

Fulfilling the Plan – Understanding Man(Mankind)
[The Promised Seed of Shem – Will Dwell in the Tents of Canaan)

The Prophetic Plan To Save/Redeem Man/Mankind

Studying the “Fulfillment of the Redemptive/Salvific Plan through 1) Exodus 2) Numbers and 3) Deuteronomy highlights/emphasizes the need to:

- **Understand God’s Plan To Save and Redeem Man/Mankind through the “Promised Seed of Shem”**
- **Understand the Socio-Dynamic Behavior of Mankind in Conflict to the Word and Will of God**
 - **There are 11 days Journey from Horeb/Mt. Sinai to Kadeshbarnea**
 - **The Journey to Enter into Canaan takes Israel/The Hebrews/The Promised Seed of Shem 40 years**
 - ***Practical/Everyday “Real Life Objective”***
 - **God’s Promise Plan [Divine Initiative] will Save Man/Mankind**
 - **We Must Avoid Repeating the Socio-Dynamic Historical Example of God’s people in Antiquities**
 - **God had them poised/positioned to go into Canaan/The Promised Land in less than 2 years**
 - **It took them 40 years to do what could have been done in**
 - **Less than 2 years**
 - **A Little More Than 1 year**

Assignments:

1) Exodus

- **Define Exodus**
- **Summarize Passover**
 - **What is the Passover Event that led to the Hebrews Exodus/Departure from Egypt?**
 - **Address a) the 2 names for the 1st month on the Hebrew Calendar b) Identify the 1st Anniversary Passover in the Book of Numbers**

2) Numbers [Socio-Dynamic Behavior that should be avoided]

- **Make a presentation on the following**
 - **Rebellious & Ungrateful behavior of God’s People/The Hebrews/Israel and God’s Angry Response/Punishment – Numbers 11:1-9**
 - **Include the complaint of flesh/meat to eat**
 - **Moses’ semi-depressive displeasure with Israel/the Hebrews and God’s “Great Anger” – Numbers 11:10-15**

- **Include Moses' functional leadership challenge**
- **God's Solution to Moses' leadership challenge – Numbers 11:16-17; 11:24-29**
- **God's Provision of Meat to Israel/The Hebrews and the Disciplinary Plague – Numbers 11:18-21; 11:31-34**
- **Numbers 12:1-16**
 - **Aaron and Miriam's challenge/ought against Moses**
 - **God's swift disciplinary response**
 - **Moses's intervention for his adversarial siblings**
 - **Miriam's restoration**

3) Wilderness Wandering Journey – Time Context Exercise: Make a presentation to both

3.1) Learn and

3.2) Teach the following

- **Study the synoptic and detailed specifics of the journey [Deuteronomy 1:2 11 Days Journey]**
 - **A) Out of Egypt**
 - **B) To Kadeshbarnea**
- **Departure/Exodus from Egypt**
 - **Exodus 12:29-32**
- **Arrival to “Wilderness of Sinai”**
 - **Exodus 19:1-3**
 - **How much time did Israel/The Hebrews spend at Sinai/Horeb before departing from the Mountain of God?**
- **Departure from Sinai/Horeb**
 - **Numbers 9:1-5: 1st month of the 2nd Year after Coming Out of Egypt/The Exodus**
- **Departure from Sinai**
 - **Numbers 10:11-12 20th day, 2nd month, 2nd Year**
 - **** Synoptic Journey – “Sinai to Paran ****
 - **Numbers 10:12-13**
 - **Journeyed from Sinai to Paran**
 - **There were stops and multiple events/activities before Paran**
 - **Took there journey**
 - **** By the Commandment of God**
 - **** By the Hand of Moses**

4) Learn and Teach the Detailed Specifics of the Journey from Sinai to Paran

Step1 → Israel's/Hebrews Complaining for Meat & The Lord's Great Plague to Smite the People; the slain buried at Kibrothhattaavah. Numbers 11:1-35

Step 2 → Journey from Kibrothhattaavah to Hazeroth Numbers 11:32-35

Numbers 11:32-35 ³² And the people stood up all that day, and all that night, and all the next day, and they gathered the quails: he that gathered least gathered ten homers: and they spread them all abroad for themselves round about the camp. ³³ And while the flesh was yet between their teeth, ere it was chewed, the wrath of the LORD was kindled against the people, and the LORD smote the people with a very great plague. ³⁴ And he called the name of that place **Kibrothhattaavah**: because there they buried the people that lusted. ³⁵ And the people journeyed from Kibrothhattaavah unto Hazeroth; and abode at Hazeroth.

Step 3 → Miriam and Aaron Speaking Against Moses at Hazeroth; Congregation Moves To Paran Numbers 12:1-16; 12:15-16 [**** Numbers 10:11-12 Paran → 20th day of 2nd Month; Cloud Rested in Paran ****]

• **Detail →** Sinai to Paran with Specific Incremental Detail:

- **Sinai/Horeb to Kibrothhattaavah** **Numbers 11:34**
 - **Numbers 11:1-34**
 - **Kibrothhattaavah to Hazeroth** **Numbers 11:35**
 - **Numbers 11:34-35**
 - **Hazeroth to Wilderness of Paran** **Numbers 12:15-16**
 - **Numbers 12:1-16**
 - **After Miriam was shut out of the camp 7 days and subsequently brought back into the camp**
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Fulfilling the Plan → Divinity/God:

The Prophetic Salvific/Redemptive Plan [Salvation/Redemption] – Genesis 9:24-27

²⁴ And Noah awoke from his wine, and knew what his younger son had done unto him.²⁵ And he said, Cursed be Canaan; a servant of servants shall he be unto his brethren.²⁶ And he said, Blessed be the LORD God of Shem; and Canaan shall be his servant.²⁷ God shall enlarge Japheth, and he shall dwell in the tents of Shem; and Canaan shall be his servant.

God Delivers Israel from Egypt – Exodus 12:29-33

²⁹ And it came to pass, that at midnight the LORD smote all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, from the firstborn of Pharaoh that sat on his throne unto the firstborn of the captive that was in the dungeon; and all the firstborn of cattle.³⁰ And Pharaoh rose up in the night, he, and all his servants, and all the Egyptians; and there was a great cry in Egypt; for there was not a house where there was not one dead.³¹ And he called for Moses and Aaron by night, and said, Rise up, and get you forth from among my people, both ye and the children of Israel; and go, serve the LORD, as ye have said.³² Also take your flocks and your herds, as ye have said, and be gone; and bless me also.³³ And the Egyptians were urgent upon the people, that they might send them out of the land in haste; for they said, We be all dead men.

Understanding the Antithetical/Rebellious/Unfaithful Behavioral Response of God's People

Complaining for Water – Exodus 17:1-4

¹ And all the congregation of the children of Israel journeyed from the wilderness of Sin, after their journeys, according to the commandment of the LORD, and pitched in Rephidim: and there was no water for the people to drink.² Wherefore the people did chide with Moses, and said, Give us water that we may drink. And Moses said unto them, Why chide ye with me? wherefore do ye tempt the LORD?³ And the people thirsted there for water; and the people murmured against Moses, and said, Wherefore is this that thou hast brought us up out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and our cattle with thirst?⁴ And Moses cried unto the LORD, saying, What shall I do unto this people? they be almost ready to stone me.

Massah and Meribah – 17:5-7

⁵ And the LORD said unto Moses, Go on before the people, and take with thee of the elders of Israel; and thy rod, wherewith thou smotest the river, take in thine hand, and go.⁶ Behold, I will stand before thee there upon the rock in Horeb; and thou shalt smite the rock, and there shall come water out of it, that the people may drink. And Moses did so in the sight of the elders of Israel.⁷ And he called the name of the place Massah, and Meribah, because of the chiding of the children of Israel, and because they tempted the LORD, saying, Is the LORD among us, or not?

Complaining for Food: - Numbers 11:1-6; Taberah 11:5

¹ And when the people complained, it displeased the LORD: and the LORD heard it; and his anger was kindled; and the fire of the LORD burnt among them, and consumed them that were in the uttermost parts of the camp.² And the people cried unto Moses; and when Moses prayed unto the LORD, the fire was quenched. ³ And he called the name of the place Taberah: because the fire of the LORD burnt among them. ⁴ And the mixt multitude that was among them fell a lusting: and the children of Israel also wept again, and said, Who shall give us flesh to eat? ⁵ We remember the fish, which we did eat in Egypt freely; the cucumbers, and the melons, and the leeks, and the onions, and the garlick: ⁶ But now our soul is dried away: there is nothing at all, beside this manna, before our eyes.

God's Arms are not "Too Short" to Save during a) Difficulty and b) Rebellion from/of His People -Numbers 11:23 & Isaiah 59:1

Numbers 11:21-23

²¹ And Moses said, The people, among whom I am, are six hundred thousand footmen; and thou hast said, I will give them flesh, that they may eat a whole month.²² Shall the flocks and the herds be slain for them, to suffice them? or shall all the fish of the sea be gathered together for them, to suffice them?²³ And the LORD said unto Moses, Is the LORD'S hand waxed short? thou shalt see now whether my word shall come to pass unto thee or not.

Isaiah 59:1

Isaiah 59:1-4

¹ **Behold, the LORD's hand is not shortened, that it cannot save; neither his ear heavy, that it cannot hear:** ² But your iniquities have separated between you and your God, and your sins have hid his face from you, that he will not hear. ³ For your hands are defiled with blood, and your fingers with iniquity; your lips have spoken lies, your tongue hath muttered perverseness. ⁴ None calleth for justice, nor any pleadeth for truth: they trust in vanity, and speak lies; they conceive mischief, and bring forth iniquity.

Massah, Meribah, Taberah

Historical/Chronological Behavioral Response of God's People/Israel/Hebrews after:

1) Exodus 15:1-21 → Song of Deliverance and Victory

- Passover deliverance from Egypt
- Deliver from pursuing Egyptians/Pharaoh's army's drowning in the Red Sea
- Singing the "Song of the Lord; Triumph, Victory and Deliverance over Pharaoh and His Chariots in the Red Sea"
 - Prophetic Song of Triumph over Palestine and All the Inhabitants of Canaan

- 2) Exodus 15: 22-24 → 3 days into the Wilderness of Shur/in the wilderness → Murmured Against Moses
- 3) Exodus 15:25-27 → God's Prescriptive Cure and Challenge to Israel/Hebrews

3.1) Bitter Waters Made Sweet – 15:25

²⁵ And he cried unto the LORD; and the LORD shewed him a tree, which when he had cast into the waters, the waters were made sweet: there he made for them a statute and an ordinance, and there he proved them

3.2) Statute and Ordinance: Proving and Challenging Israel – 15:26

²⁶ And said, If thou wilt diligently hearken to the voice of the LORD thy God, and wilt do that which is right in his sight, and wilt give ear to his commandments, and keep all his statutes, I will put none of these diseases upon thee, which I have brought upon the Egyptians: for I am the LORD that healeth thee.

3.3) Encampment at Elim – 15:27

²⁷ And they came to Elim, where were twelve wells of water, and threescore and ten palm trees: and they encamped there by the waters.

- 12 Wells of Water
- 70 Palm Trees
- Encampment “By the Waters”