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In These Modern Times

**JUDGES 2:7-13**

**In a sense, these modern times  
are the same as 3500 years ago.**

***Eccl. 1:9-10***



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**Success is possible.  
No excuses for failure.**



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# What we learn from Judges 2:7-13:

➤ Faith is fragile – especially for the young.

Jud. 7:10b – Strengthened thru  
experience.

1 Pet. 1:6-7 – Trials affirm faith.

Jas. 1:2-4 – Trials increase  
patience.

*Israel – The great example.*



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# What we learn from Judges 2:7-13:

- **Fragile faith must be constantly and consistently nurtured.**

**Deut. 11:19-20 – Bombard children with the word.**

**Eph. 6:4 – Fathers, the buck stops with you.**

**Prov. 31:26 – Mothers have a responsibility too.**



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**Joshua 24:15 –  
“As for me and  
my house, we will  
serve the Lord.”**



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