

Crossing Over the Jordan
Joshua 3:1-6

Three Things We Must Do to Cross Over into Our Promised Land

1. There must be sanctification.

*Joshua told the people, “Consecrate yourselves, because the LORD will do wonders among you tomorrow.” **Joshua 3:5 (Christian Standard Bible)***

2. There must be concentration.

*Look, the Ark of the Covenant, which belongs to the Lord of the whole earth, will lead you across the Jordan River! **Joshua 3:11 (New Living Translation)***

3. There must be demonstration.

*When the feet of the priests who carry the ark of the LORD, the Lord of the whole earth, come to rest in the Jordan’s water, its water will be cut off. The water flowing downstream will stand up in a mass. **Joshua 3:13 (CSB)***

*The priests carrying the ark of the LORD’s covenant stood firmly on dry ground in the middle of the Jordan, while all Israel crossed on dry ground until the entire nation had finished crossing the Jordan. **Joshua 3:17 (CSB)***