

## Application

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2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_



August 25, 2019  
Judges 9-10

"Gideon from Faith to Foolishness"  
Judges 7-8

August 18, 2019  
Judges Series



*Everyone did what was right in his own eyes.*

### Gideon Tested

James 1:2-4 *Count it all joy, my brothers, when you meet trials of various kinds, for you know that the testing of your faith produces steadfastness. And let steadfastness have its full effect, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing.*

### 3 Traits of Faithfulness Fearful to Faithful

#### 1. Dependence on God--Not Ourselves (7:1-8)

Problem: \_\_\_\_\_

Test One: \_\_\_\_\_  
32,000 - 22,000 = 10,000

Test Two: \_\_\_\_\_  
10,000 - 9,000 = 300

**1 Cor 1:26-27** *For consider your calling, brothers: not many of you were wise according to worldly standards, not many were powerful, not many were of noble birth. But God chose what is foolish in the world to shame the wise; God chose what is weak in the world to shame the strong; God chose what is low and despised in the world, even things that are not, to bring to nothing things that are, so that no human being might boast in the presence of God.*

#### 2. Assurance in God--Not Doubt (7:9-18)

God Reassures Gideon:

1. His Presence, 2. His Power 3. His Promises,
4. His People, 5. His Prophecy

Gideon Responds:

1. He \_\_\_\_\_

2. He \_\_\_\_\_

3. He \_\_\_\_\_



Depend on God = \_\_\_\_\_

Depend on Ourselves = \_\_\_\_\_

### 3. God's Glory--Not our Own (7:19-25)

*Zech 4:6 Not by might, nor by power, but by my Spirit, says the Lord of hosts.*

*Isaiah 42:8 I am the Lord; that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to carved idols.*

God's Goal: \_\_\_\_\_

God's Strategy: \_\_\_\_\_

God's Victory: \_\_\_\_\_

*O victory in Jesus, My Savior, forever. He sought me & bought me with His redeeming blood; He loved me ere I knew Him & all my love is due Him, He plunged me to victory, beneath the cleansing flood.*

### *3 Traits of Foolishness* *Servant to Celebrity*

### 4. Anger--Not Godly Patience (8:1-17)

People of Ephraim: \_\_\_\_\_ them

People of Succoth: \_\_\_\_\_ them

People of Penuel: \_\_\_\_\_ them

1. Watch Out \_\_\_\_\_

*Proverbs 16:18 Pride goes before destruction, and a haughty spirit before a fall.*

2. Watch Out \_\_\_\_\_

*2 Cor 10:3-4 For though we walk in the flesh, we are not waging war according to the flesh. For the weapons of our warfare are not of the flesh but have divine power to destroy strongholds.*

3. Watch Out \_\_\_\_\_

*Eph 4:26-27 Be angry and do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger and give no opportunity to the devil.*

### 5. Personal Revenge--Not Godly Justice (8:18-21)

1. Justice is \_\_\_\_\_

*Romans 12:19 Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave it to the wrath of God, for it is written, "Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord."*

2. Justice is \_\_\_\_\_

3. Justice is \_\_\_\_\_

### 6. Dependence on Self--Not on God (8:22-35)

1. He had \_\_\_\_\_ (24-26)

2. He had \_\_\_\_\_ (27-28)

3. He had \_\_\_\_\_ (29-30)

4. He had \_\_\_\_\_ (31)

5. He had \_\_\_\_\_ (31b)

6. He had \_\_\_\_\_ (32-35)