

# Joshua 4:9

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

And Joshua set up twelve stones in the midst of Jordan, in the place where the feet of the priests which bare the ark of the covenant stood: and they are there unto this day.

## Analysis

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Additional stones in Jordan's midst create submerged memorial, demonstrating that some testimonies to God's works remain hidden until revelation.

## Historical Context

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This verse appears in the Jordan crossing narrative, one of Joshua's most significant events demonstrating God's power and faithfulness in bringing Israel into the Promised Land.

## Related Passages

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**Romans 10:9** — Confession and belief for salvation

**John 3:16** — God's love and salvation

## Study Questions

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1. How does this passage demonstrate God's faithfulness to His covenant promises?
2. What application does this truth have for your walk with Christ today?

## Interlinear Text

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בָּרֶזֶן	בֵּת	וְגַ	יְהוֹשֻׁעַ	הַקְרֵב	יְמִ	אֶבֶן	יְמִ	עֲשָׂרֶת	יְמִ	וְשְׁתַּי	יְמִ
twelve	H6240	stones	set up	And Joshua	in the midst	of Jordan					
H8147		H68	H6965	H3091	H8432	H3383					
אָרֶן	וְנַשְׁאָר	מִצְבֵּה	בְּגַלְעַד	יְמִם	הַכְּבָדָן	יְמִם	מִזְבֵּחַ	יְמִם	בְּמִזְבֵּחַ	יְמִם	אָרֶן
H8478	H4673	stood	in the place where the feet	of the priests	which bare	the ark	H727				
		H4673	H7272	H3548	H5375						
בְּזִהְהָה	וְמִתְּבָרֵךְ	עַד	שְׁנַי	וְיַיִן	וְבָרֵית	וְמִתְּבָרֵךְ					
of the covenant	H1961	H8033	H5704	and they are there unto this day	H3117	H2088					

## Additional Cross-References

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**1 Samuel 7:12** (Parallel theme): Then Samuel took a stone, and set it between Mizpeh and Shen, and called the name of it Eben-ezer, saying, Hitherto hath the LORD helped us.

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