Judges 19-21 • Civil War Among Believers

- 1. (19:1-4) Just as it is possible to recover from marital <u>adultery</u>, so it is possible to recover from spiritual <u>unfaithfulness</u>.
- 2. (19:5-10) Spiritual faithfulness is most often tested by personal desires.
- 3. (19:11-21) When believers no longer act like believers they become exactly like the world they live in.
- 4. (19:22-30) When believers become exactly like the world they live in the only solution is to be completely <u>rid of them</u>.
- 5. (20:1-17) Corrupt organizations are not often 100% corrupt, but are rendered useless because they refuse to hold the corrupt element accountable.
- 6. (20:18-35) Judgment always begins with the house of God first.
- 7. (20:36-45) When a person, group, or organization has been investigated and confronted with the issue of sin and steadfastly remains unrepentant, all that remains is final judgment.
- 8. (21:1-25) It takes the <u>righteous</u> interceding on behalf of the <u>unrighteous</u> to effect reconciliation.