## My Life

Parents are kind of like judges, the keep you from doing wrong, they guide your life, and there always there for you, they lead you and guide you, and they try to keep you and your brothers and sisters from fighting. Your teachers are kind of like judges to, they guide you teach you, and they try to keep you from doing wrong, and they try to keep your classmates from fighting. We can be like judges to, we can be good examples for our siblings or classmates or just kids who look up to you, you can lead others from doing wrong, you can be judges to your friends to, tell them if they shouldn't do something, tell them if they are being mean, or just tell them they are a good friend or just make them feel better when they are sad. There are so many judges in my life and I hope that you are one too.


## 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.

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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 learn! Things always got worse each time the judge died. They always needed a judge. Things weren't always happy.

Occupation (job): To lead the Israelites.

Time Period: 1000-1200 BC

Evidence of Faith: At the the end when he was at his weakest point, he cried out to God for his strength, God gave him his strength, and he pushed down the pillars of the temple the temple fell.

Abilities (or talents): He was very strong.

Personality: Selfish, only cared for himself, and he helped the Israelites when he wanted to.

## More Information:

## Samson's Story

God told Samson's soon to be mom and dad that they would have a baby even though Samson's mom was couldn't have kids, God blessed them with a child, he was to be a Nazerite so he would not be able to eat grapes in any way he could never shave his head or go near a dead carcass. Later in Samson's life he got married to a women later there was a feast he made a deal with some men if they could figure out a riddle they get 30 linen garments each, the men bribed his wife to make Samson tell him the answer to the riddle, she finally got it out of him. She told the men and they told Samson, so he went out and killed some men for there garments and he gave them to the men. Later his father in law gave his wife to another man, so he went out and caught 300 foxes he was very strong, he tied there tails together in pairs of to and put torches in between there tails and let them loose in the grain fields and they burned down the Philistines crops. The Philistines got made and burned his wife. later on in his life he met another women he liked they got married, her name was Delilah the Philistines wanted to capture Samson and gouge out his eyes, so they bribed Delilah to find out his secret and after a lot of tricking Delilah he finally gave up he told delilah everything, She shaved his head at night and said samson the Philistines are upon you they captured him and gouged out his eyes the celebrating when he asked for one more burst of strength, God gave him his strength one more time he pushed down the temple pillars and the temple crashed to the ground killing ton and tons of people including Samson.

