

# EXPLORING the Book of JUDGES

**Week 1**

**Introduction**

**Judges Chapter 1 & 2**

*Introduction*

*History*

*Overview of JOSHUA*

# Overview of JUDGES

## **Title & Role:**

- 1.
- 2.
3.
  - a.
  - b.
  - c.

## **Author:**

## **Timeline:**

Exodus from Egypt	1446 BC
Wandering in the Wilderness	1446 - 1406 BC (40 yrs)
Joshua's conquest	1406 - 1390 BC (16 yrs)
Jephthah says 300 yrs in the land	1390 - 1090 BC (300 yrs)
Jephtha to start of Saul's reign	1090 - 1050 BC (40 yrs)
Saul's reign	1050 - 1010 BC (40 yrs)
David's reign	1010 - 970 BC (40 yrs)

## **JUDGES**

### **Chapter 1 – Failure to Complete the Conquest**

**Verses 1-20 - Failure of Judah**

**Verse 21 – Failure of Benjamin**

**Verses 22-29 - Failure of the tribes of Joseph**

**Verse 30 – Failure of Zebulun**

**Verses 31-32 - Failure of Asher**

**Verse 33 – Failure of Naphtali**

**Verses 34-36 - Failure of Dan**

## ***Chapter 2 – Judgement of God for their failure***

***Verses 1-5 – Angel’s announcement***

***Verse 6-10 – The Godly generation dies***

***Verse 11-19 – God’s judgement***

***Verse 20-23 – The enemy, God’s test***

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

***Conclusion -***

***Homework –***

Read and study Judges Chapter 3, 10:1-5, 12:8-15