

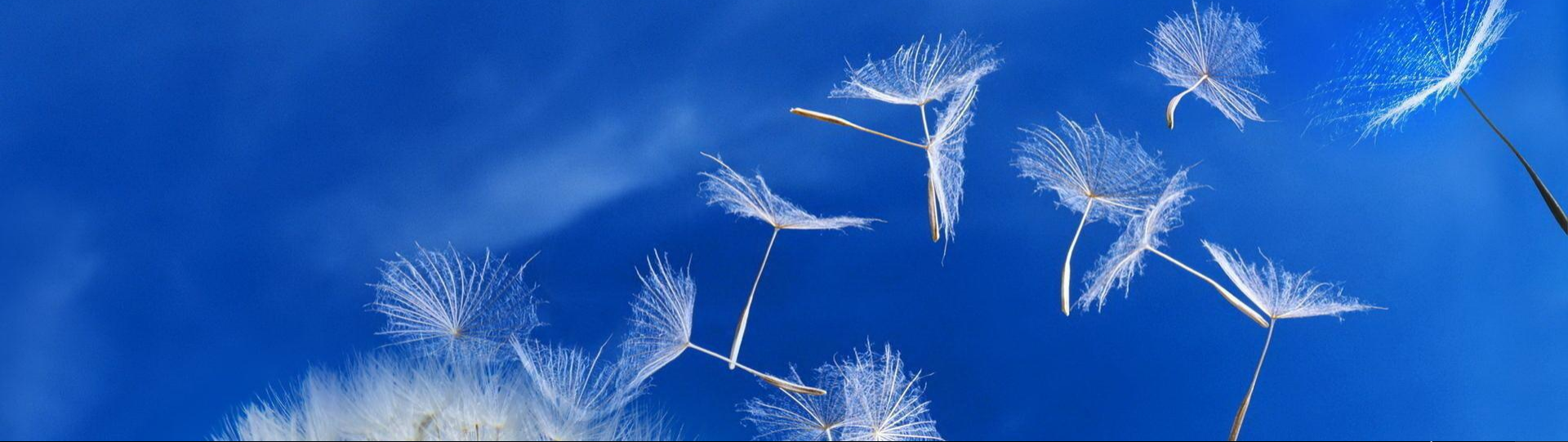


The Dance of Delilah Sermon Review

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Today's Bible
Webinar brings
us to Delilah in
the story of
Samson





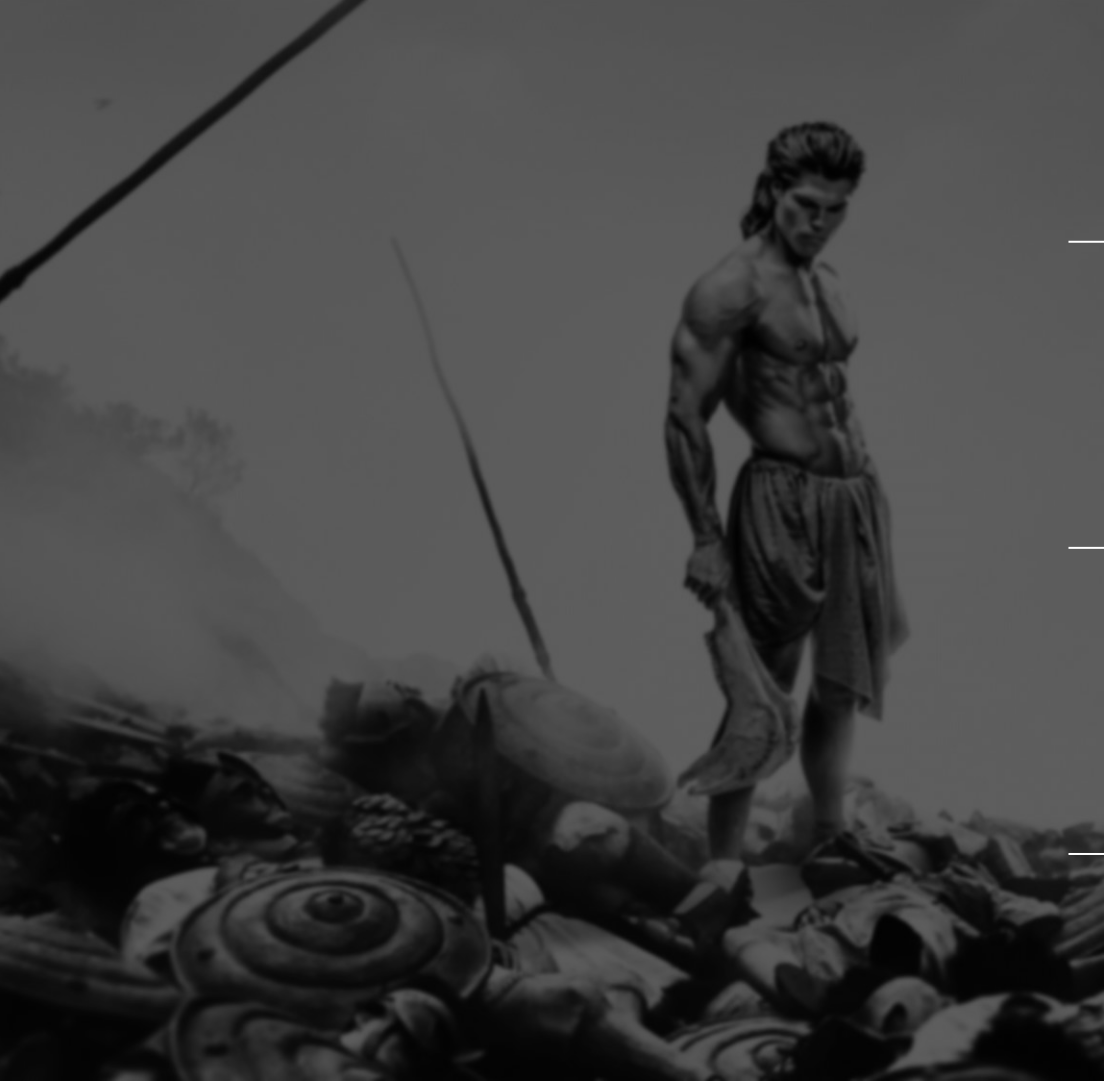
Even though the syllable "ah" is at the end of her name in both Hebrew and Arabic her name means "delicate"

One of the first things I want to point out is that there is no indication that Delilah had any authentic feelings for Samson



What seems to be
her priority is the
amount of silver
that she is offered
by the Philistines





The other item of note is that Samson had subdued the Philistines for a period of 20 years yet there were as anxious to defeat him after 20 years as they were prior to the 20 years



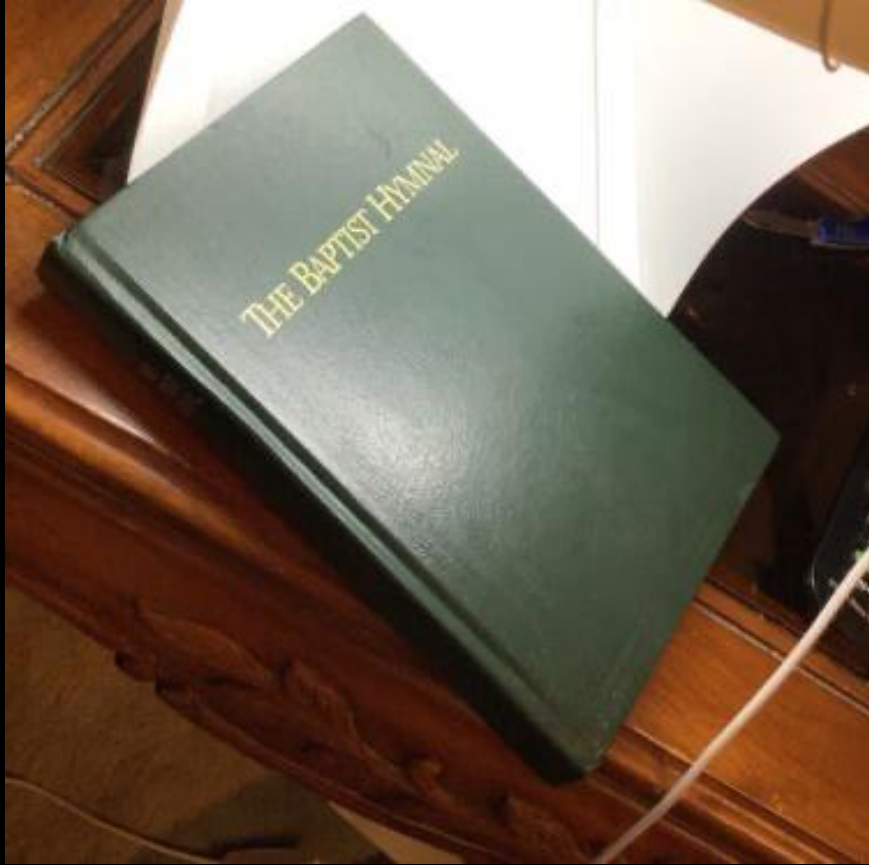
I am further baffled by the gullibility or naivety of Samson that he would entertain Delilah after she had repeated done to him what he said would rob him of his strength



**It is a tragedy
indeed not to
know when the
presence of God
has exited your
life**



Let us be clear,
the strength of
Samson was not
in his hair, it was
in his covenant
and promise not
to allow a razor
to touch his
head



The green Baptist Hymnal says that we promise to abstain from the sale and use of alcoholic liquor as a beverage



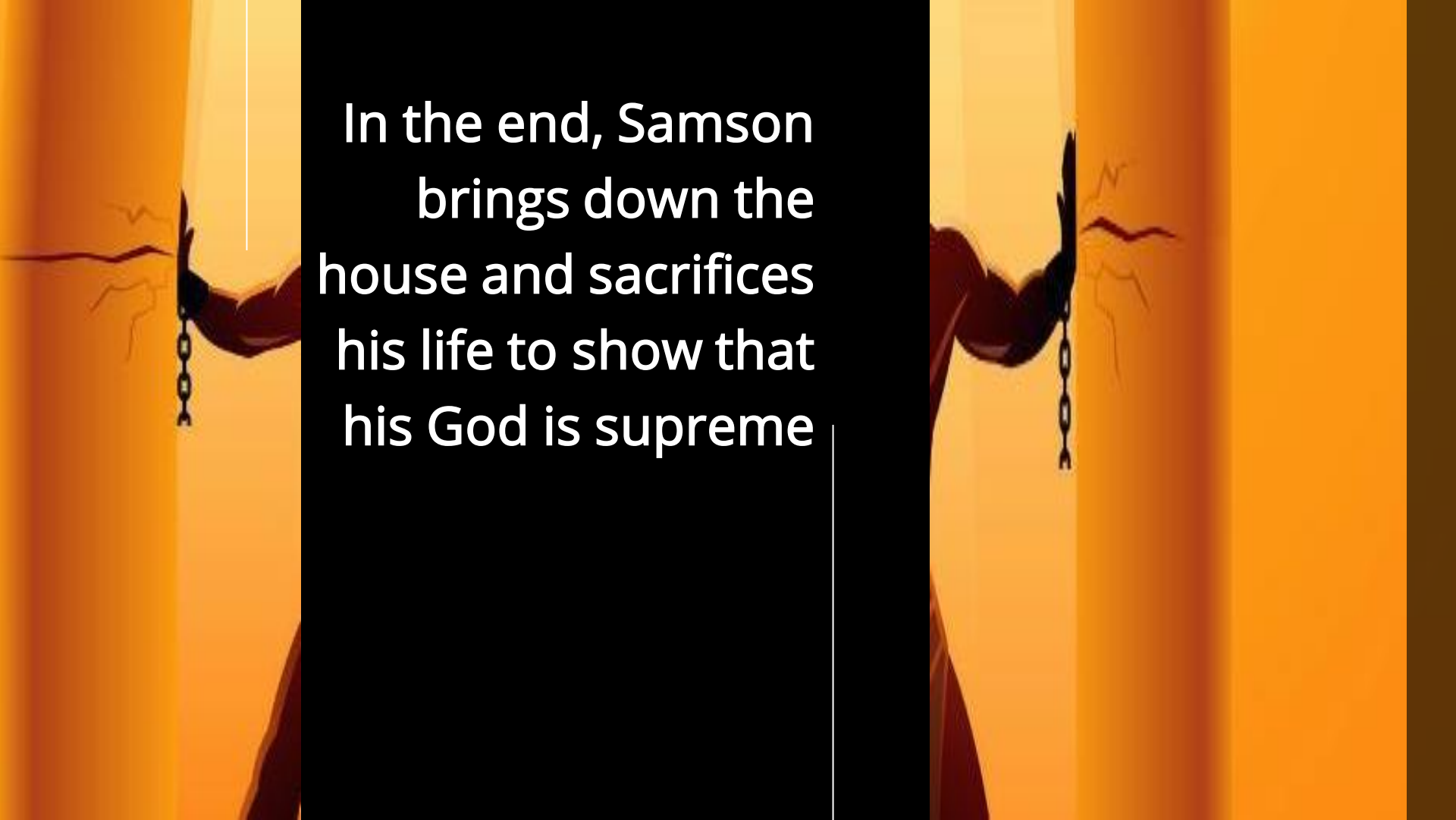
The placement of Samson in the prison to grind grain was to demonstrate the superiority of the Philistines over him and his people



Let us not forget
that the death of
Samson takes
place in the
temple of Dagon
which was one of
the many gods
worshipped by
the Philistines

The retrieval of
Samson and him
being brought to the
temple set up a
contest between the
God of Samson and
the god of the
Philistines



The image features a central black rectangular area containing white text. This central area is flanked by two vertical panels of a stylized illustration. The illustration depicts Samson's hands, bound with chains, against a background of warm orange and yellow light. The background has a cracked, stone-like texture. The overall composition is symmetrical and dramatic.

In the end, Samson
brings down the
house and sacrifices
his life to show that
his God is supreme



**THANK YOU
FOR WATCHING!**