

**奧斯汀華人教會西北分堂主日學**  
**ACC-NW Sunday School for November 11, 2007**  
**約書亞記第九章 Joshua 9**

**Q1:** 基遍人是誰(7節)? 在如何對待基遍人一事上, 神是怎樣吩咐以色列人的(申7:1-6)? 基遍人是如何欺騙以色列領袖的(3-15節)? 基遍人決定這麼做的原因是什麼(24節)?

Who are the Gibeonites (v. 7)? What was God's original charge to Israelites for the people of Gibeon (Deut. 7:1-6)? How did Gibeonites deceive the Israelite leadership (v. 3-15)? And why did the Gibeonites decided to do so (v. 24)?

**Q2:** 以色列人和基遍人最終和約的內容是什麼?(15,18節) 當以神的名來立這個和約時, 以色列領袖做錯了什麼?(14節) 以色列人的領袖是怎樣改正這個錯誤的?

What was the final treaty agreed between Israel and the Gibeonites? (v. 15, 18) What did leadership of Israel do wrong in making this oath in the name of God? (v. 14) How did the leadership of Israel rectify the problem?

**Q3:** 從基遍人的欺詐中,我們有什麼功課可以學習? 欺詐是什麼? 撒但的主要武器是欺詐-你還記得舊約和新約中的有關記述嗎? 在撒但所有的欺騙中, 有什麼共同主題嗎? 在你每天的生活中, 你所見到或經歷的典型欺詐是什麼? 你是如何識別並避免的?

What lessons do we take away from Gibeonites deception? What is deception? Satan's chief weapon is deception – can you recall any from the OT and NT? What is the common theme in all of Satan deceptions? What are the typical deceptions that you see/experience in our daily life? How do you detect and avoid them?

**Q4:** 暫且不考慮基遍人的欺詐行為, 為了逃避死亡的懲罰,在以色列人看來基遍人所做的“正確”的事情是什麼? 在新約的福音書中, 基遍人可以代表哪一類人? 我們能夠從基遍人那裡學到什麼樣的功課?

Despite of Gibeonites act of deception, what were the “right” things they did in the eyes of Israelites to escape the penalty of death? Which group of people could Gibeonites represent in the New Testament Gospel and what are the lessons you and I can learn from the Gibeonites?

**Q5:** 雖然以色列人不同意他們的領袖同基遍人所立的和約, 以色列人並沒有攻擊基遍人(16-21節). 他們是如何解決民眾和領袖之間的衝突的? 在當時,有沒有一個削弱領袖權威的征戰? 我們可以從中學到什麼, 並應用於我們的家庭,教會和工作中?

The people of Israel did not attack Gibeonites despite they disagreed with the leadership's decision to make the peace treaty (v. 16-21). How did they resolve this conflict between the people and the leadership? Was there a major internal struggle of undermining the leadership? What you and I can learn from this experience and apply them to our family, church, and work life?