our lives. Is there any room for us to be half-hearted?
3. What leadership qualities can we learn from Joshua in this chapter? How can we follow his example in our specific spheres of influence?
4. Verse 35 reminds us that "there was not one word from all that Moses commanded that Joshua did not read before all the assembly of Israel." Are there portions of the Bible that you have avoided or ignored? Why? Describe one step you can take to study them more carefully.
5. In Luke 24:13-27, Jesus says that all the Scriptures point to him. How does Joshua 8 point us directly to Jesus?