

# JOSHUA

A stylized illustration of a man in silhouette standing on a hill, looking out over a landscape under a large, bright yellow sun or moon. The sky is orange and red, and the ground is dark blue and brown.

**A Strong & Courageous Devotion**



- 1. God's Authority** – As Creator, He has the right to give and take life.
- 2. Judgment, Not Genocide** – The conquest targeted wickedness, not ethnicity.
- 3. Limited and Specific** – Regarding the initial conquest and occupation of the land.
- 4. Ancient Hyperbole** – “Destroy all” often mean military defeat, not extinction.
- 5. Holy War on Giants** – Targeting spiritual corruption that led to ancient evil.
- 6. Mercy Available** – God spared those who turned to Him (e.g., Rahab, Gibeonites)
- 7. Foreshadowing Judgment** – Herem prefigures God's final



