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**JUDGES**

# JUDGES

- **General Theme:** Deterioration & Deliverance
- **Writer:** unknown
- **Date Written:** uncertain
- **Span Covered:** aprox. 300 years
- **Setting:** Canaán

# Walking Through The Book

- Chapter 1

Canaanites Left in the Land

**¡DANGER!**

Rationalizing God and His Commandments



Spiritual Compromise

# JUDGES

## INCOMPLETE OBEDIENCE:

- 1) A lack of fervor
- 2) A desire to personally benefit

# JUDGES

- Chapters 2 - 3

## An Unbelieving Generation

- Their enemies became their thorns & snares.
- A generation that did not know the Lord;  
but they did know Baals and Ashtoreths.

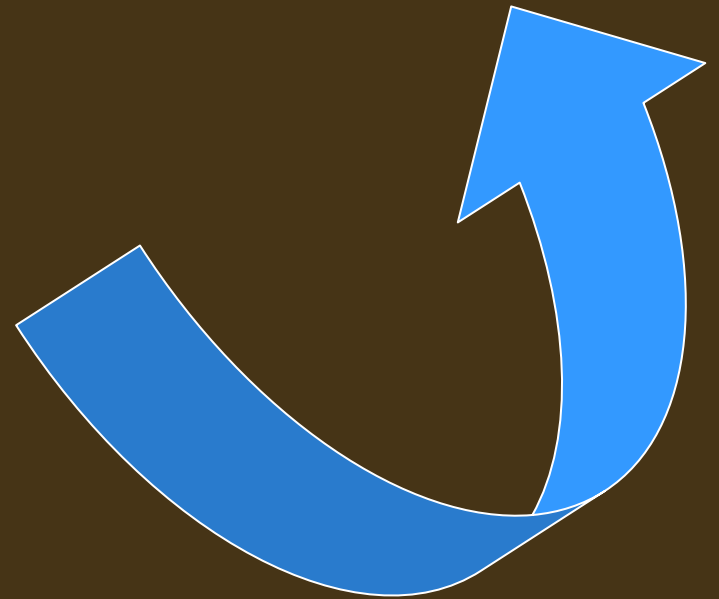
# A Vicious Cycle

**The People Sin**

**The Enemy Enslaves**

**The People Repent**

**God Saves**



EACH GENERATION WAS

MORE CORRUPT

THAN THE PREVIOUS

## GOD'S PLAN

- 1) To teach them to war
- 2) To test their hearts

## MAN'S PLAN

- 1) To co-habitate with the enemy
- 2) To commit spiritual adultery



# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 3:7-8**

**State: CAPTIVITY**

**Leader: Mesopotamians**

**Years: 8**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 3:9-11**

**State: DELIVERANCE**

**Leader: Judge - Othniel**

**Years: 40**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 3:12**

**State: CAPTIVITY**

**Leaders: Moabites**

**Ammonites**

**Amalekites**

**Years: 18**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 3:12-30**

**State: DELIVERANCE**

**Leader: Judge - Ehud**

**Years: 80**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 3:31**

**State: CAPTIVITY**

**Leader: Philistines**

**Years: ?**

# THE PERIOD IN JUDGES

**Passage: 3:31**

**State: DELIVERANCE**

**Leader: Judge - Shamgar**

**Años: ?**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 4:1-3**

**State: CAPTIVITY**

**Leader: Canaanites**

**Years: 20**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 4:1- 5:31**

**State: DELIVERANCE**

**Leader: Judge - Deborah**

**Years: 40**



# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage:** 6: 1-6

**State:** CAUTIVERIO

**Leaders:** Midianites

Amalekites

Arabians

**Years:** 7

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 6:1- 8:35**

**State: DELIVERANCE**

**Leader: Judge - Gideon**

**Years: 40**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 9: 1-57**

**State: OPPRESION**

**Leader: Abimelech**

**Years: 3**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 10: 1,2**

**State: DELIVERANCE**

**Leader: Judge - Tola**

**Years: 23**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 10:3-5**

**State: DELIVERANCE**

**Leader: Judge - Jair**

**Years: 22**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 10:6-10**

**State: CAPTIVITY**

**Leader: Ammonites**

**Years: 18**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 10:6 – 12:7**

**State: DELIVERANCE**

**Leader: Judge - Jephthah**

**Years: 6**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 12:8-10**

**State: DELIVERANCE**

**Leader: Judge - Ibzan**

**Years: 7**



# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 12:11-12**

**State: DELIVERANCE**

**Leader: Judge - Elon**

**Years: 10**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 12:13-15**

**State: DELIVERANCE**

**Leader: Judge - Abdon**

**Years: 8**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 13:1**

**State: CAUTIVERIO**

**Leader: Philistines**

**Years: 40**

# THE PERIODS IN JUDGES

**Passage: 13:1 – 16:31**

**State: DELIVERANCE**

**Leader: Samson**

**Years: 20**

# JUDGES

- *Chapters 17 - 18*

## DESECRATION OF WORSHIP

The Place : based on MY comfort

The Elements: according to MY liking

The Priesthood: for MY use

# JUDGES

- *Chapters 19-21*

## Spiritual Depravity

The Crime:                      A violent rape

Savage Justice:                A Levite and 12 pieces

The Outcome:                    The tribe of Benjamin

almost wiped out