

DEUTERONOMY

THE LAST SERMON OF MOSES

WEEK 10

CHAPTERS 19-20

STUDY GUIDE INSTRUCTIONS

Each week our study will consist of four components. First, you will watch a brief video. Each video will last no more than 15 minutes. Second and most important, you will read the Deuteronomy chapters that we are studying. Third, you will work through the study guide. This guide will be a tremendous help in your self-study. Simply follow the examples provided. Finally, come to our group time prepared to discuss what you have learned.

WEEK 10: DEUTERONOMY 19-20



WATCH: WATCH VIDEO #10



READ: READ DEUTERONOMY 19-20



STUDY: COMPLETE THE STUDY GUIDE FOR WEEK 10



DISCUSS: INSTRUCTION / APPLICATION QUESTIONS

STUDY GUIDE INSTRUCTIONS

Instructions for "Discuss: Instruction/Application" questions in the study guide.

- First, look up the 'Instruction' passage in the Law and briefly summarize it in one or two sentences. (The instruction passage is the part of the law that instructs Israel on how they were to act, believe, or live. Do not use commentaries. Instead, simply look up the verse and summarize its instruction to Israel.)
- Next, look up the 'Application' passage (THE APPLICATION PASSAGE IS NOT YOUR APPLICATION. IT IS THE PASSAGE IN WHICH THE LAW MUST BE APPLIED OR UNDERSTOOD IN ORDER TO CORRECTLY BE INTERPRETED) and briefly summarize it in one or two sentences.
- Finally, explain why/how the instruction passage relates to / impacts the interpretation of the 'application' passage. For example, "The Law instructs Israel not to do X. Israel is doing X. That is bad."



Deuteronomy 19:1-10; Numbers 35:14-25; Joshua 20:7 in 2 Samuel 3:27

Instruction (Deut 19:1-10; Num 35:14-25; Josh 20:7) - Cities of Refuge

Application (2 Sam 3:27) – Joab Kills Abner



Deuteronomy 19:15 in Matthew 18:16, 20

Instruction (Deut 19:15) – Number of Eyewitnesses Required

Application (Matt 18:16, 20) – Requirement for the Future Church



Deuteronomy 19:15 in John 8:3-4

Instruction (Deut 19:15) – Requirement of Eyewitnesses for Trial

Application (John 8:3-4) – Claims Regarding Adultress



Deuteronomy 19:16-20 in John 8:7

Instruction (Deut 19:16-20) – Qualification for Eyewitnesses

Application (John 8:7) – Must be "without sin"



Deuteronomy 20:1-9 in Luke 14:15-24

Instruction (Deut 20:1-9) – Laws of Soldiers for Battle

Application (Luke 14:15-24) – The Invitation of the Feast



1. Now that you have worked through the first study guide question, Read 1 Kings 2:1-9. David's charge to Solomon addresses the situation with Joab.

How does this passage help in your understanding of the narrative?

How does 1 Kings 2:1-9 help you evaluate David's rule?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

2. The requirement of two or three witnesses is not only an Old Testament requirement (i.e., Deut 19:15), but it is found in the instruction to the church (i.e., Matthew 18:15-20).

However, should not the law of the malicious witness (Deut 19:16-20) is be considered when confronting another of sin?

How might this apply?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

3. In Luke 14:15-24, Jesus is responding to a statement recorded in verse 15. His response explains that not all invited into the kingdom (portrayed throughout the Old Testament prophets as a wedding feast) will attend. In like manner, Deuteronomy 20:1-9 records the response of one who is fearful that they will not get to enjoy their temporalities and therefore forgo their victory.

How does such a focus on the temporal cause us to lose our focus on the eternal?

