

Self-Examination

Reference: **Joshua 7:1-26**

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General Joshua and his forces needed to drive out the Canaanites that inhabited the land God had promised the Jewish people. **Joshua chapter seven** describes some of that action; but, something happened at Ai that was incredibly demoralizing to Joshua and his people.

Four principles regarding sin and self-examination:

Principle one: sin sometimes originates in _____ -

Read **verses one** through **five**

Reference: **I Corinthians 10:12** (see screen)

Principle two: don't underestimate the negative consequences from just

Read verses **six** through **nineteen**

Reference: **Ecclesiastes 3:4** (see screen)

Principle three: sin never happens in a _____

Read **verses twenty** through **twenty-six**

Principle four: secret sin on earth is _____ in
heaven

Reference: **Hebrews 4:12** and **13** (see screen)