# Lessons & Encouragement from Gideon

Judges Chapter 6

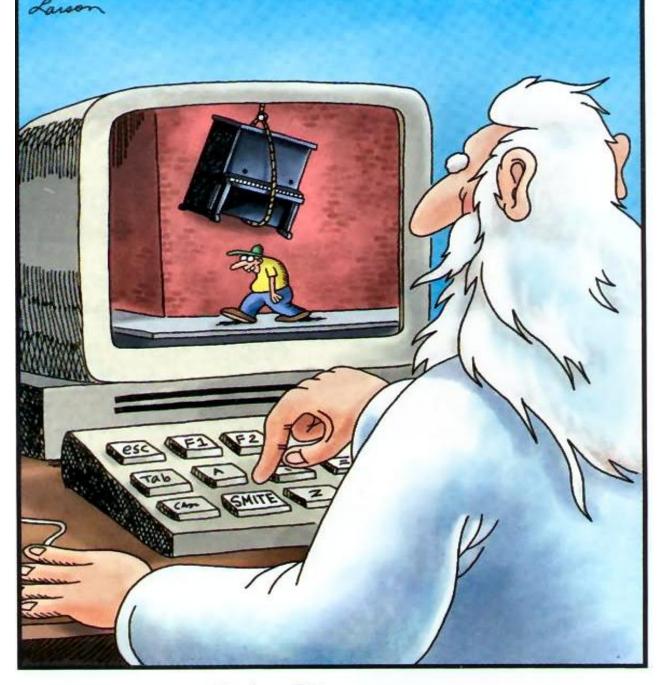
# Q. What was the first Battle Gideon fought? A. His view of:

God Himself 47 years after revival with Deborah God has allowed consequences God listens to prayer God Sees potential in Gideon

Background



God's power in the past? exaggerated? against us? Gideon sees problems - with God



God at His computer

# Disappointed Disillusioned Disappearing

#### Gideon is

## The Strength you have (Eph 3:20)

Have I not **Sent** you? (Col 1:29; Phil 3:12)

## God still sees potential!

#### Wrong background

Wrong Person

Gideon sees problems

- with Gideon

## I will be with you God plus one is a majority

God still sees potential!

6:22 Alas...

6:23-24 Peace...

Do not fear

The Lord is Peace

Gideon's journey – from fear to peace