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"Be strong and courageous, because you will lead these people to inherit the land I swore to their forefathers to give them. Be strong and very courageous. Be careful to obey all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go. Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful."

Joshua 1:6-8 (NIV)

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Discuss

- What leadership roles have different people in your family held? What was difficult, what was enjoyable about those roles?
- What are some of the qualities of leadership you have admired in leaders you have known?
- God told this new leader to be "strong and courageous. Why are these qualities important for leadership?
- All of us will probably hold some leadership positions in our lifetimes. How will you be strong and courageous in those situations?



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Prayer

- Thank the Lord for the good leaders you have experienced.
- Pray for wisdom and courage and strength for the leaders in your lives.
- Ask God for government leaders who will govern well.
- Pray for believers in other places in the world who suffer from government and religious leaders, just because they are Christians



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