

Choose to Be Set Apart
Seven Choices
May 28, 2023

Proverbs 2:11 NLT

- Theme: God's desire is for everyone to be set apart for Him ETERNALLY.
That FUTURE begins with a choice TODAY. - Ephesians 1:4-5, 10 TLB
- Living according to my wants - Judges 17:6
 - ✓ Toleration replaced VICTORY
 - ✓ Moral and spiritual WEAKNESS
 - ✓ INTERMARRIAGE with foreigners - Judges 3:6
 - ✓ Pagan WORSHIP of Baal and Ashtaroth - Judges 2:13
 - ✓ Lying, STEALING, adultery and MURDER condoned
 - ✓ Servitude - Judges 13:1
- Samson
 - ✓ Special BIRTH - Nazarite (Hebrew Nazir) separated - Judges 13:7
 - ✓ ANNOINTED by God - Judges 13:24-25
 - ✓ Downfall through COMPROMISE: Girl at Timnath, prostitute at Gaza, and DELILAH
 - ✓ Periodic victories - Judges 15:14-15
 - ✓ Departed PRESENCE of God - Judges 16:20
 - ✓ Total SURRENDER - Judges 16:28-30
- Tragic reminder to choose TODAY - Joshua 24:15