



DEBORAH; IT'S TIME TO ARISE

*"⁷Village life ceased, it ceased in Israel, Until I, Deborah, arose, Arose a mother in Israel."
Judges 5:7*

Introduction:

*"¹After Ehud's death, the Israelites again did evil in the Lord's sight. ²So the Lord turned them over to King Jabin of Hazor, a Canaanite king. The commander of his army was Sisera, who lived in Harosheth-haggoyim. ³Sisera, who had 900 iron chariots, ruthlessly oppressed the Israelites for twenty years. Then the people of Israel cried out to the Lord for help."
Judges 4:1-3 nlt*

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*"⁴Now Deborah, a prophetess, the wife of Lapidoth, was judging Israel at that time."
Judges 4:4*

*"⁶For how can I endure to see my people and my family slaughtered and destroyed?"
Esther 8:6 nlt*

"⁶Then she sent and called for Barak the son of Abinoam from Kedesh in Naphtali, and said to him, Has not the Lord God of Israel commanded, Go and deploy troops at Mount Tabor; take with you ten thousand men of the sons of Naphtali and of the sons of Zebulun; ⁷and against you I will deploy Sisera, the commander of Jabin's army, with his chariots and his multitude at the River Kishon; and I will deliver him into your hand? ⁸And Barak said to her, If you will go with me, then I will go; but if you will not go with me, I will not go! ⁹So she said, I will surely go with you; nevertheless there will be no glory for you in the journey you are taking, for the Lord will sell Sisera into the hand of a woman. Then Deborah arose and went with Barak to Kedesh." Judges 4:6-9

"⁸And the Lord, He is the One who goes before you. He will be with you, He will not leave you nor forsake you; do not fear nor be dismayed." Deuteronomy 31:8

"¹⁰Don't be afraid, for I am with you. Don't be discouraged, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you. I will hold you up with my victorious right hand. ¹¹See, all your angry enemies lie there, confused and humiliated. Anyone who opposes you will die and come to nothing. ¹²You will look in vain for those who tried to conquer you. Those who attack you will come to nothing. ¹³For I hold you by your right hand, I, the Lord your God. And I say to you, Don't be afraid. I am here to help you." Isaiah 41:10-13 nlt

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"¹⁸Wisdom is better than weapons of war; ..." Ecclesiastes 9:18

*"¹The wise woman builds her house, But the foolish pulls it down with her hands."
Proverbs 14:1*

"¹⁸... But the tongue of the wise promotes health." Proverbs 12:18b

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*"¹On that day Deborah and Barak son of Abinoam sang this song: ²Israel's leaders took charge, and the people gladly followed. Praise the Lord! ³Listen, you kings! Pay attention, you mighty rulers! For I will sing to the Lord. I will make music to the Lord, the God of Israel."
Judges 5:1-3 nlt*

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"¹⁷Even though the fig trees have no blossoms, and there are no grapes on the vines; even though the olive crop fails, and the fields lie empty and barren; even though the flocks die in the fields, and the cattle barns are empty, ¹⁸yet I will rejoice in the Lord! I will be joyful in the God of my salvation! ¹⁹The Sovereign Lord is my strength! He makes me as surefooted as a deer, able to tread upon the heights." Habakkuk 3:17-19 nlt

Conclusion:

*"⁹So she said, I will surely go with you; nevertheless there will be no glory for you in the journey you are taking, for the Lord will sell Sisera into the hand of a woman. Then Deborah arose and went with Barak to Kedesh Then Deborah said to Barak, Up! For this is the day in which the Lord has delivered Sisera into your hand. Has not the Lord gone out before you? ..."
Judges 4:9 y 14*