Judges 1

Apathy

Application and Discussion Questions

* 1. Israel sought God's counsel and direction before beginning the conquest of the promised land. What does this reveal about their spiritual condition at that time?
  2. What does it reveal about our spiritual condition when we seek God before making decisions? What does it reveal about God?
  3. Read Proverbs 3:5-6. What relationship exists between our trust in God and the direction God gives to us?
  4. In what way do the promises of God double as a test?
  5. In what way might the teamwork of Judah and Simeon have been a lack of faith in God? In what way might it have evidenced a positive attribute? What lesson might we learn from their example of teamwork?
  6. What most motivates you to obey God? Why do you obey Him?
  7. Read Hebrews 10:32-39. What motivated these believers to serve one another, risking everything?
  8. In what areas of your life are you holding back rather than obeying wholeheartedly? What steps ought you take to be a fully devoted follower of Jesus who holds nothing back from serving and obeying Him?
  9. In what way did Adoni-Bezek reap what he sowed? See verses 5-7
  10. Read Galatians 6:7-8. What does it mean "…whatever one sows, that will he also reap?"
  11. In what way should this truth affect our your walk with God?
  12. What lessons have you learned that will help you grow together to become more like Jesus for the glory of God?