



Jephthah

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Questions for Study and Group Discussion

*** Before you begin, please read Judges 10:6-11:11 as a group.*

1. Icebreaker: Imagine you had your résumé of past jobs in front of you. What job were you most unqualified for? Why?
2. Make a list of observations from Judges 11:1-3 about things that would seem to disqualify Jephthah from being used by God as a leader.
3. Summarize Judges 11:12-33 in your own words. What stands out to you about this section?
4. “God’s ability to use someone had never been determined by the strength of their résumé, but by the greatness of His grace and plan.” How do you see this statement play out in the story of Jephthah?
5. Are there ways you feel “disqualified” to be used by God? How can the story of Jephthah help you see that God can still use you in big ways?
6. How does the story of Jephthah show the fallenness of human leaders?
7. How does the story of Jephthah drive us to desire a better Savior (ultimately pointing us toward Jesus)?
8. Practically speaking, what can you do to apply something you read from this passage or heard in the sermon?
9. What other questions or comments do you have about what you’ve looked at in the Bible today?
10. What was your biggest take-away from the message? Why?