



DAILY DEVOTIONS

THESE QUESTIONS WILL HELP YOU REFLECT ON THE PASSAGE



What does this passage say?



What did this passage mean to its original audience?



What does this passage tell us about God?



What does this passage tell us about man?



What does this passage demand of me?



How does this passage change the way I relate to people?



How does this passage prompt me to pray?

W/3/13

JUDGES 2:6-23

Israel grew further from the Lord with each new generation (2:19). Each time they returned to their sins, they did not return to the same level of bondage. They were even worse off than before. Sin is never satisfied with how much it has of you. Sin always demands more. If you give an inch, it will take a mile. It's been said by many that sin will take you further than you want to go, keep you longer than you want to stay, and cost you more than you want to pay. If we do not deal with our sin, then our sin will take over more of our lives. Wage war against your sin this week. The victory is yours in Christ.

WHAT SINFUL HABIT HAS TAKEN MORE AND MORE TERRITORY IN YOUR LIFE?

WHAT CAN YOU DO TO BREAK THE CYCLE?

WHAT ARE SOME THINGS THAT MOTIVATE YOUR FIGHT AGAINST SIN?

DAY 10

JUDGES 6:1-35

WHAT SELF-DEFEATING THOUGHTS
HAVE YOU BELIEVED ABOUT YOURSELF?

HOW CAN YOU SEE POTENTIAL
INSTEAD OF YOUR WEAKNESSES?

DO YOU THINK GOD CAN USE WEAK
AND IMPERFECT FAITH? WHY?

Gideon was hiding from his enemies. He thought he was weak and small and unusable. But thankfully, we don't have the final say on who we are and what we are capable of doing. Like Gideon, we need to learn an important truth: You are who God says you are (6:12). Don't limit yourself with self-doubt, but embrace what God can do through you. Gideon's faith wasn't even all that strong, but it's not about the size of your faith; it's about the object of your faith. Gideon's small faith was in a big God. Trust God and live in the identity He gives you in Christ.

DAY 05

JUDGES 7:1-25

You don't need a big army when you have a big God. God shrunk Gideon's army to just 300 men to fight 120,000 Midianites. No matter how strong your opposition is, God is stronger! The question is, do we have faith in God? Do we trust him enough to follow him into battle? Christ is mighty and has triumphed over sin, death, and the devil. So, put on the armor of God and fight the spiritual battle. When you resist the devil, he will flee from you (see James 4:7). Just as Midian fled from Gideon, resist him with faith and see God bring the victory in your life.

WHAT MIGHT IT LOOK LIKE TO RESIST
THE DEVIL IN YOUR LIFE?

HOW MIGHT YOUR WEAKNESS
MAGNIFY GOD'S STRENGTH?

WHAT WOULD VICTORY LOOK LIKE IN
YOUR LIFE?