

Review:

**Lesson 1:** Introduction, Pt. 1

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**Lesson 4:** Standing Up to Power

## Asking for a Sign Judges 6:36-40

*Let's be honest, most of our crises of belief are NOT about clarifying what God has required of us, but rather about \_\_\_\_\_ that our obedience is what is best for us and for those around us.*

**Discussion 1. When obedience to God is going to be difficult, how do you find assurance that it will be best for you? What kinds of things (or people) remind you that God has your best interests in mind?**

*Asking God for a sign these days is dangerous territory. As Christ followers, we already have full access to both His Word and His Spirit. We rarely need a sign; we just need to \_\_\_\_\_ what we \_\_\_\_\_ about God.*

**Discussion 2. How does God “speak” to you? What are the primary sources of His voice in your life? How specific and clear are those sources for you?**

*The rightness or wrongness of asking God for a sign, like so many other outward behaviors in scripture, is much more a matter of \_\_\_\_\_ than of the act itself. God honors hearts fully surrendered to Him.*

**Discussion 3. If asking God for a sign is primarily a matter of the heart, how do you test the condition of your heart? How do you know if your request for a sign comes from an attitude of entitlement?**

*That our generation still breathes and has life, i.e., that God has not just done away with us all, has nothing to do with us nor our worthiness. It has only to do with Him and his \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.*

**Discussion 4. How has God demonstrated mercy or patience in your life? How important is it that we stay connected to that reality? What kinds of disciplines help you stay connected to the reality of God's mercy and patience?**

**Discussion 5. How does this lesson cause you to pray? How does it prepare your heart for worship?**