

Sunday School Live Lesson

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A Faithless Generation

Judges 2:6-15

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Questions To Consider

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Have you had a reminder in your life when your faith was weakened?

How did that work out for you?

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To understand and internalize God's messages for us today through this passage of Scripture in the Book of Judges.

Let us learn and discern.

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Points of Information – Judges

It is not known who wrote the Book of Judges. Some think it was Samuel.

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The Book of Judges follows the time shown shown in the Book of Joshua.

Points of Information – Judges

Judges noted in the Book include Deborah, Gideon, Samson and others.

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Samson and other judges are cited in Hebrews 11.

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Joshua has died at the age of 110.

The people were now settled in the Promised Land.

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Joshua and his generation failed to:

1. To identify his successor.
2. To mentor and prepare the next generation for what was ahead.

Judges 2:6 [NIV]

After Joshua had dismissed the Israelites, they went to take possession of the land, each to their own inheritance.

Judges 2:7 [NIV]

The people served the LORD throughout the lifetime of Joshua and of the elders who outlived him and who had seen all the great things the LORD had done for Israel.

Judges 2:8 [NIV]

Joshua son of Nun, the servant of the LORD, died at the age of a hundred and ten.

Judges 2:9 [NIV]

And they buried him in the land of his inheritance, at Timmath Heres in the hill country of Ephraim, north of Mount Gaash.

Judges 2:10 [NIV]

After that whole generation had been gathered to their ancestors, another generation grew up who knew neither the LORD nor what He had done for Israel.

Judges 2:11 [NIV]

Then the Israelites did evil in the eyes of the LORD and served the Baals.

Judges 2:12 [NIV]

They forsook the LORD, the God of their ancestors, who had brought them out of Egypt.

They followed and worshiped various gods of the peoples around them.

They aroused the LORD's anger

Judges 2:13 [NIV]

because they forsook Him and served Baal and the Ashtoreths.

Judges 2:14 [NIV]

In His anger against Israel the LORD gave them into the hands of raiders who plundered them.

He sold them into the hands of their enemies all around, whom they were no longer able to resist.

Judges 2:15 [NIV]

Whenever Israel went out to fight, the hand of the LORD was against them to defeat them, just as He had sworn to them.

They were in great distress.

Commentary

Yet, when they cried out to the Lord,
with pleas for forgiveness and help,
God raised up a judge to deliver them
from their distress.

Remember These Things:

We all can suffer from a lapse in our faith.

Let us remember that we can prayerfully go to Our Heavenly Father, in the Name of Jesus, for help.

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