

your feet shall touch in walking shall be yours, even as far as your eye can see."

And here the Lord made Joshua a great promise, saying, "If only you yourself will be strong and full of courage, I will be your friend and will stand by you, as I stood by Moses, all the days of your life and will give you such strength that no one shall ever be able to conquer you."

"But one thing you must do, and upon this depends all. You are going into danger. Remember the laws and commandments which I gave Moses. Take special care of the books in which they are written. Learn them by heart. Teach them to the people and see that they love and obey them. Never be led away from what is right. Never be afraid, and I the Lord God will be with you wherever you go and you shall have good success."

Then Joshua got up and sent for the head

men of the people and told them to see that everyone prepared food enough to last three days, and to move down nearer to the edge of the river, so as to be ready, as soon as he gave the word, to cross over at once into Canaan.

Questions on the Lesson

1. Who was made leader of Israel after Moses?
2. What was to be Joshua's special work?
3. What kind of man was he?
4. How had he proved himself brave?
5. How old was he when he was made general?
6. Where were the Israelites when Joshua was appointed as their leader?
7. How much of Canaan did God promise to give His people?
8. What special promise did He give Joshua if he were brave and strong?
9. How did God say he should win success?
10. How did Joshua prepare to cross the Jordan?
11. What is the Golden Text?

TOMMY'S PLAN

The hired man, who was coming home with a load of wood, placed Master Tommy on top of the load. Just before reaching the farm the team went briskly down a steep hill.

When Tommy entered the house his mother said:

"Tommy, dear, were you not frightened when the horses were trotting so quickly

down Crow Hill with the load?"

"Yes, mother, a little," replied Tom, honestly; "but I asked the Lord to help me, and hung on like a beaver."

Sensible Tommy! He joined working to praying. In all troubles pray and hang on like a beaver—that is, while you ask God to help you, help yourself with all your might. It's the only sure way.

I HAVE LEARNED
TO-DAY THAT

I should be brave

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Primary Catechism—116. What is meant by the Gospel? The gospel is the good news that Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners.

Shorter Catechism—43. What is the preface to the ten commandments?

A. The preface to the ten commandments is in these words, *I am the Lord thy God, which have brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.*

Lesson Hymn

"Follow Me," the Master said:
We will follow Jesus:
By His Word and Spirit led,
We will follow Jesus:
Still for us He lives to plead,
At the throne doth intercede
Offers help in time of need;
We will follow Jesus.

Amen.

—Hymn 534, Book of Praise