

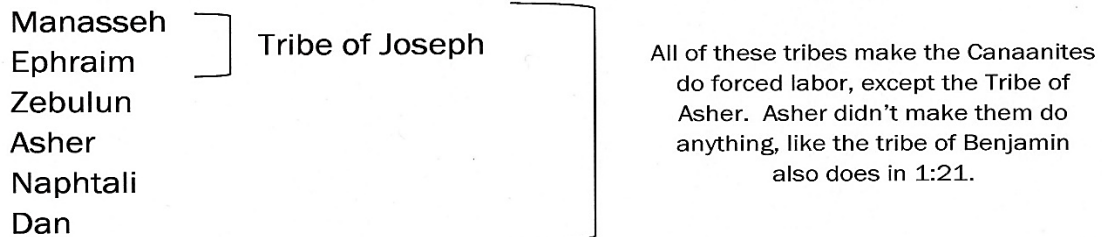
JUDGES

Wednesday, April 4, 2018
Week 3: Failure Everywhere

Scripture Reading: Judges 1:27–2:10

1. Failure to conquer (verses 27-36)

- A *cleansing* of material & spiritual idolatry



- Not an issue of “*can't*” – but “*won't*”:

- 1:28 = “When Israel grew strong”
- 1 Corinthians 10:13

2. Failure to obey (verses 2:1-5)

- Judges 1 = earthly, military perspective. Judges 2 = heavenly, divine perspective.

- **Verses 1-3:**

- Their heavenly protector is leaving them
 - Exodus 14:19-20 & 23:20-22
- Significance of this location
- The covenant relationship is in danger

- A **covenant** is a divinely established relationship initiated by God with man that never expires.

3. Failure to know (verses 6-10)

- Joshua 24:31 = Judges 2:7

- *The terrifying reality of verse 10*
 - *The root of our disobedience is when we fail to remember Yahweh*

 - Psalm 19 & Galatians 2:20-21