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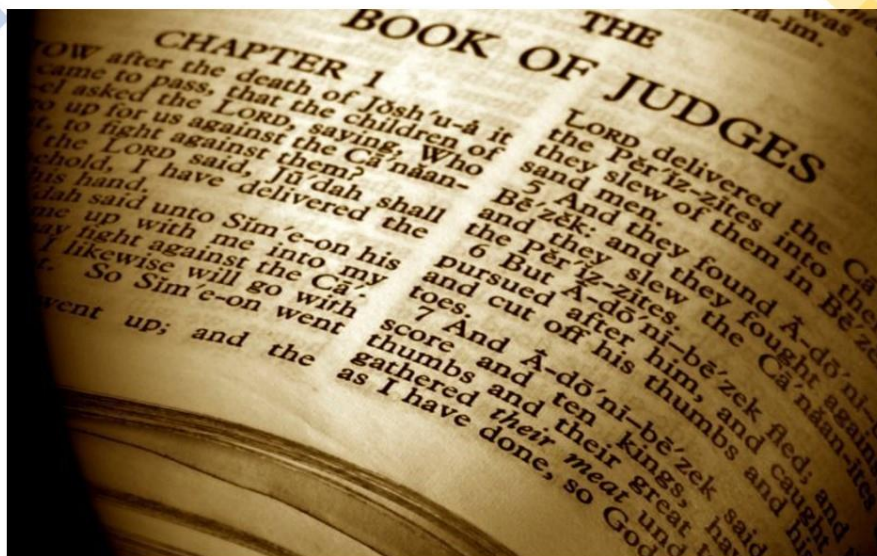
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Deborah

Judges 4-5

Wife, Prophet, Judge,  
Leader

Led Israel to 40 years of  
peace





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Judges 4:3

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“people avoided the main roads and travelers stayed on winding pathways. There were few people left in the villages of Israel,”

Judges 5:6-7

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What oppression are we putting up with?



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What oppression are you putting up with?

Where is God prompting you to cry out to Him for change?

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She sent for Barak son of Abinoam from Kedesh in Naphtali and said to him, “The Lord, the God of Israel, commands you: ‘Go, take with you ten thousand men of Naphtali and Zebulun and lead them up to Mount Tabor. I will lead Sisera, the commander of Jabin’s army, with his chariots and his troops to the Kishon River and give him into your hands.’

Judges 4:6-7



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Barak said to her, "If you go with me, I will go; but if you don't go with me, I won't go."

"Certainly I will go with you," said Deborah. "But because of the course you are taking, the honour will not be yours, for the Lord will deliver Sisera into the hands of a woman." So Deborah went with Barak to Kedesh. There Barak summoned Zebulun and Naphtali, and ten thousand men went up under his command. Deborah also went up with him.

Judges 4:9-10



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Is it time to rise up and act?



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*When Barak attacked, the LORD threw Sisera and all his chariots and warriors into a panic. Sisera leaped down from his chariot and escaped on foot. Then Barak chased the chariots and the enemy army all the way to Harosheth-haggoyim, killing all of Sisera's warriors. Not a single one was left alive.*

Judges 4:15-16

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God is looking for people who are willing to  
faithfully follow him



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'Wake up, wake up, Deborah!  
Wake up, wake up, break out in song!  
Arise, Barak!  
Take captive your captives, son of Abinoam.'

Judges 5:12

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He put a new song in my mouth,  
a hymn of praise to our God.  
Many will see and fear the LORD  
and put their trust in him.

Psalms 40:3





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