Lesser Known Biblical History- Judges 15-16

1.	Samson was a from birth, set apart to God with specific vows.
2.	He broke his vow once by eating honey out of the carcass of a
3.	To get revenge, Samson caught 300 and used them to burn the Philistines fields.
4.	The Philistines burned Samson's wife and her father, who was a
5.	After killing many Philistines, Samson retreated to the rock of
6.	The people of Judah delivered Samson to the, not wanting conflict with their rulers.
7.	When the spirit of the Lord came upon him, Samson killed 1,000 men at
8.	was the woman who finally got Samson to reveal the secret of his strength.
9.	After Samson's hair was cut, he lost his and was captured.
10.	The Philistines worshipped the false god, celebrating their capture of Samson.
11.	Samson's final act resulted in the death of over Philistines when he brought down the temple.
12.	The life of Samson teaches us that continual leads to spiritual downfall.
13.	More than outward actions, God desires a true with His people.

Summary

- Samson was a miracle
- Samson decided to take his anger out on the Philistines harvest in peak season.
- The Philistines set fire to Samson's wife and her father
- Samson retaliated, a brutal one sided battle
- 3000 went to the top of the rock Etam. Philistines and Samson played the blame game
- They bound him to give him over. The people of Judah were not willing to help him.
- He found a jawbone of a donkey and slew 1000 men
- The Spirit of the Lord came upon Samson
- He touched something that was dead and broke his vow in the midst of being used by God

- What Samson did in his private life reflected in his public life.
- Matthew 7:21-23- Nothing is more important than our relationship with God
- Don't just fall in love with what God can do for you. Don't love His hands and not Him
- All that matters is knowing God and Him knowing me

Answers

- 1. Nazarite
- 2. Lion
- 3. Foxes
- 4. Timnite
- 5. Etam
- 6. Philistines
- 7. Ramath-lehi
- 8. Deliliah
- 9. Strength
- 10. Dagon
- 11. 3000
- 12. Compromise
- 13. Relationship
- 14.