

**Bad Girls of the Bible**  
**“Delilah: Betraying Love for Money”**  
(Part 2)  
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**I. Chasing The Promise of Wealth Can Lure Us Down the Path of \_\_\_\_\_**

*Judges 16:4-5 “Some time later Samson fell in love with a woman named Delilah, who lived in the valley of Sorek. The rulers of the Philistines went to her and said, “Entice Samson to tell you what makes him so strong and how he can be overpowered and tied up securely. Then each of us will give you 1,100 pieces of silver.” (NLT)*

*I Tim. 6:9-10 “Lust for money brings trouble and nothing but trouble. Going down that path, some lose their footing in the faith completely and live to regret it bitterly ever after.” (Message)*

- A. Wealth can cause us to betray our \_\_\_\_\_
- B. Wealth can cause us to betray our \_\_\_\_\_

**II. Guilt Is A Destructive Tool For \_\_\_\_\_ Relationships**

*Judges 16:15-16 “Then Delilah pouted, “How can you tell me, ‘I love you,’ when you don’t share your secrets with me? You’ve made fun of me three times now, and you still haven’t told me what makes you so strong!” She tormented him with her nagging day after day until he was sick to death of it.” (NLT)*

- A. Attempting to control a person with guilt will \_\_\_\_\_ the relationship
- B. Attempting to unconditionally love someone \_\_\_\_\_ the relationship

*I Cor. 13:4-7 “Love is patient and kind. Love is not jealous or boastful or proud or rude. It does not demand its own way. It is not irritable, and it keeps no record of being wronged. It does not rejoice about injustice but rejoices whenever the truth wins out. Love never gives up, never loses faith, is always hopeful, and endures through every circumstance.” (NLT)*

### III. Our Lives Can Be Used To Bring the \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ of Others

*Judges 16:18-19 “Delilah realized he had finally told her the truth, so she sent for the Philistine rulers. “Come back one more time,” she said, “for he has finally told me his secret.” So the Philistine rulers returned with the money in their hands. Delilah lulled Samson to sleep with his head in her lap, and then she called in a man to shave off the seven locks of his hair. In this way she began to bring him down, and his strength left him.” (NLT)*

A. Our lives can \_\_\_\_\_ the success of others

*Matt. 18:6 “But if you cause one of these little ones who trusts in me to fall into sin, it would be better for you to have a large millstone tied around your neck and be drowned in the depths of the sea.” (NLT)*

B. Our lives can \_\_\_\_\_ others towards success

*Rom. 14:19 “So then, let us aim for harmony in the church and try to build each other up.” (NLT)*

*Rom. 15:2 “We should help others do what is right and build them up in the Lord.” (NLT)*

*I Thess. 5:11 “So encourage each other and build each other up, just as you are already doing.” (NLT)*

How To BUILD others up

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