

**Multiple Choice: Circle ALL the Correct Answers!****1. God used the nations around Israel to:**

- a) find them wives
- b) bring them back to God
- c) discipline them
- d) feed them

**2. Othniel:**

- a) was the first judge
- b) was the younger brother of Caleb
- c) killed Eglon
- d) defeated the Syrians

**3. Sisera:**

- a) troubled Israel for 20 years
- b) was an Egyptian
- c) was killed by Jael
- d) was friends with Heber

**4. Before Barak fought Sisera he:**

- a) wanted Deborah to go with him
- b) gathered 10,000 Israelites
- c) fasted all night
- d) had a vision

**5. The Midianites were:**

- a) a rock formation
- b) a warlike people
- c) destroying Israel's food and animals
- d) scaring the Israelites, forcing them to hide

**6. When Gideon fought the Midianites:**

- a) the sun was up
- b) Gideon was outnumbered
- c) the Midianites killed each other
- d) Gideon won because he trusted in God

**7. Abimelech:**

- a) was one of Gideon's sons
- b) hated his brothers
- c) ruled the people of Jericho
- d) had a millstone dropped on his head

**8. Jephthah:**

- a) ran away from home
- b) was faithful and courageous
- c) delivered Israel from the Ammonites
- d) was a good fighter

**9. A Nazarite was someone who:**

- a) spent their time in service to God
- b) didn't drink wine
- c) didn't cut their hair
- d) didn't eat anything unclean

**10. Samson asked God to:**

- a) let him die with the Philistines
- b) remember and strengthen him
- c) help him escape from prison
- d) make him see again

**11. Ruth was:**

- a) the great-grandmother of kind David
- b) a Moabite
- c) determined to go with Naomi back to Judah
- d) a foreigner who never married

**12. Boaz was:**

- a) a relative of Elimelech
- b) a wicked wealthy farmer
- c) married to Ruth
- d) the father of Obed

**13. Hannah was unhappy because:**

- a) Elkanah didn't love her
- b) she had no children
- c) she was sick
- d) she wanted to go home

**14. Samuel:**

- a) grew up to be a very faithful man
- b) went to live with Eli in the Tabernacle as a boy
- c) was spoken to by God
- d) was a prophet

**15. Eli:**

- a) taught Samuel the things of God
- b) told Hannah she would have a son
- c) died of cancer
- d) had two wicked sons

**Short Answer**

16. After the death of Joshua, did the Israelites remain faithful to God? Why or why not? \_\_\_\_\_

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17. How did God show the Israelites they were wrong to turn away from Him? \_\_\_\_\_

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18. What is the pattern of Israel's behavior?

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19. Why didn't God drive the foreigners from the surrounding nations out of the land of Israel?

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20. What two signs did Gideon ask God to show with the fleece?

1) \_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Why did God let Gideon only take 300 men to fight the huge Midianite army?

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22. Why didn't Jephthah's brothers accept him as part of the family?

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23. What vow (promise) did Jephthah make if God gave him victory over the Ammonites?

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24. What couldn't the Israelites make while the Philistines oppressed them and why? \_\_\_\_\_

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25. What special ability did Samson have? \_\_\_\_\_

Where did it come from? \_\_\_\_\_

26. Why did Elimelech and his family leave Bethlehem? \_\_\_\_\_

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27. What happened to Elimelech and his sons in the land of Moab? \_\_\_\_\_

28. What did Hannah promise to do if God gave her a son? \_\_\_\_\_  
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29. What happened to Eli when he heard about his sons' death and the capture of the Ark?  
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### ***True or False***

- \_\_\_\_\_ 30. God brings trouble into our lives to bring us back to Him.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 31. Ehud killed Eglon with an ox goad.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 32. Deborah was a prophetess.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 33. Only 300 men drank water carefully so that the enemy couldn't surprise them.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 34. Gideon's father was a worshipper of Baal.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 35. Gideon had 70 sons.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 36. Jephthah's daughter refused to honor her father's vow.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 37. Samson was put to work grinding corn in prison.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 38. The Philistines thought Dagon had given Samson into their hands.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 39. Jesus descended from the family of Ruth and Boaz.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 40. Ruth returned with Naomi to Israel because she felt sorry for her.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 41. Eli was one of Israel's high priests.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 42. Each year Hannah brought Samuel new shoes.

### ***Fill in the Blank***

- 43. When Israel responded and asked for help, God raised up \_\_\_\_\_ to save them and lead them back to Him.
- 44. During the period of the judges, there was no visible human leader in Israel and "every man did that which was right in his own \_\_\_\_\_."
- 45. It was revealed to Deborah that a \_\_\_\_\_ was to lead the Israelites to victory over Sisera.
- 46. Using a \_\_\_\_\_ and a \_\_\_\_\_ Jael killed Sisera.
- 47. Gideon was \_\_\_\_\_ by a conversation he overheard in the camp of Midian.
- 48. At a signal from Gideon, his men blew the \_\_\_\_\_, broke the \_\_\_\_\_ held up the \_\_\_\_\_ and gave a great \_\_\_\_\_.
- 49. Abimelech killed all his brothers except \_\_\_\_\_ who escaped.

50. Jephthah was a \_\_\_\_\_ man who tried to \_\_\_\_\_ his God and work for God's people.
51. Samson fell in love with a Philistine woman named \_\_\_\_\_.
52. We should learn from Samson's life that God's \_\_\_\_\_ must be \_\_\_\_\_ and we must keep \_\_\_\_\_ from the world.
53. To glean means to \_\_\_\_\_ corn or barley that the reapers left.
54. The blessings of the God of Israel had rested on \_\_\_\_\_ and directed her steps to the field of \_\_\_\_\_.
55. Eli had two wicked sons, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
56. The name "*Samuel*" means \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.

### ***Thought Questions***

57. What are two lessons we can learn from these judges about the way God deals with us?
1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
58. What were the people doing during the times of the judges that people today also do which causes them to behave so wickedly?
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59. What is one lesson we can learn from Gideon's example? \_\_\_\_\_
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60. What important lesson can we learn from the mistake Jephthah made? \_\_\_\_\_
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61. What really made Samson lose his great strength? \_\_\_\_\_
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62. Why do you think Elimelech's nearest relative didn't want to marry Ruth? \_\_\_\_\_
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63. Why do you think Eli's sons were so wicked? \_\_\_\_\_
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