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AN OUTLINE FOR TODAY'S SERMON

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WHEN CHRISTIANS BECOME JUST LIKE WORLDLINGS

Judges 16:15-22

I. Doctrine: Even a *True Believer may* (for a time) Become as

_____ as an unregenerate—
through Unfaithfulness to God

- A. –This Usually Happens Over a _____ of Time . . . ,
(Judg. 16:16)
- B. . . . And it Culminates when one _____ In To the
Flesh, *through* Neglect and Carelessness, (Judg. 16:17)

**II. The “*Death to Life*” _____ of the Once-Wanton
Christian, vv. 15-22**

- A. –*Too Much* _____ with the World will *Weaken*
Any Soul, vv. 15-17
- B. –_____ -Trust is a *Sure* Recipe for Disaster, vv. 18-20
- C. –The Holy Spirit *Effects* our _____ of Life (in
Christ), vv. 21-22

**III. How Christians May _____ Against *Becoming Just*
*Like the World***

- A. –We Need to *Constantly* _____ -Up our Holy Faith in
Christ, (2 Tim. 1:6)
- B. –We Need to Be _____ In the Covenant *and* In
Prayer, (1 Pet. 5:8-9)

Key Phrase—v. 17b: “ . . . *If I am shaven, then my strength will leave me, and I shall become weak, and be like any other man.*”

NOTES & APPLICATIONS: