### GOD IS... SENDER AND SUSTAINER

JOSHUA 1:1-9



# BEWARE OF "LIFE VERSES"

MOST ARE TAKEN OUT OF CONTEXT AND BECOME THE BASIS FOR FALSE DOCTRINE



## JOSHUA I:9 DOES NOT PROMISE THAT THE LORD WILL BE WITH YOU AND FOR YOU.



## GOD SUSTAINS WHERE GOD SENDS

#### CONDITIONS OF GOD'S SUSTAINING

Guard rails and Scholarships

Joshua

- Joshua I:7 (God's revealed word)
  - \*See Deut 8
- Joshua 1:2 (God's specific leading)
  - \*See Deut 31:7-8; Numbers 14:42-43; Joshua 7

#### GOD SENDS AND COMMISSIONS

#### Generally

His revealed word

We cannot expect His blessing and enabling where we do not submit to His word.

#### GOD SENDS AND COMMISSIONS

#### Specifically

- Individual call
  - Requires sensitivity to the leading of the Spirit
  - Never contrary to His revealed word
  - Sometimes confirmed and encouraged by others

Eph 2:10; I Cor 12

#### NOTICE HOW JOSHUA WAS PREPARED

Exodus 33:7-11



DO YOU SET YOUR HEART TO SEEK THE LORD'S LEADING, OR DO YOU MAKE YOUR OWN PLANS AND COUNT ON HIM TO BLESS THEM?

