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**Biblical Women Proclaim, “Rise Up!”**

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**A Portrait of Biblical Women Who Rise Up:**

- Women as Religious and Political Leaders
- Vulnerable Heroes
- Persistent Women
- Women Who Speak Truth to Power
- Heroic Maids
- Wisdom Woman

**Stories to be Discussed: Who Are These Strong Women?**

- ❖ Tamar and Judah: Genesis 38:1-30
- ❖ Shiphrah and Puah: Exodus 1:8-22
- ❖ Pharaoh’s Daughter: Exodus 2:1-10
- ❖ Deborah: Judges 4-5
- ❖ Judith: Judith 7-16
- ❖ Canaanite Woman’s Faith: Matthew 15:21-28
- ❖ The Syrophenician Woman: Mark 7:24-30
- ❖ The Widow and the Unjust Judge: Luke 18:1-8
- ❖ Mary Magdalene: John 20:1-18