

Judges 13-16

SUBJECT: Samson Agonistes

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4. The touch of earth  
Judges 14, 15 to Timoth, Philistia  
Judges 16: 4-20 to Delilah  
1) a true woman Rahab. Ruth  
But not for many 16: 5, 18

5. Retribution  
Judges 16: 21, 23-25

6. Restoration  
Hd. 11: 32; Judges 16: 26-31  
Great national carnival in name, Judges  
Vast asphalt, very supportive of 2 whom it votes  
"Faith: He'll get you. Eye you. Hand you. Wishes, spirit.  
wonder you have heard you should? in July?"

TOLA Judges 10:1-2

He was born, died, and was buried.  
He did nothing that was important enough to even mention.  
He was not even in the class of patriots, his mission, who at least had thirty sons.

I. A JUDGE OF ISRAEL, WHERE IS HIS RECORD TO COMPARE

1. I read of the life of Deborah her courage, her song, then casually turn to Tola, but
2. Gideon - his adventures, ingenuity, his great victory
3. Abimelech - his wickedness, invincibility, zeal
4. Jothabab - his low birth, his great valor, his vow
5. Sampson - his strength, his great faith

II. It Wasn't Because There Was Nothing To Do

A. Things he might have done:

1. The God-given land to be purged, cleansed of alien people
2. Idols and temples to be destroyed
3. The people needed to be reunited together - each man, this pulling for himself, jealousy, petty stuff
4. The people needed a great religious leader - they continuously doing evil in sight of the Lord.

III. It Wasn't For Lack Of Time

1. God gave him 23 years  
(a) 23 years in the land of Gilead, Golan, Bashan.

IV. The Tragedy Of Going Through Life Today,

Our Church Record a Blank  
Our Record In God's Book a Blank

- (a) 1. My record of the members of Robert Hing's church
2. Looking through the church treasures book
3. Looking through God's book in heaven  
for prayer - a blank (a) Alton Mendenhall on day -  
for love - a blank (b) 200-300 members, looking  
for faith, love - " " - giving - strong, man -  
for courage, zeal - " " - giving - strong, man -  
for work - " " - giving - strong, man -

(a) What do you, and why, blank?