

LESSON - 21

JUDGES

(Divide the chapter into 3 and each in 3 periods)

Reading portion: Book of Judges

Memory verse: 1 Sam. 7:12:- 12 Then Samuel took a stone and set it up between Mizpah and Shen, and called its name Ebenezer, saying, "Thus far the LORD has helped us."

Objective: God, will never leave sin unpunished. But he who cries to God for forgiveness will be received and redeemed. Believers should not yoke themselves with unbelievers.

Who are Judges?

What was the need of Judges

Judges of Israel

1. Othiniel:
2. Ehud:
3. Shamgar:
4. Deborah and Baraka:
5. Gideon:
6. Abimelech:
7. Tola:
8. Jair:
9. Jephtah:
10. Ibzan:
11. Elon:
12. Abdon:
13. Samson:
14. Eli:
15. Samuel (Heard by God)

Questions:

1. How many years were the period of Judges?
2. Why was Israel subjected to afflictions?
3. Write the reasons of the following.
 - a. Jephthah killed a lot of Ephraimites.
 - b. Eli's family was removed from priesthood.
 - c. Samson's strength diminished.
 - d. Israelites asked Samuel for a King.
4. What were the mighty deeds shown by Samson. What is the lesson we learn from his life?

