

A few good men...and women  
Ch 8 Workbook

Day One

Read Judges 1:27-36, 2:1-5, 10-15 and Deut 8

1. What were the Israelites commanded to do in Deut 8?
2. What were they warned against?
3. What were they told would happen?
4. What happened?

Today we have looked at the root of the problem that would plague Israel for generations to come. Incomplete obedience is disobedience. Spend your prayer time today asking God to show you any areas of your life where there is incomplete obedience. Write a prayer in response.

Day Two

Read Judges 3:1; Ex 13:17; Deut 13:1-18

1. Why did the Israelites have no battle experience?
2. Why were the Canaanites not already removed before Israel entered?
3. What had they been told about being tested by idolatry and how to respond?

4. How did they respond when the situation arose?
5. How are we tested daily by idolatry?

Today we have been confronted by God's word in regard to an idolatrous culture and how we are to separate from it. Spend your prayer time today asking God to reveal to you any ways you have allowed yourself to compromise with our idolatrous culture. Write a prayer in response to what He shows you.

### Day Three

Read Judges 3:7-11, 4:1-2, 6:1-6, 8:33-35

1. What cycle do you see?
2. What always sparks the cycle?
3. What condition do we consistently see the Israelites end up in?
4. What does Judges 6:1-6 show us is the result of rebellion against God's commands?

Read John 10:10. Devote your prayer time today to asking God to show you any area of your life where you are experiencing oppression or loss due to disobedience. Write a prayer in response.

### Day Four

Read Judges 6:7-27, 36-39, 7:1-11, 8:22-35, 13:1-5; 14:1-4, 15:1-16:31

1. What weakness(es) do we see recurring in Gideon?
2. How does God deal with it?

3. What weakness(es) do we see recurring in Samson?
4. How does God deal with it?
5. Read 2 Co 4:7 and 1 Co 2:5. What is God showing you through these passages?

Devote your prayer time today to praise and thanksgiving for God's use of us, even though we are so flawed. Write a prayer in response.

## Day Five

Read Judges 17:6, 18:1, 19:1, 21:25

Prov 3:5, 14:12, 16:2, 21:2

John 16:15

1. How do these passages reflect our current culture?
2. What happens when we allow ourselves to set the standards?

Read Ps 119 and write a prayer in response to God's law and how it protects, guides, sustains, comforts....etc us.