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NUMBERS 14-17 STUDY GUIDE

NUMBERS 14

1. What was God going to do to the Israelites and what was God willing to do for Moses? Destroy the Israelites and start over with Moses
2. How did Moses respond to this? Interceded for the people
3. How many military men died in the wilderness and how many went into the Promised Land? 603,448 died, 2 went in.
4. What did the people presume to do after this and what happened? To go fight and they got defeated.

NUMBERS 15

5. What are the two types of sins mentioned in Numbers 15? Ignorance and presumption
6. How did the man in Numbers 15 sin and what was his punishment? Gathered sticks on the Sabbath and was stoned by the congregation
7. What was the reason the entire congregation was brought out to institute the punishment? All would hear and fear and not commit the same sin
8. What is the reason for the fringes on their garments? To remember to obey God and his commandments

NUMBERS 16

9. Who was the ringleader of the rebellion against Moses in Numbers 16 and what was his responsibility as a member of the tribe of Levi? Korah. From the family of Kohathites, the burden bearers
10. How many princes joined in the insurrection? 250
11. Where did Dathan and Abiram get the idea that they should have a leadership role? They were from the tribe of Reuben, the firstborn of Jacob.
12. Why did God tell Moses and Aaron to separate themselves from the rebellious men? "That I may consume them in a moment."
13. What did Moses and Aaron do? Fell on their face and plead for mercy
14. What happened to the rebels, their families and their possessions? The earth swallowed them up
15. What happened to the princes that joined in the rebellion? Fire burned them up
16. What did the people accuse Moses and Aaron of the next day? You have killed the people of the Lord
17. How did Moses and Aaron respond to what God said He was going to do? Fell on their faces asking mercy for the people

18. What did Moses command Aaron to do? Make an atonement for the people.

19. How many died in the plague? 14,700

Bonus

1. What were the 70 that became the co-leadership with Moses later called in Israel's history? Sanhedrin
2. What happened three times in Numbers 16? Moses and Aaron fell on their faces before God.
3. What is the two-fold analogy of Aaron's intercession for the people and how can we relate to that today? Jesus standing between the dead and the living, and we as soul winners standing between the dead and the living.

NUMBERS 17

20. In Numbers 17, what was the purpose of bringing the rods before the Lord, and what was the result? What did it prove? One rod for each of the 12 tribes, Aaron's rod budded, showing Aaron's family was chosen of God to be priests.