



Shofar Christian Church

# My Sin and His Presence

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## God Promises a Deliverer

(Jdg 13:2) There was a certain man of Zorah, of the tribe of the Danites, whose name was Manoah. And his wife was barren and had no children.

(Jdg 13:3) And the angel of the LORD appeared to the woman and said to her, “Behold, you are barren and have not borne children, but you shall conceive and bear a son.

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(Jdg 13:4) Therefore be careful and drink no wine or strong drink, and eat nothing unclean,

(Jdg 13:5) for behold, you shall conceive and bear a son. No razor shall come upon his head, for the child shall be a Nazirite to God from the womb, and he shall begin to save Israel from the hand of the Philistines.”



# God Blesses Samson

(Jdg 13:24) And the woman bore a son and called his name Samson. And the young man grew, and the LORD blessed him.

(Jdg 13:25) And the Spirit of the LORD began to stir him in Mahaneh-dan, between Zorah and Eshtaol.

## Samson closes his heart to counsel

(Jdg 14:2) Then he came up and told his father and mother, “I saw one of the daughters of the Philistines at Timnah. Now get her for me as my wife.”

## Samson closes his heart to counsel

(Jdg 14:3) But his father and mother said to him, “Is there not a woman among the daughters of your relatives, or among all our people, that you must go to take a wife from the uncircumcised Philistines?” But Samson said to his father, “Get her for me, for she is right in my eyes.”

## God remains Faithfull

(Jdg 14:6) Then the Spirit of the LORD rushed upon him, and although he had nothing in his hand, he tore the lion in pieces as one tears a young goat. But he did not tell his father or his mother what he had done.

(Jdg 14:7) Then he went down and talked with the woman, and she was right in Samson's eyes.

## God remains Faithfull

(Jdg 15:14) When he came to Lehi, the Philistines came shouting to meet him. Then the Spirit of the LORD rushed upon him, and the ropes that were on his arms became as flax that has caught fire, and his bonds melted off his hands.

(Jdg 15:15) And he found a fresh jawbone of a donkey, and put out his hand and took it, and with it he struck 1,000 men.

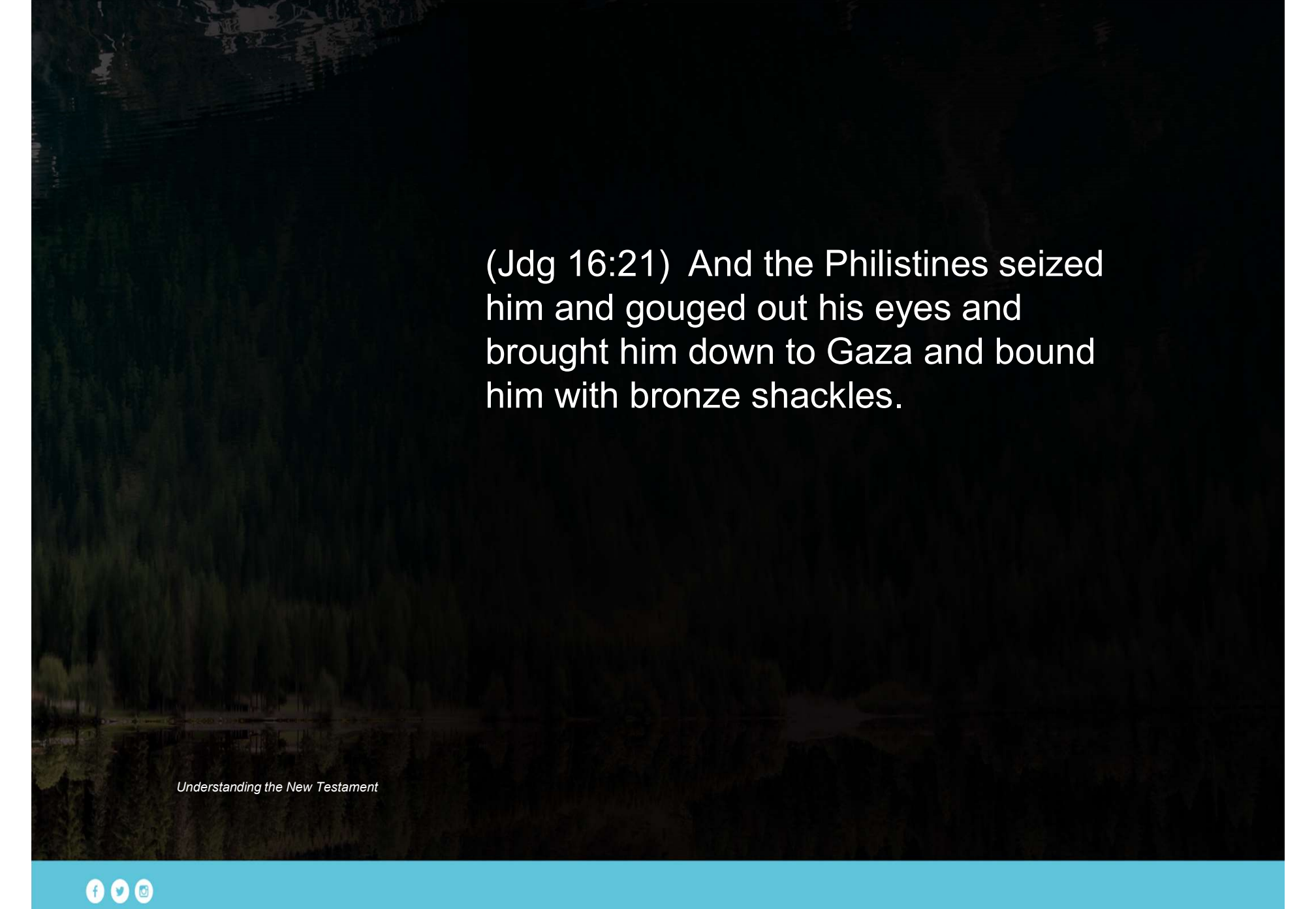


## Samson reacts on his Emotions

(Jdg 14:17) At last, on the seventh day he told her the answer because she was tormenting him with her nagging. Then she explained the riddle to the young men.

(Jdg 16:16) She tormented him with her nagging day after day until he was sick to death of it.....And he told her all..

(Jdg 16:20) And she said, “The Philistines are upon you, Samson!” And he awoke from his sleep and said, “I will go out as at other times and shake myself free.” But he did not know that the LORD had left him.



(Jdg 16:21) And the Philistines seized him and gouged out his eyes and brought him down to Gaza and bound him with bronze shackles.

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## 1) Samson did not know the presence of God

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## 2) Samson did not know his own sin

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## David's prayer after sinning

(Psa 51:2) Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin!

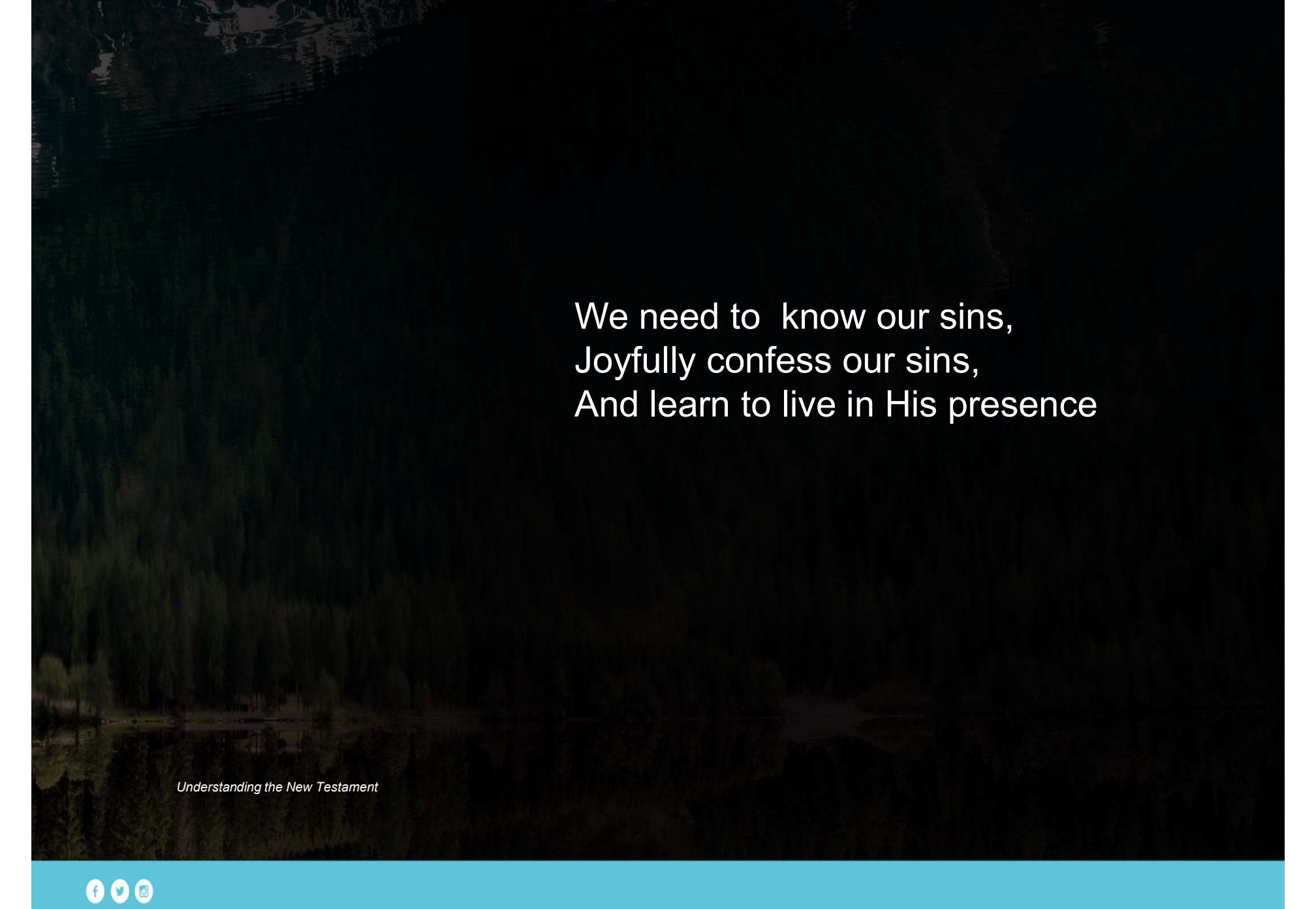
(Psa 51:3) For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.

## David's prayer after sinning

(Psa 51:10) Create in me a clean heart,  
O God, and renew a right spirit within  
me.

(Psa 51:11) Cast me not away from  
your presence, and take not your Holy  
Spirit from me.





We need to know our sins,  
Joyfully confess our sins,  
And learn to live in His presence

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