Sermon Outline: 3.26.17

Sermon Title:Something's Gotta GiveSermon Text:1st Samuel 5:1-12

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The Ark of Covenant

Presence of God Power of God Provision of God Promises of God

(1st Samuel 4:6-8) (1st Samuel 4:22)

Something's Gotta Give

What the Philistines assumed... That God would co-inhabit with idols. But God is a jealous God.
What the Philistines endured... A broken idol and a heavy hand. The Lord rebukes and chastens.
What the Philistines decided... To send the Ark of God away. Lord of all, or not Lord at all.

(1st Samuel 5:8)

<u>"What will you do with Jesus?"</u>

The Ark was a picture of Christ... *The Presence of God The Power of God The Provision of God The Promise of God* <u>Something's Gotta Give...</u>

Lord of all, or not Lord at all; Receive Him, or reject Him; He won't share His throne.