

## Crossing the Jordan in Samuel

### DEUTERONOMISTIC HISTORY PREFACE

Deuteronomy 9.1-3 ["cross the Jordan" 16x in Deuteronomy]	<b>Hear, O Israel! You are about to cross the Jordan today, to go in and dispossess nations larger and mightier than you,</b> great cities, fortified to the heavens, a strong and tall people, the offspring of the Anakim, whom you know. You have heard it said of them, "Who can stand up to the Anakim?" Know then today that YHWH your God is the one who crosses over before you as a devouring fire; he will defeat them and subdue them before you, so that you may dispossess and destroy them quickly, as YHWH has promised you
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Joshua 1.2-3 [12x in Joshua]	<b>"My servant Moses is dead. Now proceed to cross the Jordan, you and all this people, into the land that I am giving to them, to the Israelites.</b> Every place that the sole of your foot will tread upon I have given to you, as I promised to Moses.
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### 1 SAMUEL

13.7	<b>Some Hebrews crossed the Jordan to the land of Gad and Gilead.</b> Saul was still at Gilgal, and all the people followed him trembling.
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### 2 SAMUEL

2.29	<b>Abner and his men</b> traveled all that night through the Arabah; they <b>crossed the Jordan</b> , and, marching the whole forenoon, they came to Mahanaim.
10.17	When it was told <b>David</b> , he <b>gathered all Israel together, and crossed the Jordan</b> , and came to Helam. The Arameans arrayed themselves against David and fought with him.
17.22	So <b>David and all the people who were with him set out and crossed the Jordan</b> ; by daybreak not one was left who had not crossed the Jordan.
19.18	while the crossing was taking place, to bring over the king's household, and to do his pleasure. Shimei son of Gera fell down before <b>the king, as he was about to cross the Jordan...</b> [also, 19.39]
24.4b-5	<b>Joab and the commanders of the army</b> went out from the presence of the king to take a census of the people of Israel. They <b>crossed the Jordan</b> , and began from Aroer and from the city that is in the middle of the valley, toward Gad and on to Jazer.