

# Judges 1:1-2:5

Intro: Where did it all go wrong?

(Compare Joshua 21:45; 24:18-24 and Judges 21:25)

## 1. Israel's early success reveals God's faithfulness

i) A good start, 1:1-18

ii) A surprising roadblock, 1:19-36

## 2. Israel's ultimate failure reveals her own faithlessness

i) The evidence of '*partial obedience*'

See Deuteronomy 7:1-4; 20:16-18

ii) The scandal of '*partial obedience*', 2:1-3

See 1 Corinthians 10:6; Hebrews 3:12-15

**Conclusion:** Love & justice?

### Next week's services:

10.30am: Judges 2:6-3:6

6pm: Acts 10:1-48

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