

"No one can tell me what to do"

Judges

Intro: the relationship between Judges and Joshua

God had commanded Joshua to destroy the Canaanites

Even after Joshua, there was much land to be conquered

- Joshua 13:1-6

Faithfulness (Josh. 24:31) vs. Unfaithfulness (Judges 3:7)

I. The failure of the tribes 1:21, 27-33

II. The judgment & testing of the people 2:1-22

III. The compromise of the people 3:5-7

IV. The deliverers (a sampling) 3:5-16:31

A. Othniel 3:9-11

B. The deliverer Ehud 3:12-30

C. The deliverers Deborah and Barak 4:1-5:31

D. The deliverer Gideon 6:1-8:32

E. The deliverer Jephthah 10:6-12:7

F. The deliverer Samson 13:1-16:31

V. The apostasy and sinfulness of Israel 17:1-21:25

A. Personal and tribal idolatry 17:1-18:31

B. Immorality and war 19:1-21:25