



The Art of Remembering

[Joshua 4](#)

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Unhealthy Ways to Handle the Past

- Allow it to consume us
- Allow it to cripple us

Unhealthy Ways to Handle the Future

- Ignore the backdrop of the past
- Ignore the beauty of the present

1. Claim the Value of the Past

- Hold on to God's unwavering faithfulness ([4:6-7, 21-24](#))
- Hold on to God's redeeming grace ([4:6-7, 10, 14; Genesis 50:20](#))

2. Construct the Future from the Past

- God desires to move you beyond the barriers of your journey ([4:22-23](#))
- God desires to move you beyond the ownership of your journey ([4:24; 1 Samuel 17:45-47](#))

You are the stones!

You are a trophy of grace! ([Ephesians 2:7](#))