



## Study Notes (Deuteronomy 10:1-22)

### Chapter 10:1-11 Remembering: **Judgment**, **Mediation**, and **Repentance**

o (Vv.1-5) **Judgment**. After the response of Moses who broke the tablets God had cut out, God commands Moses to himself cut two more and God will write on them again. **Note that Moses' response symbolizes the only response the Law can provide the sinner- breaking out in judgment.** There is a real spiritual principle here.

▪ **See -> Galatians 3:19-29 / John 15:26.**

o (Vv.10-11) **Mediation**. As a Mediator (Vv.10-11) Moses intercedes and participates in the work God is doing. This illustrates one of the roles Jesus, Our Mediator, has in standing between us (sinners) and God the Father (Holy).

▪ **See -> 1 Timothy 2:1-6.**

o (Vv.6-9) **Repentance**. Moses provides the context, their journey thus far. Aaron would live and serve beyond the construction of the calf idol. However, both he and Moses would disobey God in a way that will prevent them from going into the Land of Canaan.

▪ **See -> Numbers 20:10-13; 22-29.**

▪ **See -> Jeremiah 22:11-30 -> 2 Peter 3:1-13.** The sin of Judah's Kings left the throne empty up through the life of Joseph and the birth of Jesus. This state would define the church from Peter's day, through ours until Jesus Returns.

### Chapter 10:12-22 Recognizing: **Who Our God Is**

o (Vv.12-13) What does God require of us? In the Hebrew, this is a sense of asking, seek, even carefully enquire, or beg of us- *choose life!*

▪ **See -> 1 Peter 1:17.**

o (Vv.14-15) God is Sovereign; stand in awe before Him amidst His creation!

o (Vv. 16-22) Allow His Divine finger to script His Word to our hearts, from which could flow the rivers of living water! Note what the fruit of God's Word written upon our hearts produces:

▪ Justice for widows and orphans; Love demonstrated to sojourners.

• **See -> James 1:26-27.**

▪ Devotion to God

• **See -> Romans 12:1-2.**

▪ Worship to God. Here Moses appeals to those who witnessed the incredible deliverance God provided Israel from Egypt. Pass this on to our children in ways our lives both proclaim and demonstrate our circumcised hearts.

"And in the wilderness, where you have seen how the LORD your God carried you, as a man carries his son, all the way that you went until you came to this place." -**Deuteronomy 1:31**

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### Deeper Questions for Application

- 1) *In your own words, describe the overall theme for Deuteronomy chapter 10.*
- 2) *What is the judgment that occurred in **Vv.1-5**? Can the Law do anything but judge us?*
- 3) *What is the role of Moses as Mediator and how does this shadow Jesus for us today? (**Vv.10-11**)*
- 4) *Why is repentance, turning from sin to God, a requirement even leadership must choose and model (Moses and Aaron)? **Vv. 6-9**. Why couldn't Moses and Aaron enter the Land of Canaan?*
- 5) *Regarding the **Jeremiah 22:11-30** and **2 Peter 3:1-13** passages, how does sin carry on from generation to generation? How did Josiah's children end the reign of David's descendants up through into the time of Joseph and Jesus?*
- 6) *What does God require of us in **Vv. 12-13**? What does **1 Peter 1:17** say about his for believers today?*
- 7) *What does God's Law written on our hearts look like in **Vv. 16-22**? If Christ is in us, what did Paul say about our lives in **Romans 12:1-2**? What did James say in **James 1:26-27**?*

\*Type your answers and send them to me at [damianmericka@live.com](mailto:damianmericka@live.com) or attach through facebook messenger. **\*For Next Time read Deuteronomy Chapter 11:1-32**