### My Life

- Parents
  - --> Give Directions
- How God deals with your sin...
- Judges are like bullies they boss people around and they always are mean to people and they make people give them money and they and they would tell them to give money or they would hurt them or kill them and are very strong and they just would want the money
- If you were a Judge you would boss people around to and you would make them give there money to you to and you would do the same thing they would do everybody would and you would have a lot of money because you got away with it.

### Psalm 135:13-18

#### 13

Your name, Lord, endures forever, your renown, Lord, through all generations.

#### 14

For the Lord will vindicate his people and have compassion on his servants.

#### 15

The idols of the nations are silver and gold, made by human hands.

#### 16

They have mouths, but cannot speak,

eyes, but cannot see.

#### **17**

They have ears, but cannot hear, nor is there breath in their mouths.

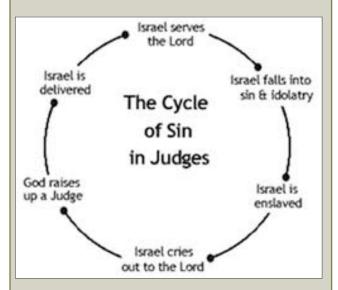
#### 18

Those who make them will be like them,

and so will all who trust in them.

# CYCLE OF THE JUDGES

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### Q & A

#### Why did God send judges?

To help the Israelites, So the Israelites would turn back to God, To stop Israel from being oppressed

## What types of people did God use as judges over Israel?

Strong, Courageous, Brave, People that would follow God

# What lessons can we learn about this time period of the judges?

Israelites didn't <u>learn!</u> Things go worse ,always needed a Judge, Things were not always happy

# Samson

**Occupation (job)**: To lead the Israelites

Time Period:1200-1000 B.C.

**Evidence of Faith**: When he was at his weakest point, he cried to God, and God gave Samson the strength to push over the temple.

Abilities (or talents): Very Strong

**Personality**: Selfish, Only cared for himself. And he only helped the Israelites when he wanted.

**More Information**:

Judge's Story

Samson went down to Timnah and saw there a young Philistine woman. When he returned, he said to his father and mother, "I have seen a Philistine woman in Timnah; now get her for me as my wife. His mother and father said isn't there someone else in the world but they didn't know that God picked her ok we can go meet her yes said Samson well they were on the way Samson asked his father she's the one I want as they were getting closer to Timnah then they got there and they eat a feast and then Samson made a riddle and his wife had to figure out the riddle and you don't love me tell me the riddle then Samson said the riddle and then he went to slay some people to get garments and then he went to her and said these are for you then he went home to see his parents and then when he came back someone else was with his wife and he went and tied foxes tales to a boy and a girl and he lit there tails on fire and they burned all the crops down and then he struck 1,000 people down with a donkey's jaw bone