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Judges

A BROKEN PEOPLE AND A FAITHFUL GOD

Gideon

The People Sin

The people of Israel did what was evil in the sight of the LORD (6:1a)

The People Suffer

The Lord gave them into the hand of Midian for 7 yrs (6:1b)

The People Cry Out

And the people of the Lord cried out for help to the Lord. (6:6b)

The Savior Rescues

„,the Lord sent a **PROPHET**

NEW

Peace In The Land

The Savior Dies

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God revealed Himself to his children.

Judges 6:7-10

EXODUS 14:31

“And when the Israelites saw the mighty hand of the LORD displayed against the Egyptians, the people feared the LORD and put their trust in him and in Moses his servant.”

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Judges 6:7-10

God revealed His rescue plan to his children.

Judges 7:1-8

G. Campbell Morgan

“The fearful and trembling man God cannot use. The trouble today is that the fearful and trembling man insists on remaining in the army. A decrease that sifts the ranks of the church of men who fear and tremble is a great, a gracious and a glorious gain.”

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Judges 7:1-8

God's rescue plan was not thwarted by his children's weaknesses.

Judges 7:9-18

Warren Wiersbe

”Before we can become successful warriors, we must be sincere worshipers”

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God's rescue plan was not accomplished by his children's strength.

Judges 7:19-25

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God revealed Himself to us, in Jesus Christ.

“Philip said to him, “Lord, show us the Father, and it is enough for us.” Jesus said to him, “Have I been with you so long, and you still do not know me, Philip? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, ‘Show us the Father’?”

John 14: 8-9

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God has revealed His rescue plan to us: It's
THE GOSPEL.

“For I am not ashamed of the gospel,
for it is the power of God for salvation
to everyone who believes, to the
Jew first and also to the Greek.”

Romans 1:16

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God's rescue plan, THE GOSPEL, is not thwarted by our weaknesses.

“For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.” Eph 2:8-9

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God's rescue plan, THE GOSPEL, is not accomplished by our strength.

“For everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith. Who is it that overcomes the world except the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?”

1 John 5:4-5

NEXT STEPS:

If you have not already, respond to the fact that God has revealed both Himself and his plan for salvation to you.

Will you choose to trust in Jesus or will you trust in your own rescue plan. (Heb 2:2)

If you have responded in faith to the Gospel, when was the last time you truly worshiped God for his rescue plan? Take some time each morning this week to worship God in response to the gift of

THE GOSPEL!