

GIDEON AND THE FLEECE

Based on Judges 6:36–40.

The Midianites had been attacking the Israelites, making life very difficult for them, when God asked Gideon to help save the people of Israel from the Midianites. Gideon wasn't

sure he was hearing the voice of God correctly. The following is the story of Gideon using a fleece of wool to help him be confident of what God was telling him.



And that's exactly what happened. When Gideon checked the fleece early the next morning, he picked it up and squeezed the fleece, wringing a bowlful of water out of it.

But Gideon still wanted to be sure. So he said to God—

The next morning, only the fleece of wool was dry, but the ground around the fleece was wet with dew.

The marvelous conclusion can be found on the last page of "[A Bible Adventure: A Pitcher, a Torch, and the Sword of the Lord.](#)"

