

**Judges 6:25-40**  
Gideon Starts, and Wavers

**25-27** God directs Gideon to tear down the altar of Baal

**28-32** Gideon's father defends him

**33-35** The Midianites attack

**36-40** Gideon asks for signs

**Food for Thought**

- \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ often precede deliverance.
- Testing God or asking for a sign reveals \_\_\_\_\_, not \_\_\_\_\_.



This map shows the tribes called by Gideon for the battle in the Jezreel valley, in the heart of the territory of Issachar. The route of the Midianites entering from the east is based on their exit route (presumably similar). This map is adapted from map 4-13 of the *ESV Bible Atlas*.