

# Joshua

## Chapter 9

### X. Guard Hard



A. Surrounding kings gather against Israel

1. Gibeonite's find out about the Law of Moses (Deut. 7:1-2, 20:10,15)

2. Gibeonite's mention the work of God (Joshua 9:9-11)

3. The end result of their scheme was that the leaders of Israel foolishly made a decision that was a violation of God's revealed will.

B. The price can be high when our guard is low

1. It's what Satan looks for

2. Satan wants us to have a peace time mentality

C. Four warnings regarding Satan's way of sneaking in our lives

1. We must expect evil to unite in the fight against righteousness

2. We must expect that our enemy will frequently change strategy

3. We detect subtle attempts to ignore or compromise God's Word

4. We must respect all vows before the Lord

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