## Study Notes and Questions for Judges 6-7

- Gideon was a reluctant leader and obviously didn't see himself as someone the Lord would use. Why do you think the Lord called him?
- Gideon can probably be likened to Thomas in the New Testament since they both needed visible proof of the Lord's promise. Of all of God's promises and statements, which do you find most challenging to believe?
- God provided proof after proof to Gideon, even in the face of his fear and unbelief. Why do you think God continued to give him evidence?
- Why do you believe God called Gideon a "mighty man of valor" when Gideon was literally hiding from the enemy?
- In these chapters, find the reason God whittled Gideon's army down to 300 men and write it down.
- What does the reduction of Gideon's army tell you about God's character?
- What was special about Gideon that made him someone God could use?

## **Prayer Points:**

- Read 1 Corinthians 1:28 and spend a moment thanking God that He uses everyday, ordinary people.
- Pray that God would keep your heart humble and usable in His hands
- Ask the Lord to use the story of Gideon in your life