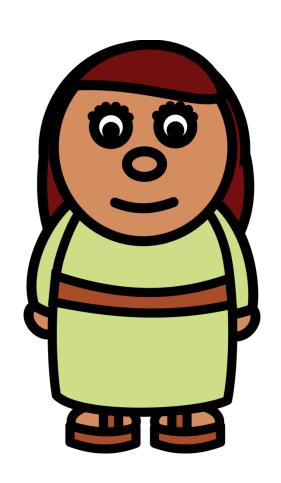
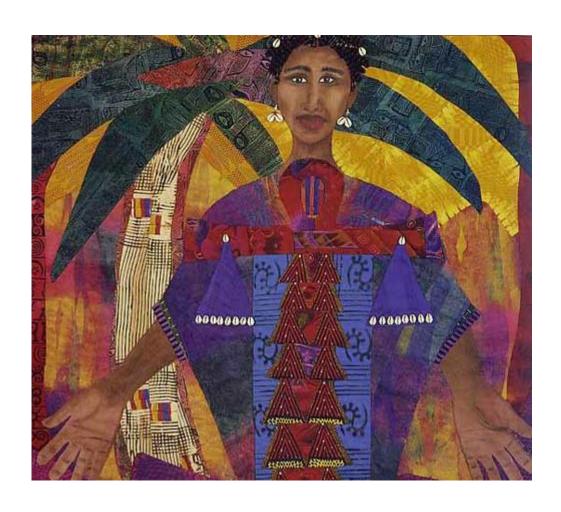
## Mystery Museum Video Transcript for

## Deborah the Heroic Judge

Hi, my name is Deborah and a long time ago, I was a judge.



What being a judge meant for me is that I would listen to people patiently while they told me about their problems. Then I would help them to find a good solution.



## Lots of people would line up to visit me under my favorite tree.



What made me such a good judge, was that I always listened closely to what God was telling me.



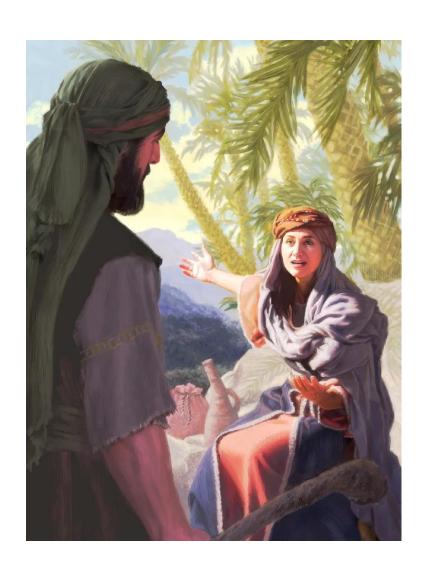
One day God told me to talk to a man named Barak. He was a great warrior for our people. I shared God's message for Barak, that he should lead our people in battle to free us from the cruel king and his general Sisera.



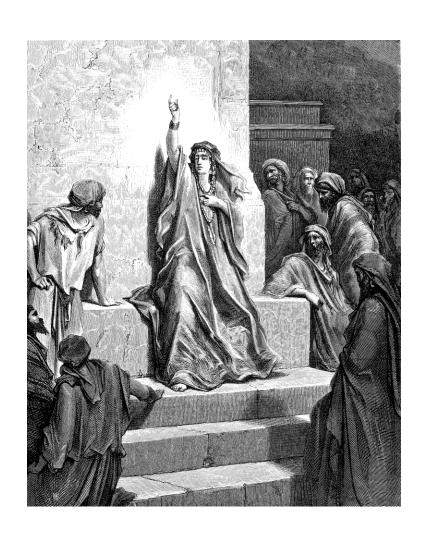
Sisera had a mighty army of chariots, so Barak was afraid. He only agreed to God's call after I agreed to go with him and help lead the people.



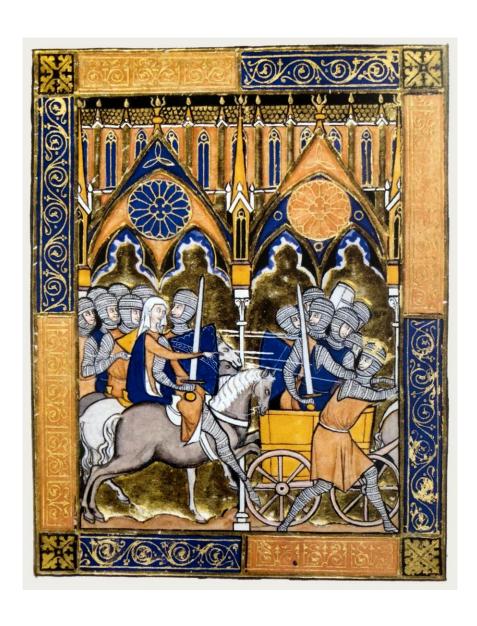
But I told Barak that even though God would help him win, he would not gain any glory from the battle. Victory over Sisera would go to a woman.



We went out and convinced the people to go into battle with us. We promised them that God would be with us, and they believed. They followed us into battle against Sisera's army of chariots.



God brought down a rainstorm and Sisera's chariots all got stuck in the mud. He had to run for his life.



Sisera tried hiding in a tent but a woman named Jael was there and she struck the final blow against him. The cruel king's army was defeated! God helped a woman free the people, just like I predicted, and it wasn't even me.



I taught the people an important new song about what God had done. I also went on to lead my people for many years.



Are you ready to be a hero? To face a great challenge not because you want all the credit for succeeding but because you know that it's right?

I was a hero with God's help, and you can be one too!





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