

7. What did God use to oppress the Israelites as their discipline for their disobedience?
8. After their time of chastening, the Israelites would generally do what?
9. The Israelites would enjoy a time of living in obedience to God then head down the road toward what?
10. What judge killed Eglon, the king of Moab, with a dagger?
11. Judges 4:1 tells us that Israel did what again?
12. Roughly 200 years before this time in Israel's history, where were the Israelites at?
13. How long were the Israelites harshly oppressed before they cried out to the LORD?
14. How long does it take you to repent of your sin?
15. The name "Deborah" literally means what?
16. Deborah's words in verses 6-7 show us what?
17. What does the name "Barak" literally mean?
18. Is Barak listed in the heroes of faith in Hebrews 11?
19. Deborah tells Barak that the glory for the defeat of the Canaanites would be given to whom?
20. Barak received all he asked for (Deborah accompanied him in the battle), yet he still does what?
21. Who routed Sisera?
22. What did rain have to do with Barak's victory over Sisera?
23. What did Barak finally demonstrate when he destroyed all of the army of Sisera?
24. The name "Jael" literally means what?
25. In the Bedouin (nomadic) culture, women were given what task?
26. With the act of killing Sisera, Jael fulfills the prophecy of whom?
27. God brings everything back to whom?
28. Barak is found in the hall of faith in Hebrews 11, however, Deborah was what?
29. The application for all of us is that we must be what?
30. Are you? Are you faithful to the calling God has placed on your life?
31. Are you faithful in the small things?
32. Do you honor God with your decisions on a daily basis? Do you trust God with those daily decisions?
33. For men, the clear call for each man is that we are to do what?
34. We are called to be what kind of leaders?

35. For women, though Deborah was with a man who was cowardly, she desired to do what?

36. Deborah did not see this situation (Barak's cowardliness) as an opportunity to do what?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- »»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- »»How can I accomplish this change?
- »»What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

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**THE BEE STINGS THE LIGHTNING  
TO ANSWER GOD'S CALL  
Deborah and Barak  
(Judges 4)**

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon **"The Bee Stings The Lightning To Answer God's Call"**. All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. The phrase, "Who is like the Lord?" is a rhetorical question that affirms that there is what?
2. What name means, "gracious, merciful, one who gives"?
3. How does the last verse of Judges summarize the nation of Israel in the time period of the judges?
4. What was the first quality noted by Jeremy about what Israel was like?
5. Fill in the blanks: "Do not be \_\_\_\_\_, God is not mocked; for whatever a man \_\_\_\_\_, that he will also \_\_\_\_\_. For he who sows to his flesh will of the flesh reap \_\_\_\_\_."
6. The disobedience of the Israelites was always followed by what?

**\*\*To help protect the quality of recording the sermon, we ask that you quietly turn to the inside of this study guide. Thank you! We appreciate your help.**