

In chapters 13 and 14, we read about one of the most famous judges of all – Samson! He was extremely strong physically.... but he had a weakness. He also made a promise to God....but he broke it. There is a lot to learn from the story of Samson, and it is one of those Bible stories that could easily be made into a great action movie!

Monday: Samson’s Parents and the Angel  
(chapter 13)

- 1.) Why did the Lord deliver the people of Israel into the hand of the Philistines? (Hint: v1)  
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- 2.) Who did the Angel of the Lord appear to? (hint: v2)?  
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- 3.) The Child that the Angel promised to Manoah would deliver Israel from the \_\_\_\_\_. (Hint: v5)
- 4.)What did Manoah pray to the Lord after she told her husband what she had seen? (Hint: v8)
- 5.) What did Manoah and he husband offer the Angel to eat? Did he eat it? (Hint: v15-16)  
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- 6.) What amazing thing happened when Manoah offered the goat and some grain to the Lord? (v19-20)  
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Tuesday: Samson’s Birth (ch 13 cont’d)

- 1.) What did Samson’s father say when he realised that the Angel of the Lord was actually God Himself? (v22)  
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- 2)What did they call their son?  
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- 3). Where did Samson go? How did he know to get there? (v25)  
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<sup>8</sup> Then Manoah prayed to the LORD, and said, “O my Lord, please let the Man of God whom You sent come to us again and teach us what we shall do for the child who will be born.” Judges 13:8

**What can we learn from this?**  
 We must be very careful when we make promises to the lord for *“it is better not to vow (promise) than to vow and not pay”* (Ecclesiastes 5:5)



Chapter 14

Wednesday: Samson meets Delilah

- 1.) Where did Samson go to meet Delilah? What did His parents say about this? (v1-2)
- 2.) What kind of animal attacked Samson? What did he do to it? (v5-6)

Thursday

- 1.) What did Samson find in the carcass (body) of the lion? (v8)
- 2.) What was the riddle that Samson asked his friends? (Hint v14)



Friday:

- 1.) Were the people able to solve the riddle? \_\_\_\_\_
- 2.) What did they ask Delilah to do? \_\_\_\_\_
- 3.) What did Samson say when Delilah asked him for the answer? \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.) How many of their people did Samson kill? \_\_\_\_\_

