

**WEEK 3: JUDGES AND RUTH**  
**DAY 1: GOD'S PEOPLE SINNED**  
**Judges 1 to 21**

1. We are learning the story of God's people Israel. Last week we looked at Joshua, the first Book of History. You remember that Joshua, Judges and Ruth tell about the Rule of God. We learned that God used Joshua to lead His people into Canaan. We learned that God gave Israel victory over their enemies.

After Israel conquered Canaan, what did God tell Joshua to do with the land?

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2. God told him to divide it between the tribes of Israel. For the next three days we shall look at the book of Judges. Judges is the second Book of History. It tells the sad story of how Israel disobeyed. We shall learn three big things from the book of Judges.

- (1) God's people sinned by disobeying Him.
- (2) God used heathen nations to punish His people.
- (3) God raised up judges to deliver His people.

Today we shall learn the first big thing:  
(1) God's people sinned by disobeying Him.

Write the names of the other two Books of History which tell about the Rule of God.

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3. Joshua, Judges and Ruth tell about the period of history called the Rule of God. God loved His people and wanted to rule them. As their King He wanted to provide for all their needs. He promised to lead and guide them. He gave them victory over their enemies. God was faithful to Israel. But Israel was not faithful to God.

Take your Bible now and read Judges 2:11 to 17.

Whom did God use to lead His people into Canaan? \_\_\_\_\_

4. God used Joshua to lead His people into Canaan. Before Joshua died he reminded Israel of God's faithfulness. God had not failed to give them one good thing of all He had promised. But Joshua also gave a warning about the danger of disobeying.

Joshua 23:15-16:

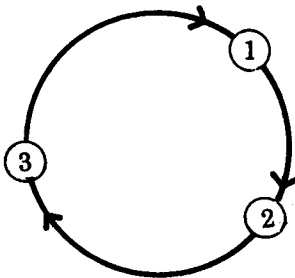
But just as all the good things which the Lord your God promised concerning you have been fulfilled for you, so the Lord will bring upon you all the evil things...if you transgress (or disobey) the covenant of the Lord your God which he commanded you and go and serve other gods...you shall perish quickly from off the good land which He has given to you.

From these verses what sin do you think Joshua was warning Israel against?

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5. Perhaps you wrote "disobeying" or "worshipping other gods." The book of Judges tells the sad story of how Israel disobeyed. The story seems to go around in a circle. Look at this picture.



(1) God's people sinned by disobeying Him.

(3) God raised up judges to deliver His people.

(2) God used heathen nations to punish His people.

First the people sinned by disobeying God. Then God had to punish them. The people repented and God sent judges to deliver them. These three things happened again and again.

Look at the first big thing again. Whose people were warned about the danger of disobeying?

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6. God's people were warned about the sin of disobeying. God had commanded His people to drive out the heathen nations. Let us see if the people obeyed.

In your Bible read Judges 1:27-33. In verse 27 did Manasseh drive out the heathen nations? \_\_\_\_\_

In verse 29, did Ephraim drive out the heathen nations? \_\_\_\_\_

In verse 30, did Zebulon drive out the heathen nations? \_\_\_\_\_

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7. God's people did not drive out the heathen nations. This was sin against God. These heathen nations worshipped false gods. God did not want His people to become like them. This is why God warned them not to disobey. Read what God said would happen if they disobeyed Him.

Joshua 23:12-13:

For if you turn back, and join the remnant (or the rest) of these nations left here among you, and make marriages with them,...they shall be a snare and a trap for you, a scourge (or whip) on your sides and thorns in your eyes, till you perish from off this good land.

When Israel sinned and turned back, what did they do to God? \_\_\_\_\_

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8. They disobeyed Him. They did not keep God's command to drive out the heathen nations. Because of this, they disobeyed another command.

Deuteronomy 7:3-4:

You shall not make marriages with them (heathen people), giving your daughters to their sons or taking their daughters for your sons. For they would turn away your sons from following me.

Judges 3:5-6:

So the people of Israel dwelt among the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Amorites, the Perizzites, the Hivites, and the Jebusites; and they took their daughters to themselves for wives, and their own daughters they gave to their sons.

When Israel disobeyed, what did they do against God? \_\_\_\_\_

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9. Israel sinned. This is the first big thing we learn from the book of Judges: God's people sinned by disobeying Him. God wanted His people to be separate from the heathen. He told them clearly not to make marriages with them. This command still comes to God's people today.

2 Corinthians 6:14-15:

Do not be mismatched with unbelievers. For what partnership have righteousness and iniquity? Or what fellowship has light with darkness? ... Or what has a believer in common with an unbeliever?

Write some things that happen when a Christian marries an unbeliever. \_\_\_\_\_

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10. Be ready to talk about this in class. When Israel made marriages with the heathen they began to forget God. They served other gods. They were disobeying another of God's commands.

Exodus 20: 4-5:

You shall not make for yourself a graven (or carved image), or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath...you shall not bow down to them or serve them.

Judges 3:7:

And the people of Israel did what was evil in the sight of the Lord, forgetting the Lord their God, and serving the Baals and the Asheroth (false gods).

What is the first big thing we learn from the book of Judges? \_\_\_\_\_

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11. First we learn: God's people sinned by disobeying Him. They did not drive out the heathen nations. They made marriages with these heathen people. This led them to forget God. They began to worship the gods of the heathen nations. We see from this how one sin led to another. This is how sin works in our lives too.

In which Book of History do we learn that God's people sinned by disobeying Him?

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12. The book of Judges tells how God's people sinned by disobeying Him. We read this many times in the book of Judges.

Judges 4:1:

And the people of Israel again did what was evil in the sight of the Lord.

Judges 6:1:

The people of Israel did what was evil in the sight of the Lord.

From these verses, against whom did the people of Israel sin? \_\_\_\_\_

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13. Israel sinned against God. They disobeyed God's commands. God had to punish them. God used the heathen nations to punish His people. We shall learn about this tomorrow.

What period of history does the book of Judges tell us about? \_\_\_\_\_

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14. The book of Judges tells about the Rule of God. God wanted to rule over His own people. Their sin led them to reject God as their King. The book of Judges ends with these words.

Judges 21:25:

In those days there was no king in Israel; every man did what was right in his own eyes.

In the book of Judges what is the first big thing we learn?

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(2) God used heathen nations to punish His people.

(3) God raised up judges to deliver His people.

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15. God's people sinned by disobeying Him. Israel did not want God to rule over them. They wanted to rule themselves. Many Christians today refuse to let God rule their lives. They want to follow their own way. They disobey God's commands. Soon they find themselves in great trouble.

Begin to prepare a sermon or lesson from today's thoughts. Let your subject be: The results of disobeying. On another paper write the big things you will say. Bring your paper to class.

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16. What is the first big thing we learn in the book of Judges?

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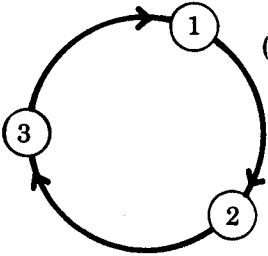
(3) God raised up judges to deliver His people.

**WEEK 3: JUDGES AND RUTH**  
**DAY 2: GOD'S PEOPLE WERE PUNISHED**  
**Judges 1 to 21**

1. Yesterday we learned the sad story of Israel from the book of Judges. We read about three big things which happened again and again in this book.

Write the first big thing we learn in the book of Judges.

(3) God raised up judges to deliver His people.



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(2) God used heathen nations to punish His people.



2. The first thing is: God's people sinned by disobeying Him. They disobeyed His commands. They did not drive out the heathen nations. They made marriage with the heathen. They forgot God and worshipped false gods. God warned Israel many times that He would punish them if they did this.

Today we shall learn the second big thing from the book of Judges: (2) God used heathen nations to punish His people.

In your Bible read Judges 2:14 to 20. In which Book of History do we learn that God used heathen nations to punish His people? \_\_\_\_\_

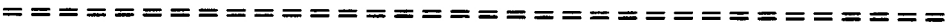


3. We learn this in the book of Judges. We have seen how Israel sinned against God by disobeying Him. God is righteous and holy, so He must punish sin. This is what one of the prophets said later.

Amos 3:1-2:

Hear this word that the Lord has spoken against you, O people of Israel... You only have I known (or chosen) of all the families of the earth, therefore I will punish you for all your iniquities (or sins).

From these verses, what people did God say He would punish? \_\_\_\_\_



4. God said He would punish the people of Israel. These people knew God's commands. They chose to disobey. They had to be punished for their sin. We shall see how God used the heathen nations to punish them.

Against whom had Israel sinned? \_\_\_\_\_

5. Israel sinned against God. They disobeyed His commands. God had warned them about what would happen if they disobeyed. Read God's warning again.

Joshua 23:12-13:

For if you turn back (or disobey) ... these nations ... shall be a snare and a trap for you, a scourge (or whip) on your sides and thorns in your eyes, till you perish from off this good land.

What do we call the nations who did not worship God, whom He would use to punish his people? \_\_\_\_\_

6. We call them heathen nations. This is what we are learning: God used heathen nations to punish His people. He said that these nations would be like a scourge. A scourge was a whip made of pieces of leather. It was used to beat people. So God was warning Israel that He would use heathen nations to punish them.

What period of history does the book of Judges tell us about? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Judges tells about the first period of history called the Rule of God. God wanted to be King over His people. An earthly king expects his people to obey his laws. Those who break the laws are punished. Israel knew God's law but they disobeyed it. God's people sinned by disobeying Him. That is the first big thing we learned.

What would God do to Israel through heathen nations? \_\_\_\_\_

8. God used heathen nations to punish His people. This is the second big thing we learn in the book of Judges.

Write the first.

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) God used heathen nations to punish His people.
- (3) God raised up judges to deliver His people.

9. First God's people sinned by disobeying Him. Then God used heathen nations to punish them. Let us read what happened .

Judges 3:7-8:

And the people of Israel did what was evil ... Therefore the anger of the Lord was kindled (or wakened) against Israel, and He sold them into the hand of Cushanrishathaim king of Mesopotamia and the people of Israel served (him) eight years.

Judges 3:12-14:

And the people of Israel again did what was evil ... and the Lord strengthened Eglon the King of Moab against Israel .. And the people of Israel served Eglon the king of Moab eighteen years.

God used heathen nations to punish His people. From these verses write the names of two heathen nations God used.

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10. God used Mesopotamia and Moab. These two heathen nations punished God's people. He allowed them to conquer Israel. Israel became slaves and had to serve these heathen nations. God had given Canaan to the people of Israel. Yet they became slaves in their own land. This was because they disobeyed God. They did not drive out these heathen nations. They began to worship their false gods.

In which Book of History do we learn that God used heathen nations to punish His people?

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11. In the book of Judges God used heathen nations to punish His people. This is the second big thing we learn in this book. Tomorrow we shall learn what happened when the people repented.

Now read about another heathen nation God used to punish His people. Read Judges 6:1-6.

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12. God used the Midianites to punish Israel. The Midianites were like a scourge on the sides and thorns in the eyes of God's people. God also used the heathen nations, the Philistines and the Ammonites.

Judges 10:6-8:

And the people of Israel again did what was evil in the sight of the Lord, and served the Baals ... and they forsook the Lord ... and he sold them into the hand of the Philistines, and into the hands of the Ammonites, and they crushed and oppressed the children of Israel .

What is the second big thing to learn in the book of judges?

(1) Gods's people sinned by disobeying Him.

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13. God used heathen nations to punish His people. Every time they repented God sent judges to deliver them. But they never drove out the heathen nations. So Israel sinned again. Then God had to punish them again.

Which period of history do the books of Joshua and Judges tell us about?\_\_\_\_\_

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14. Joshua and Judges tell about the Rule of God. God chose Israel to be His. He wanted to bless them and provide for them. But we have learned how they rejected Him as their King. Instead of enjoying God's blessing, they had to suffer. They had to be punished for their sin.

What is the second big thing we learn in the book of Judges?

(1) God's people sinned by disobeying Him.

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) God raised up judges to deliver His people.

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15. The story in the book of Judges is very sad. (1) God's people sinned by disobeying Him. (2) God used heathen nations to punish His people. We also see how God loved His people . Tomorrow we shall learn that God was ready to forgive when they repented. If we disobey God, we too will be punished. If we confess our sin God has promised to forgive and cleanse us. Read the promise God has made to us.

1 John 1:9:

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just, and will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Sin can still bring trouble to a person or nation today. Write some troubles you have seen come to people because of their sin.

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16. Be ready to talk about this in class.

What are the first two big things we learn in the book of Judges?

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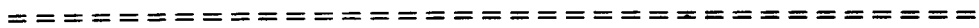
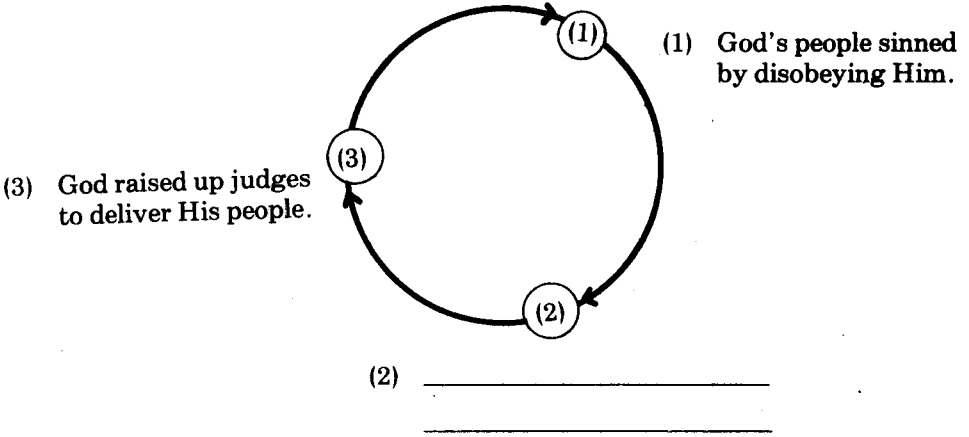
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(3) God raised up judges to deliver His people.

**WEEK 3: JUDGES AND RUTH**  
**DAY 3: GOD'S PEOPLE WERE DELIVERED BY JUDGES**  
**Judges 1 to 21**

1. This is our last day to look at the book of Judges. Judges tells us the sad story of Israel during the Rule of God.

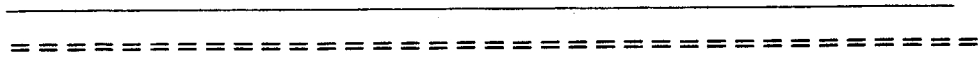
We are learning three big things about the book of Judges. Write the second.



2. This sad story seems to go round in a circle. First, God's people sinned by disobeying Him. Then, God used heathen nations to punish His people.

Today we will learn the third big thing.  
 (3) God raised up judges to deliver His people.  
 We will also learn the names of two of the judges.

Take your Bible now and read Judges 2:16 to 23. Read verse 18 again. In the last part of this verse, why did God raise up judges to deliver them?



3. The Lord was moved to pity. He felt sorry for the people when they were punished. God wanted to be King over His people. Israel refused to obey their King. They acted as though they had no king.

Judges 21:25:

In those days there was no king in Israel; every man did what was right in his own eyes.

Israel went their own way. Everyone did what he wanted to do. God had to punish them.

Whom did God use to punish His people? \_\_\_\_\_

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4. God used heathen nations to punish His people. In Judges we also learn that after a while the people repented. They cried to the Lord for help.

Judges 3:9:

But the people of Israel cried to the Lord, the Lord raised up a deliverer ... Othniel.

Judges 3:15:

But when the people of Israel cried to the Lord, the Lord raised up for them a deliverer, Ehud.

From these verses, what did God do when His people cried to Him for help?

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5. God raised up a deliverer when His people cried to him. Israel had forgotten God. But God had not forgotten His people. When they cried to Him for help, He answered them.

Judges 2:16:

Then the Lord raised up judges, who saved them out of the power of those who plundered (or robbed) them.

From this verse, whom did God raise up to save His people? \_\_\_\_\_

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6. God raised up judges to deliver His people. This is the third thing we are learning in Judges. Today a judge is one who tries people for breaking the law of the land. Now we see that a judge was also a man chosen by God to deliver His people. We have read how God raised up judges to save His people. The names of two of these judges were Othniel and Ehud. Read about another judge who was a woman.

Judges 4:4:

Now Deborah, a prophetess, the wife of Lappidoth was judging Israel at that time.

From this verse what was Deborah doing for Israel? \_\_\_\_\_

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7. Deborah was judging Israel.

Judges 4:5:

She used to sit under the palm (tree) of Deborah between Ramah and Bethel in the hill country of Ephraim and the people of Israel came up to her for judgment.

Deborah also did the work of a prophet. A prophet receives messages from God for people. One time when Israel cried to the Lord, God gave Deborah a message. The message was for Barak, the commander of Israel's army.

Why did God raise up judges? \_\_\_\_\_

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8. God raised up judges to deliver His people. There were twelve judges. You are asked to remember two of them. We have already talked about three judges: Othniel, Ehud and Deborah. Later God raised up another judge called Gideon. It is wonderful to read his story. It tells how God used Gideon to deliver Israel from the people of Midian. Try to find time to read the story in Judges chapters 6 and 7.

In which Book of History do we read that God raised up judges to deliver His people? \_\_\_\_\_

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9. We are studying the book of judges. The name of the book reminds us of the third big thing we are learning. It reminds us that God raised up judges to deliver His people.

What are the first two big things we learn in the book of Judges?

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- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) God raised up judges to deliver His people.

Write the name of one judge. \_\_\_\_\_

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10. God's people sinned by disobeying Him. God used heathen nations to punish His people. We have been looking at this sad story in the book of judges. God's people repented and God raised up judges to deliver them. God used judges like Othniel, Ehud, Deborah and Gideon.

What is the name of the period of history that the book of Judges tells about?

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11. The book of Judges tells about the Rule of God. Now let us read about three more judges whom God raised up.

Judges 10:1-3:

After Abimelech there arose to deliver Israel Tola ... he judged Israel twenty-three years... After him arose Jair the Gileadite, who judged Israel twenty-two years.

After Abimelech, Tola, and Jair there were other judges. The last judge God raised up was a man called Samson. I am sure you know some of the stories about him. You can read them in Judges chapters 13 to 16.

Now write the third thing we learn in the book of Judges.

- (1) God's people sinned by disobeying Him.
- (2) God used heathen nations to punish His people.
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12. God raised up judges to deliver His people. There were twelve judges whom God used. In this lesson we have read about eight of them:

Othniel Deborah Abimelech Jair  
Ehud Gideon Tola Samson

Stop now and learn the names of some of these judges. You will need to remember two of them.

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13. We have been looking at the book of Judges. This part of Israel's history is very sad. In this book we read how Israel refused to have God as their King. Because they left God and served idols, they went deeper and deeper into sin. Yet God did not forget them. He loved His people. He was ready to help them when they repented of their sin.

What is the third big thing we learn in the book of Judges? \_\_\_\_\_

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Write the names of any two judges. \_\_\_\_\_

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14. God raised up judges to deliver His people. Othniel, Ehud, Deborah, Abimelech, Tola, Jair, Gideon, Samson were judges. If you wrote two of these you are right. There are many lessons for the Christian to learn from the book of Judges.

Write some of the important things which this book shows you for your life.

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15. Be ready to share your answers in class.

What are the three big things we learn in the book of Judges?

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Write the names of any two judges. \_\_\_\_\_

**WEEK 3: JUDGES AND RUTH**  
**DAY 4: RUTH CHOSE TO FOLLOW GOD**  
**Book of Ruth**

1. Yesterday we finished looking at the book of Judges.  
 What is the third big thing we learn in the book of Judges?

- (1) God's people sinned by disobeying Him.
- (2) God used heathen nations to punish His people.
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_

Write the names of any two judges. \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. God raised up judges to deliver His people. The names of some of these judges were: Ehud, Othniel, Gideon, Samson, Jair, Abimelech, Tola and Deborah.

Today we will look at the book of Ruth. We will learn about a family who lived in the city of Bethlehem. They lived in the time of the judges. God had made a promise to Israel. He promised to send the Lord Jesus through their nation. To do this God needed a family. In the book of Ruth we will see how God used Ruth in His plan.

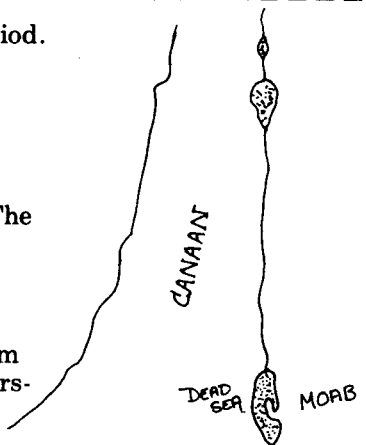
We will learn that God blessed Ruth of Moab because she chose to follow Him.

What three Books of History tell about the period called the Rule of God ?

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3. Joshua, Judges and Ruth tell about this period. The book of Ruth tells about a family who lived in this period. Elimelech and his wife Naomi had two sons. They left their own country, Canaan, because there was a famine. They went to live in the country of Moab.

You can see the land of Moab on this map. The people there worshipped false gods. Elimelech died in the land of Moab. His two sons married women of Moab.



Take your Bible now and read Ruth 1:1 to 4. From these verses, write the names of the two daughters-in-law of Naomi.

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4. The names of the daughters-in-law were Orpah and Ruth. They had married Naomi's sons. After a while both sons died and Naomi was left with her daughters-in-law. Then Naomi heard that there was no longer famine in Canaan. She decided to return to her own land. Orpah and Ruth went with Naomi part of the way.

Now read Ruth 1:7 to 9. Naomi told the two women to return home. In what country was their home?  
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5. Their home was in Moab. Naomi thought it would be better for them if they tried to marry again in Moab. Orpah agreed and returned to her own country. But read what the other daughter-in-law said.

Ruth 1:16:

Entreat me not to leave you or to return from following you, for where you go I will go, and where you lodge I will lodge; your people shall be my people, and your God my God.

Who was choosing to follow Naomi's God? \_\_\_\_\_

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6. Ruth was doing this. She belonged to the country of Moab. But she did not let Naomi return to Canaan alone. She loved Naomi. She wanted to go with her and help her. Ruth chose to go with Naomi and leave her own country and people. There was another reason why Ruth wanted to go with Naomi. Read Ruth's words again.

Ruth 1:16:

Entreat me not to leave you or to return from following you; for where you go I will go ... your people shall be my people, and your God my God.

Whose God did Ruth say would be her God? \_\_\_\_\_

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7. Ruth chose Naomi's God to be her God. She turned away from worshipping the false gods of Moab. Naomi worshipped the true God, the God of Israel. Ruth now chose to follow the God of Israel.

Who do you think was working in Ruth's heart to bring about this change?  
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8. God was at work in Ruth's heart. He wanted to bless Ruth, even though she was from Moab. God could not bless Ruth unless she chose to follow Him. He wanted to use her in His plan for sending Jesus.

Did Ruth choose to follow the God of Israel, or did she refuse to follow Him?  
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9. Ruth chose to follow the God of Israel. Because she chose to follow Him, God would bless her. Ruth and Naomi arrived in Bethlehem. It was harvest time and Ruth and Naomi needed food. The Law allowed poor people to get food by following the reapers. They could pick up what the reapers dropped. This was called gleaning. Read what Ruth said to Naomi.

Ruth 2:2-3:

...Let me go to the field, and glean among the ears of grain...So she set forth and went and gleaned in the field after the reapers; and she happened to come to the part of the field belonging to Boaz, who was of the family of Elimelech (Naomi's husband).

Who do you think led Ruth to glean in the field of Boaz? \_\_\_\_\_

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10. God wanted to bless Ruth. He led her to the field of a man called Boaz. Boaz was very kind to her. He told his reapers to leave grain for her to glean. She was surprised when Boaz treated her kindly, even though she was from Moab.

Ruth 2:11-12:

But Boaz answered her, "All that you have done for your mother-in-law since the death of your husband has been fully told me, and how you left your father and mother...a full reward be given you by the Lord, the God of Israel, under whose wings you have come to take refuge!"

Whom did Ruth of Moab choose to follow? \_\_\_\_\_

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11. Ruth chose to follow God. He led her to the field of Boaz. Naomi praised God when she heard what had happened.

Ruth 2:20:

And Naomi said to her daughter-in-law, "Blessed be he by the Lord, whose kindness has not forsaken the living (Naomi herself) or the dead (Naomi's husband)! Naomi also said to her, "The man is a relative of ours, one of your nearest kin."

Naomi loved and followed God. Ruth too, had chosen to follow Him. What did God want to do for Ruth because she chose to follow Him. \_\_\_\_\_

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12. God wanted to bless Ruth. You remember that Joshua divided the land of Canaan between the tribes. Then each family in each tribe received land. Naomi and her husband had sold their land before going to Moab. But Israel had a law that a widow could buy back her dead husband's land. She could ask her nearest relative to do this for her. Naomi was old but she wanted the land bought back for Ruth. The man who bought back the land must also be willing to marry the widow. There were special customs about how the widow should go to her relative. Naomi told Ruth what to do.

In your Bible read Ruth 3:1 to 9.

Why would God bless Ruth of Moab? \_\_\_\_\_

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13. God would bless Ruth because she chose to follow Him. Ruth did all that Naomi told her. She went and lay at the feet of Boaz. Read what Boaz said when he found her there.

Ruth 3:10-11:

May you be blessed by the Lord, My daughter; you have made this last kindness (her willingness to marry Boaz) greater than the first (her kindness and love to Naomi) in that you have not gone after young men ... And now, my daughter, do not fear, I will do for you all that you ask.

Boaz was willing to buy back the land. But another relative had to be asked first. That man refused. It was Boaz who married Ruth.

Whose plan do you think it was that Boaz should marry Ruth? \_\_\_\_\_

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14. It was God's plan that Boaz should marry Ruth. God was blessing Ruth. We saw that God led her to glean in the field of Boaz. God gave Boaz and Ruth to each other. Later God gave them a son.

Ruth 4:17:

...They named him Obed; he was the father of Jesse, the father of David. The Lord Jesus was born into the family of David. No greater blessing could have come to Ruth. She was in the family line of Jesus Christ.

Why did God bless Ruth of Moab? \_\_\_\_\_

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15. God blessed Ruth because she chose to follow Him. We have been studying the Rule of God. We saw how God fulfilled His promise to His people. He gave them Canaan. We saw God's patience when Israel sinned. We saw God's concern for people like Naomi and Ruth. We saw how God blessed Ruth. He used her to fulfil another promise to his people.

In the stories of this first period of history, what has been the greatest blessing to you?

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Israel were the special people of God. But God works with other people too. Write one thing God has done for your people to help them hear the good news of Jesus.

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16. Be ready to share your answers in class.

Why did God bless Ruth of Moab? \_\_\_\_\_

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**WEEK 3: JUDGES AND RUTH**  
**DAY 5: REVISION**

We have been looking at the Books of History. We have learned many things about three of them. Today let us take time to go over what we have learned. Do not look at the lessons until you have finished the questions. Try to answer every one. Then look back at the lessons. If your answer is wrong, write the correct answer above yours.

Questions from Week 1.

1. In which kind of books in the Old Testament do we find the story of God's people Israel?  
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How many of these books are there? \_\_\_\_\_

2. What is the name of the first period of history? \_\_\_\_\_

Write the names of the books which tell about this period.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_\_

3. What is the name of the second period of history? \_\_\_\_\_

Write the names of the third period of history? \_\_\_\_\_

(4,5) \_\_\_\_\_ (6,7) \_\_\_\_\_ (8,9) \_\_\_\_\_

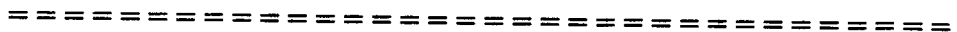
4. What is the name of the books which tell about this period.

(10) \_\_\_\_\_ (11) \_\_\_\_\_ (12) \_\_\_\_\_

5. What two promises did God make to Israel?

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_



Questions from Week 2.

6. Write two reasons why God chose to use Joshua as a leader.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

7. What two things did God do as Israel entered Canaan?

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

8. What lesson did Israel learn at Jericho? \_\_\_\_\_

What lesson did Israel learn at Ai? \_\_\_\_\_

9. After God helped Israel conquer the middle part of Canaan, what other parts did He help them take?

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_

10. After Israel conquered Canaan, what did God tell Joshua to do with the land?  
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Questions from Week 3.

11. What are the three big things we learn in the book of Judges?

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

12. Write the names of two judges.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_

13. Why did God bless Ruth of Moab? \_\_\_\_\_  
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