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- I. Israel Experienced the Deliverance of God 1:1-12:36
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the households that came at the request of Joseph
the household of Reuben
the household of Simeon
the household of Levi
the household of Judah
the household of Issachar
the household of Zebulun
the household of Benjamin
the household of Dan
the household of Naphtali
the household of Gad
the household of Asher

2) the number of the people who came to Egypt - 1:5

these were the eleven brothers of Joseph and their families there was a total of seventy who came to Egypt with Jacob these joined the family of Joseph that was already in Egypt this made a total of seventy-five people - Acts 7:14 (Jacob, Joseph, his wife and two sons, the seventy mentioned here)

3) the death of the first generation of Israel - 1:6

this entire generation died in the land of Egypt

4) the multiplication of the people of Israel - 1:7

their descendents increased, multiplied, and filled the land of Egypt

#### b. the Egyptians forgot about Joseph - 1:8-14

1) a king came later who knew nothing of Joseph - 1:8

a new king arose over the period of time the people were in Egypt a total of 430 years - Exodus 12:40 the new king did not recognize any obligation to Joseph Joseph had died at the age of 110 years - Genesis 50:26 the foreign Hyksos ruled Egypt from 1730-1570 BC

2) the king was afraid the Israelites would gain control - 1:9-10

the king said the people of Israel were becoming more than the Egyptians
God increased the men of Israel to 603,550 by the time they left - Numbers 1:46
the king said the people of Israel were becoming mightier than the
Egyptians

the king decided to deal shrewdly with the people of Israel (the Hebrews)

the Hyksos made slaves of the people of Israel

the king was afraid they would side with the enemies

the king was controlled by fear instead of love - 1 John 4:18

the king was afraid Israel would fight against Egypt

the king was afraid they would leave the land

3) the king placed taskmasters over the people of Israel - 1:11-12

the king set taskmasters over the people of Israel the king had these taskmasters afflict them with burdens the king had them build the cities of Pithom and Raamses the more Israel was afflicted the more Israel grew the people of Egypt were in dread of the people of Israel the Hyksos rulers were driven out at this time (1570 BC)

4) the king made the lives of the people of Israel difficult - 1:13-14

the Egyptians made the people of Israel serve with rigor
the word rigor speaks of the fact that they used cruelty - Ezekiel 34:4
the Egyptians made the lives of the people of Israel bitter
the taskmasters of Egypt afflicted them even more - Exodus 1:12
the Egyptians made them do heavy construction work
the taskmasters later made their work difficult - Exodus 5:13
the Egyptians made them work hard in the fields
the taskmasters were obeying Pharaoh - Exodus 5:6-8

- c. the Egyptians tried to kill the male babies of Israel 1:15-22
- 1) the king told the Hebrew midwives to kill the male babies of Israel 1:15-16

the king spoke to the Hebrew midwives and gave them orders

Pharaoh was continuing to act out of fear - Exodus 1:10-11

the king told the midwives to kill the Israelite boys when they were born

Pharaoh later gave these same instructions to the Egyptians - Exodus 1:22

the king told the midwives to keep the baby girls alive

2) the king did not know that the midwives feared God - 1:17

#### the midwives feared God

the midwives did not obey the king
they chose to obey God rather than man - Acts 5:29
the midwives saved the male children alive

3) the king questioned why the midwives did not kill the babies - 1:18-19

the king called the midwives to ask them what they were doing the king asked the midwives why they had not obeyed him the king heard that the Hebrew women and the Egyptian women were different the Hebrew women were lively and gave birth before the midwives arrived the Egyptians were making the Israelite women work with rigor - Exodus 1:13

4) the king could do nothing because God blessed the midwives - 1:20-21

God blessed the midwives for their actions
God caused the Israelites to continue to multiply
God was keeping His promise to Abraham - Acts 7:17
God gave the midwives households because they feared Him

5) the king ordered his people to beginning killing the male babies of Israel - 1:22

Pharaoh then gave a command to all of the Egyptians
Pharaoh was controlled by fear - 1 John 4:18
Pharaoh told the Egyptians to throw the Israelite boys into the river
Pharaoh was very cruel - Exodus 5:5-9
Pharaoh told the Egyptians to let the Israelite girls live
Pharaoh was not even obeyed by his own daughter - Exodus 2:5-10

- 2. God prepared Moses for future leadership 2:1-25
  - a. Moses was hidden for three months 2:1-4
- 1) Moses' parents were concerned for their son 2:1-2

the parents were both from the tribe of Levi the parents had a son the parents saw that their son was a beautiful child the parents hid their son for three months - see also Hebrews 11:23

2) Moses' parents tried to protect him from Pharaoh - 2:3-4

the parents realized they could no longer hide their son the parents made a waterproof cradle for their son the parents put their son in that cradle the parents hid their son in the reeds by the river the parents had their daughter watch the cradle the parents wanted her to see what would happen to their son

- b. Moses was raised in the house of Pharaoh 2:5-10
- 1) the daughter of Pharaoh found the cradle 2:5-6

the daughter went to bathe in the river the daughter had servants go with her to the river the daughter saw the cradle in the river the daughter sent the servants to get the cradle the daughter saw the baby when she opened the cradle the daughter had compassion on the baby

2) the daughter of Pharaoh was offered a nurse for the baby - 2:7-8

the sister offered to get a Hebrew nurse for the baby the sister was sent for a Hebrew nurse the sister went and called the mother of the baby

3) the daughter of Pharaoh raised this child as her own - 2:9-10

the daughter promised to pay the mother wages to raise the baby the daughter named the baby Moses "Moses" means to draw out of the water

#### c. Moses became a murderer - 2:11-14

1) Moses became interested in the Hebrews when he became an adult - 2:11

Moses grew up and went out to see his people
Moses was first trained in all the wisdom of Egypt - Acts 7:22-23
Moses saw the burdens that his people were experiencing
Moses saw an Egyptian beating a Hebrew

2) Moses killed an Egyptian who was mistreating a Hebrew - 2:12

Moses looked both ways to see if anyone was looking Moses killed the Egyptian and buried him in the sand - Acts 7:24-25

3) Moses tried to resolve a conflict between two Hebrews - 2:13-14

Moses saw two Hebrews fighting each other the next day
Moses wanted to settle their argument - Acts 7:26
Moses tried to question the one responsible for the fight
Moses was asked who had made him a judge - Acts 7:27
Moses was asked if he was going to kill the Hebrew also - Acts 7:28

- d. Moses fled to the land of Midian 2:15-20
- 1) Moses had to flee from Pharaoh to escape death 2:15

Pharaoh heard that Moses had killed an Egyptian Pharaoh tried to kill Moses Pharaoh could not stop Moses from fleeing to Midian

2) Moses helped the daughters of Reuel (Jethro) - 2:16-17

the seven daughters of Reuel came to draw water for their flock the seven daughters of Reuel were chased away by the shepherds the seven daughters of Reuel were helped by Moses

3) Moses was invited to have dinner with Reuel - 2:18-20

the daughters of Reuel were asked why they were home so soon the daughters of Reuel told how Moses had helped them the daughters of Reuel were told to invite Moses to eat with them Moses later became part of the family—Exodus 2:21

- e. Moses had a family in the land of Midian 2:21-22
- 1) Moses was invited to live with the family of Reuel 2:21

Moses was invited to live with the family of Reuel
Moses was given Zipporah for a wife

2) Moses gave birth to a son in a foreign land - 2:22

Moses and Zipporah had a son
Moses and Zipporah named their son Gershom
Moses later had a second son - Acts 7:29
Moses said that he was an alien in a foreign land
Moses lived with Reuel for 40 years - Acts 7:30

- f. Moses was not aware that God cared for Israel 2:23-25
  - 1) God heard the cries of the people of Israel 2:23

the king in the land of Egypt finally died
this king had tried to kill Moses - Exodus 2:15
the people of Israel groaned because of their bondage
God told Abraham Israel would serve Egypt - Genesis 15:13
the people of Israel cried out in their bondage
God heard the cry of the people in their bondage
the ears of the Lord are open to their cry - Psalm 34:15
the Lord saw the affliction of His people - Acts 7:34

2) God remembered His covenant with Abraham - 2:24

#### God heard their groaning

God also promises to hear Israel in the future - Zechariah 13:8-9 **God remembered His covenant with Abraham**God had made a covenant with Abraham - Genesis 12:1-3, 15:1-21

God said that covenant was an everlasting covenant - Genesis 17:7

3) God knew what was happening to the people of Israel - 2:25

God looked on the people of Israel
God said He would judge the nation that enslaved them - Genesis 15:14
God acknowledged their suffering
God had seen their oppression - Acts 7:34

- 3. God called Moses to lead Israel 3:1-22
- a. Moses met God at the burning bush 3:1-6
- 1) the Angel of the Lord appeared to Moses 3:1-2

#### Moses was tending the flock of Jethro

Moses had been in Midian for forty years - Acts 7:30

Moses took the flock to the west side of the desert

Moses came to the mountain of God

Aaron later met Moses at the mountain of God - Exodus 4:27
Jethro also came to Moses at this mountain - Exodus 18:5
Moses and the leaders later met God at this mountain - Exodus 24:9-18

Moses saw the Angel of the Lord appear in a flame of fire Moses saw this happen in the middle of a bush Moses saw that the bush was not burned

2) the Angel of the Lord called to Moses - 3:3-4

Moses decided to look at this great event
Moses wanted to know why the bush was not burned
Moses had God call to Him from the middle of the bush
Moses heard a voice from the bush - Acts 7:31
Moses answered when God called him
Moses learned he was talking to God - Exodus 3:6

3) the Angel of the Lord told Moses he was on holy ground - 3:5

Moses was told not to come close
Moses was told to take off his shoes
Moses was told he was standing on holy ground
God makes the ground holy when He meets man - Acts 7:33

4) the Angel of the Lord is God - 3:6

Moses learned that he was speaking to God Moses was told to take off his shoes - Acts 7:33

Moses was told God was the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob

Moses heard God tell him who He was - Acts 7:32

Moses covered his face in fear

our God is a consuming fire - Hebrews 12:29

- b. Moses heard of the concern of God 3:7-9
- 1) God had seen the affliction of Israel 3:7

God had seen the affliction of His people in Egypt God had heard their cry because of their taskmasters God knew and understood their sorrows

2) God had come down to deliver Israel - 3:8

God said He would deliver Israel out of the hand of the Egyptians
the people believed when they heard God had visited Israel - Exodus 4:31
God said that He would bring them out of that land
God said He would bring them to a land flowing with milk and honey
God said that land was presently possessed by other nations

3) God had seen the oppression of Egypt - 3:9

God said the cry of Israel had come to Him God said that He had seen the oppression of the Egyptians

- c. Moses was called to go to Egypt 3:10-12
- 1) God said He would send Moses to Egypt 3:10

God told Moses He would send him to Pharaoh
Moses did go and speak to Pharaoh - Exodus 5:1-2
God told Moses that Moses would bring the people out of Egypt
God brought them out after 430 years - Exodus 12:37-42

2) God said He would be with Moses - 3:11-12

Moses asked "who am I" to go to Pharaoh
Moses asked "who am I" to bring Israel out of Egypt
Moses brought Israel out as God had promised - Acts 7:36
Moses was told that God would go with him
God will never leave us or forsake us - Hebrews 13:5
Moses was told that he was sent by God
God wants to do more through us than we can imagine - Ephesians 3:20-21
Moses was told God would meet him at this mountain
God later met them at this mountain - Exodus 24:9-11

#### d. Moses learned that God is the "I AM" - 3:13-18

1) Moses asked God who he should say had sent him - 3:13

Moses wanted to be prepared for the questions of Israel

Moses did not know the leaders would turn against him - Exodus 5:19-21

Moses wanted to know the name of God

Moses was given signs so they would believe - Exodus 4:1-5

Moses wanted to know what he should say

Moses wanted to speak the words of God - Exodus 4:29-31

2) Moses was to say he was sent by the "I AM" - 3:14

Moses learned that God is "I AM WHO I AM"

Christ said that He is the "I AM" - John 8:58

Moses was to say "I AM" had sent him

Moses would need to know he was sent by God - Exodus 5:22-23

3) Moses was to say the God of Abraham had sent him - 3:15

God is the Lord of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob

God was the One who spoke to Abraham - Genesis 12:1-3

God said that His name is an eternal name

Christ is the unchangeable One - Hebrews 13:8

4) Moses was to gather the elders and tell them - 3:16-18

Moses was to gather the elders together

Moses and Aaron did gather the elders together - Exodus 4:29

Moses was to tell the elders that God had appeared to him

Moses and Aaron told what God had said and showed the signs - Exodus 4:30

Moses was to tell the elders God knew what was happening in Egypt

the people worshiped when they heard God knew - Exodus 4:31

Moses was to tell them that God would bring them out of Egypt

God brought them out as He had promised Moses - Acts 7:36

Moses was to tell them that God would bring them into the land of promise

Moses was told that the elders would listen to him

the elders listened and worshiped - Exodus 4:29-31

Moses was to take the elders with him to meet the ruler of Egypt Moses was to tell him that God wanted them to go into the wilderness

Moses was to tell Pharaoh that they were to offer a sacrifice

Moses obeyed these instructions from God - Exodus 5:1-3

- e. Moses heard that God would judge Egypt 3:19-22
- 1) God said that Pharaoh would not let them go 3:19

God knew that Pharaoh would not let them go
Pharaoh instead turned against the people - Exodus 5:6-9
God said that He would harden Pharaoh's heart - Exodus 7:3
God knew that Pharaoh would have to see the works of God
God said Pharaoh would see the works of God - Exodus 6:1
God said He would multiply His wonders in Egypt - Exodus 11:9-10

#### 2) God said that He would judge Egypt - 3:20

God said He would stretch out His hand and strike Egypt
God said that He would bring great judgments of Egypt - Exodus 7:4
God killed the oldest child in every Egyptian family - Exodus 12:29-30
God said that He would do many wonders in Egypt
God said that the Egyptians would know that He is God - Exodus 7:5
God said He would bring a final plague on Egypt - Exodus 11:1
God said that afterward Pharaoh would let them go
Moses told Pharaoh he would order them to leave - Exodus 11:1
Pharaoh finally ordered them to leave - Exodus 12:31-33

3) God said that they would not leave the land empty-handed - 3:21

God said He would give the people favor in the sight of the Egyptians
God was going to pay Israel for their many years of bondage - Exodus 1:10-14
God gave the people favor in the sight of the Egyptians - Exodus 11:3
God told them what would happen when they left Egypt
Israel asked just before they left Egypt - Exodus 12:35
God said they would not go empty-handed
God caused the Egyptians to give them all they asked - Exodus 12:36

4) God said that they were to ask for money and jewelry - 3:22

God said the women were to make requests of their neighbors

Moses instructed the people to make their requests - Exodus 11:2

God said they were to ask for silver, gold, and clothing

Israel did as God has instructed them - Exodus 12:35

God said He would plunder Egypt when they left Egypt

God caused the Egyptians to give them all they requested - Exodus 12:36
the Egyptians were urging them to leave as they gave—Exodus 12:33

- 4. God answered the objections of Moses 4:1-31
- a. Moses said the people might not believe 4:1-5
- 1) Moses said the people might not listen to him 4:1

Moses said the people might not believe him

Moses had not had the people understand earlier - Acts 7:25

Moses said the people might not listen to his voice

Moses had been rejected 40 years earlier - Exodus 2:14

Moses said the people might deny the Lord appeared to him
the people did believe when they saw the signs - Exodus 4:30-31

#### 2) Moses was asked what was in his hand - 4:2

Moses was asked what was in his hand
God takes what we have and uses it for His glory - Mark 6:38-44
Moses said that he had a rod in his hand
God used an ordinary stick for His glory - Exodus 7:8-13

#### 3) Moses was shown what would happen to his rod - 4:3-4

Moses was told to throw his rod on the ground

Moses showed this sign first to Aaron - Exodus 4:28

Moses obeyed and threw it on the ground

God is looking for our obedience—1 Samuel 15:22

Moses saw his rod become a snake

Aaron later saw his rod become a snake - Exodus 7:10

Moses ran away from the snake

Moses was being shown how God would work - Exodus 4:30

Moses was told to take the snake by the tail

Moses reached out and caught the snake with his hand

Moses saw it turn into a rod again

Aaron later saw his rod eat the Egyptian rods - Exodus 7:12

#### 4) Moses was told that the people would believe - 4:5

God said they would believe the God of their fathers they bowed their heads and worshiped - Exodus 4:31
God said they would recognize He had appeared to Moses the people did not really listen when they were suffering - Exodus 6:9 the people listened after they saw all of the signs - Exodus 12:28

- b. Moses was given more signs by God 4:6-9
- 1) Moses was given the sign of leprosy 4:6-7

Moses was told to put his hand into his bosom
Moses did as the Lord had commanded him
Moses pulled out his hand and it was leprous
Moses was told to put in his hand again
Moses did what the Lord commanded him
Moses pulled out his hand and it was no longer leprous

2) Moses was given the sign of blood - 4:8-9

Moses was told that the people might not believe the first sign
Moses was told the people would believe the second sign
Moses was told what to do if they did not believe both signs
Moses was told to take water from the river and pour it on the ground
Moses was told that the water would turn into blood

- c. Moses said he could not talk 4:10-13
- 1) Moses said he was a slow speaker 4:10

Moses said that he was not an eloquent speaker
God knew that was not true - Acts 7:22
Moses said he had never been an eloquent speaker
Moses said that he was a slow speaker
Moses said that he had a slow tongue

2) Moses was told that the Lord had made his mouth - 4:11-12

Moses was asked who made a man's mouth Moses was asked who makes the dumb and deaf Moses was asked who makes the seeing and the blind Moses was reminded that the Lord makes all things Moses was told that the Lord would be with his mouth Moses was told the Lord would tell him what to say

3) Moses asked who the Lord would send to speak - 4:13

Moses asked the Lord to send someone Moses asked who the Lord would send

- d. Moses was told Aaron would talk 4:14-17
- 1) Moses was told that Aaron could speak well 4:14

God was angry at the resistance of Moses God said that He knew Aaron could speak well God said that Aaron was coming to meet him God said that Aaron would be glad to see him

2) Moses was told that Aaron would speak for him - 4:15-16

God told Moses that he was to speak to Aaron God said He would tell Moses what to say to Aaron God said that He would teach Moses what to do God said that Aaron would be Moses' spokesman God said Aaron would be as a mouth for Moses God said that Moses would give God's Word to Aaron

- 3) Moses was told to take his rod to do the signs 4:17
  - e. Moses left for Egypt 4:18-23
- 1) Moses took his family to return to Egypt 4:18-20

Moses went and asked Jethro to let him return to Egypt
Moses said that he wanted to find out if his brethren were still alive
Moses heard that Jethro would let him go
Moses was told that those who wanted to kill him were dead
God was going to show His pity to His people - Exodus 2:23
Moses took his wife and his sons to return to Egypt
Moses prepared to return to Egypt
Moses took the rod of God in his hand
Moses had learned that God uses ordinary things - Exodus 4:2

2) Moses was reminded what he was to say to Pharaoh - 4:21-23

Moses was told to do all of the wonders before Pharaoh Moses was told that God would harden the heart of Pharaoh Moses was told what to tell Pharaoh Moses was told to tell Pharaoh Israel was His son Moses was to say that God wanted His son to go and serve Him Moses was told God would slay Pharaoh's son if he refused

#### f. Moses had to be obedient first - 4:24-26

Moses had a problem at an encampment on the way
Moses had the Lord try to kill him

obedience must come before ministry - 1 Samuel 15:22

Moses told Zipporah to circumcise their son

Zipporah said that Moses was a husband of blood

Moses was then set free by the Lord

Moses could not tell Pharaoh to obey while in disobedience - Genesis 17:14 **Zipporah said he was a husband of blood because of the circumcision**Moses had not circumcised his son as God had commanded - Genesis 17:9-14

#### g. Moses had Aaron meet him - 4:27-28

Aaron was told by the Lord to go and meet Moses
God had said Aaron was coming to meet him - Exodus 4:14
Aaron went to meet Moses in the wilderness
Aaron met Moses at the mountain of God
this was the area where God had spoken to Moses - Exodus 3:1-2
Aaron heard all that the Lord had told Moses
Aaron learned that he would speak for Moses - Exodus 4:14-16
Aaron saw all of the signs that God gave Moses
Aaron learned he would use Moses' rod to do signs - Exodus 4:17

#### h. Moses and Aaron met with Israel - 4:29-31

Aaron and Moses gathered all of the elders of Israel
Aaron spoke all the words the Lord spoke to Moses
God had told Moses what they were to say to the people - Exodus 4:1
Aaron did all the signs so that the people could see
God had given Moses signs so they would believe - Exodus 4:2-9
the people believed after they heard and saw
the people had been in bondage for many years - Exodus 1:10-11
the people heard that God had visited the children of Israel
the people quickly forgot that God had visited them - Exodus 5:21
the people heard that God had looked on their affliction
the Egyptians had afflicted them for a long time - Exodus 1:11-14
the people bowed their heads before God
the people later had to see God make a separation - Exodus 9:4-7
the people worshiped
the people later said that they would obey God - Exodus 19:8

- B. the Lord sent Moses to talk to Pharaoh 5:1-7:13
  - 1. God saw the rebellion of Pharaoh 5:1-23
  - a. Moses spoke to Pharaoh for God 5:1-3

Moses and Aaron went to speak to Pharaoh
Moses and Aaron said they spoke for the God of Israel
Moses said that God commanded Pharaoh to let Israel go
Moses said God wanted them to hold a feast in the wilderness
Moses heard Pharaoh question, "Who is the Lord?"
Pharaoh refused to recognize the true God - Exodus 5:17
Moses heard Pharaoh say he would not obey and let Israel go
Pharaoh demonstrates the rebellion of many people - Romans 1:21-32
Moses heard Pharaoh say he did not know the Lord
God kept working until Pharaoh was forced to recognize God - Exodus 12:31-32

- b. Moses saw Pharaoh turn against the people 5:4-9
- 1) Pharaoh accused Moses of stopping the people from working 5:4-5

Pharaoh accused Moses and Aaron of taking the people from their work
Pharaoh told Moses and Aaron to get back to their labor
Pharaoh said that there were many people in the land
Pharaoh said that Moses made all of them stop from their work
Pharaoh made the people suffer even more - Exodus 5:23

2) Pharaoh made the people work even harder - 5:6-9

Pharaoh gave the taskmasters a new command that same day
Pharaoh said that they were no longer to provide straw for the bricks
Pharaoh said that Israel should gather straw for themselves
Pharaoh said that he wanted the same number of bricks
Pharaoh said they should not decrease the number of bricks
Pharaoh accused the people of Israel of being idle
Pharaoh said the proof was the fact that they wanted to sacrifice to God
Pharaoh said that more work should be assigned to the men
Pharaoh said they should be made to work harder
Pharaoh wanted to show that he was in control - Exodus 5:15-19
Pharaoh said he would stop them from listening to false words
Pharaoh said that he did not know the Lord (how true) - Exodus 5:2

- c. Moses saw the leaders of Israel suffer 5:10-14
- 1) the taskmasters told the people they would no longer get straw 5:10

the taskmasters went with their officers the taskmasters spoke to the people the taskmasters said Pharaoh would no longer provide straw ungodly men often show their anger against God - Exodus 5:2

2) the taskmasters forced the people to get their own straw - 5:11-12

the taskmasters told the people to get straw where they could find it the taskmasters said their work was not to be decreased the taskmasters caused the people to be scattered throughout the land the taskmasters made them gather stubble instead of straw

3) the taskmasters really pushed the people - 5:13

the taskmasters forced the people to hurry the taskmasters told them to complete their work the taskmasters said to provide as many bricks as in the past

4) the taskmasters beat the officers of Israel - 5:14

#### the officers of Israel were beaten

Pharaoh's taskmasters were carrying out their orders - Exodus 5:9 the officers of Israel were told they had not fulfilled their task the officers of Israel were told they were not making enough bricks

- d. Moses saw the leaders of Israel speak to Pharaoh 5:15-19
  - 1) the officers of Israel cried to Pharaoh 5:15-16

the officers of Israel came and cried to Pharaoh
the officers of Israel asked why they were being mistreated
the officers of Israel thought it was the taskmasters - Exodus 5:10
the officers of Israel learned the orders came from Pharaoh - Exodus 5:19
the officers of Israel said they were not receiving any straw
the officers of Israel said it was the fault of the Egyptians
the officers were carrying out the orders of Pharaoh—Exodus 5:6-7

2) the officers of Israel were rejected by Pharaoh - 5:17-18

Pharaoh told the officers that they were being idle
Pharaoh told the officers that they wanted to sacrifice to the Lord
Pharaoh told the officers to go and work
Pharaoh told the officers that no straw would be given to them
Pharaoh said they were to make the same number of bricks

3) the officers of Israel saw that they were in trouble - 5:19

the officers of Israel saw that they were in trouble the officers knew this when Pharaoh said to supply the same amount of bricks

- e. Moses saw the leaders of Israel turn against him 5:20-21
  - 1) the leaders of Israel met Moses and Aaron 5:20

the officers met Moses and Aaron the officers found them waiting after they met Pharaoh the officers saw them as they came out from meeting Pharaoh

2) the leaders of Israel said the Lord would judge Moses and Aaron - 5:21

the officers said the Lord should look on them and judge the officers said Moses and Aaron made them abhorrent to Pharaoh the officers said Moses and Aaron made them abhorrent to the Egyptians the officers said the Egyptians were going to kill them

f. Moses turned to God for encouragement - 5:22-23

Moses turned to the Lord for understanding
we are to ask God when we lack wisdom - James 1:5
Moses asked the Lord why He brought trouble on the people
Moses asked the Lord why the Lord had sent him
Moses had not felt qualified when the Lord called him - Exodus 3:9-11
Moses said he had spoken to Pharaoh in the name of the Lord
Moses had been obedient and had spoken to Pharaoh - Exodus 5:1
Moses said that Pharaoh had done evil as a result
Pharaoh had taken out his anger on the people - Exodus 5:6-7
Moses said that the Lord had not delivered His people
God had warned this would happen - Exodus 3:19

- 2. God gave Moses encouragement 6:1-30
- a. Moses was reminded who God is 6:1-3
- 1) God promised He would judge Pharaoh 6:1

God told Moses what He would do to Pharaoh God said Pharaoh would let them go with a strong hand God said that Pharaoh would drive them out of the land

2) God reminded Moses that He is the Existing One - 6:2-3

God reminded Moses that He is the Lord God said that He had appeared to Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob God said that it was by His name JEHOVAH that He knew them (KJV) the name JEHOVAH means the self-existent or eternal God

- b. Moses was reminded of the covenant of God 6:4-8
- 1) God reminded Moses of His promises to Israel 6:4-5

God said He had established His covenant with Israel
God said He had promised to give them the land of Canaan
God said that their fathers had been strangers in the land
God said that He had heard the groaning of the children of Israel
God knew that the Egyptians had kept Israel in bondage
God said that He remembered His covenant with Israel

2) God said that He would bring them out of bondage - 6:6

the Lord was the One of whom Moses was to remind the people the Lord would bring them out from under the burdens of the Egyptians the Lord would rescue them from their bondage the Lord would redeem them with an outstretched arm the Lord would redeem them with great judgments

3) God said He would bring Israel into the Promised Land - 6:7-8

God said they would be His people and He would be their God God said He would free them from the burdens of the Egyptians God said He would bring them into the land of promise God kept His promise to them - Joshua 1:2

- c. Moses said Israel would not listen 6:9-13
- 1) Moses spoke, but the people did not listen 6:9

the people were not able to listen
the people were in anguish of spirit
the people were suffering from the cruel bondage
there are times when people cannot hear

2) Moses was told to go and speak to Pharaoh again - 6:10-11

the Lord spoke to Moses again the Lord told Moses to go and speak to Pharaoh the Lord told him to tell Pharaoh to let Israel go Pharaoh was going to keep hearing this message - Exodus 5:1

3) Moses said Israel would not listen so he did not think Pharaoh would - 6:12

Moses told the Lord that the people of Israel did not listen to him the Lord understands those who are burdened - Matthew 11:28-30

Moses said that he could not expect Pharaoh to listen to him the Lord wants us to ask in order to receive - Matthew 7:7-8

4) Moses was told to give a charge to Israel and to Pharaoh - 6:13

the Lord gave Moses and Aaron a charge for the people of Israel
the Lord knew what it would take to get Israel to listen again - Exodus 4:31
the Lord gave Moses and Aaron a charge for the king of Egypt
the Lord knew what it would take for Pharaoh to listen - Exodus 12:29-30
the Lord told Moses to bring Israel out of Egypt
the Lord knew what it would take for Pharaoh to let them go - Exodus 6:1

- d. Moses listed the leaders of Reuben and Simeon 6:14-15
- 1) Moses gave a list of the heads of the family of Reuben 6:14

these were the four heads of the family of Reuben

2) Moses gave a list of the heads of the family of Simeon - 6:15

these were the six heads of the family of Simeon

- e. Moses listed the leaders of Levi 6:16-27
- 1) Moses gave a list of the heads of the family of Levi 5:16

these were the three heads of the family of Levi

2) Moses gave a list of the heads of the family of Gershom - 6:17

these were the two heads of the family of Gershom

3) Moses gave a list of the heads of the family of Kohath - 6:18

these were the four heads of the family of Kohath

4) Moses gave a list of the heads of the family of Merari - 6:19

thsee were the two heads of the family of Merari

- 5) Moses gave a list of the family of his father 6:20
  - 6) Moses gave a list of the family of Izhar 6:21
  - 7) Moses gave a list of the family of Uzziel 6:22
  - 8) Moses gave a list of the family of Aaron 6:23
  - 9) Moses gave a list of the family of Korah 6:24
- 10) Moses gave a list of the family of Eleazar 6:25-27

this completed the list of the heads of the family of Levi the Lord instructed Moses and Aaron to bring Israel out of Egypt the Lord used Moses and Aaron to speak to Pharaoh

f. Moses said Pharaoh would not listen - 6:28-30

the Lord spoke to Moses in the land of Egypt
the Lord told Moses to speak all He said to Pharaoh
the Lord heard Moses say again that he was of uncircumcised lips
the Lord heard Moses say again that Pharaoh would not listen to him
God had warned Moses of this in advance - Exodus 3:19

#### 3. God renewed the commission of Moses - 7:1-7

#### a. the Lord told Moses what He would do in the life of Pharaoh - 7:1-3

the Lord said He would make Moses as God to Pharaoh
Moses was to speak as the ambassador of God - 2 Corinthians 5:20
the Lord said Aaron would be his prophet
the Lord said Moses was to speak all that God commanded him
Moses was to speak what God commanded not his own opinions - Hebrews 4:12
the Lord said that Aaron would speak for him to Pharaoh
the Lord said Aaron would tell Pharaoh to let Israel leave his land
the Lord said He would harden the heart of Pharaoh
six times it says that Pharaoh hardened his heart
six times it says that Pharaoh's heart was hardened
six times it says that God hardened Pharaoh's heart
the Lord said He would multiply His signs and His wonders in Egypt
God knew that Pharaoh would harden his heart - Exodus 7:14
God had said He would multiply His wonders - Exodus 11:9-10

#### b. the Lord told what He would do to the Egyptians - 7:4-5

the Lord said Pharaoh would not listen to them
the Lord had said Pharaoh would not listen - Exodus 3:19
the Lord said He would lay His hand on Egypt
the Lord said He would bring the people of Israel out of Egypt
the Lord was going to deliver them from the Egyptians - Exodus 3:8
the Lord said He would bring great judgments on Egypt
the Lord said that the Egyptians would know He is Lord
the Egyptians became eager to get rid of Israel - Exodus 12:33
the Lord said He would stretch His hand out on Egypt
the Lord judged all the firstborn in Egypt - Exodus 12:29-30
the Lord said He would bring the people of Israel out of Egypt
the Lord caused Pharaoh to thrust them out - Exodus 12:31-32

#### c. the Lord saw Moses and Aaron obey Him - 7:6-7

Moses and Aaron did just as the Lord had commanded them
Moses and Aaron were obedient to the Lord - Exodus 7:10
Moses was 80 years old when they spoke to Pharaoh
Moses had been 40 years old when he fled from Egypt - Acts 7:23-25
Aaron was 83 years old when they spoke to Pharaoh

#### 4. God sent Moses to speak to Pharaoh again - 7:8-13

a. Moses was given a sign for Pharaoh - 7:8-9

the Lord told Moses what to do when Pharaoh asked for a miracle
the Lord would use an ordinary rod - Exodus 4:2-3
the Lord told Moses he was to speak to Aaron
Moses was to put the words in the mouth of Aaron - Exodus 4:15
the Lord told Moses to have Aaron throw his rod in front of Pharaoh
the Lord said He would do signs with that rod - Exodus 4:17
the Lord told Moses to say Aaron's rod would become a snake

#### b. Moses did as the Lord had commanded - 7:10

Moses and Aaron went in to to Pharaoh
Moses and Aaron did as the Lord commanded
Aaron threw his rod in front of Pharaoh and his servants
Aaron saw his rod become a snake in front of Pharaoh

#### c. Moses saw Pharaoh's magicians try to imitate him - 7:11-12

Pharaoh called for his wise men and sorceres
the magicians finally said it was the finger of God - Exodus 8:19
Pharaoh told them what Moses and Aaron had done
the magicians could only imitate certain plagues - Exodus 8:18
Pharaoh watched as the rods of the magicians became snakes
the magicians also imitated some other signs - Exodus 7:22
Pharaoh watched as each magician threw down his rod
Pharaoh watched as each rod became a snake
Pharaoh watched as Aaron's snake ate the other snakes
God was revealing His power over the magicians - Exodus 8:18

#### d. Moses heard that the heart of Pharaoh was hardened - 7:13

Pharaoh had his heart grow hard
God said He would harden Pharaoh' heart - Exodus 7:3
Pharaoh did not listen to Moses and Aaron
God had said Pharaoh would not listen - Exodus 7:4
Pharaoh did exactly as God had said
God said Pharaoh would harden his heart - Exodus 3:19
God knew the heart of Pharaoh - 1 Samuel 16:7

C. the Lord sent plagues to speak to Pharaoh - 7:14-12:36

1. the first plague was blood - 7:14-25

a. Moses was told to turn water to blood - 7:14-18

1) the Lord told Moses what to do - 7:14-15

the Lord said the heart of Pharaoh was hard
the Lord said Pharaoh refused to let the people go
the Lord told Moses to meet Pharaoh in the morning by the water
the Lord said to stand by the river bank to meet him
the Lord told Moses to take the rod in his hand

2) the Lord told Moses what to say - 7:16-18

the Lord told Moses to tell Pharaoh that the Lord had sent him the Lord said to tell Pharaoh to let His people go serve Him the Lord said to tell Pharaoh he had not listened in the past the Lord said He would tell Pharaoh how he would know the Lord the Lord said Moses was to say he would strike the waters with his rod the Lord said to tell Pharaoh the water would become blood the Lord said the fish in the river would die the Lord said the river would stink the Lord said the Egyptians would not want to drink the water

#### b. Moses turned the water to blood - 7:19-21

the Lord said Aaron was to stretch his rod over all the waters the Lord said that all the waters would become blood the Lord saw Moses and Aaron do as He commanded the Lord turned all of the waters into blood the Lord caused the fish to die and the river to stink the Lord made it impossible to drink the water in the river

c. Moses saw the magicians imitate him - 7:22-25

the magicians imitated what Aaron had done
the magicians later said this was the finger of God - Exodus 8:19
the heart of Pharaoh grew harder and he would not listen
Pharaoh turned and went to his house
the Egyptians had to dig beside the river to get water for seven days

#### 2. the second plague was frogs - 8:1-15

a. Moses was told to bring forth frogs - 8:1-4

the Lord told Moses to go and speak to Pharaoh again
the Lord told Moses to tell Pharaoh to let His people go
the Lord told Moses to tell Pharaoh what would happen if he refused
the Lord told Pharaoh He would smite the land with frogs
the Lord said that the frogs would be everywhere
the Lord said that the frogs would be on Pharaoh and his people

b. Moses was imitated by the magicians - 8:5-7

Aaron was told to stretch out his rod over the waters of Egypt
Aaron obeyed and the land was filled with frogs
Aaron was imitated by the magicians of Egypt

c. Moses had Pharaoh ask him to get rid of the frogs - 8:8-11

Pharaoh called for Moses and Aaron
Pharaoh asked them to have the Lord take away the frogs
Pharaoh said he would let the people go sacrifice to the Lord
Pharaoh was asked when he wanted the frogs to leave
Pharaoh said that he wanted it to happen the next day
Pharaoh heard that it would happen the next day
Pharaoh was told he would recognize there was no one like the Lord God
Pharaoh heard that the frogs would depart from his house
Pharaoh heard that the frogs would only be in the river

d. Moses asked the Lord to get rid of the frogs - 8:12-15

Moses and Aaron went out from Pharaoh
Moses prayed to the Lord to remove the frogs
Moses had his prayer answered by the Lord
Moses saw the frogs die in the houses, courtyards, and fields
Moses saw the people gather the dead frogs in heaps
Moses saw the land filled with the smell of dead frogs
Moses knew that Pharaoh felt relief
Moses quickly saw that Pharaoh would not keep his word
Moses saw it happen just as the Lord had said
Moses was being shown God is the "I AM" - Exodus 3:14

#### 3. the third plague was lice - 8:16-19

the Lord told Moses to strike the dust with his rod
the Lord said that the land of Egypt would be filled with lice
Aaron did as the Lord had commanded
both men and animals were covered with lice
all the dust throughout Egypt became lice
the magicians tried to imitate Aaron by bringing forth lice
the magicians were no longer able to imitate Aaron
the lice covered the people and animals
the magicians said that this was the finger of God
Pharaoh allowed his heart to grow even harder

- 4. the fourth plague was flies 8:20-32
- a. Moses was told to bring forth flies 8:20-24

the Lord told Moses to meet Pharaoh when he came to the river the Lord told Pharaoh to let His people go the Lord said otherwise He would send swarms of flies on Egypt the Lord said He would set apart the land of Goshen the Lord said He would do this so Pharaoh would know He is the Lord the Lord said that He would make a difference between Egypt and Israel the Lord did exactly as He had promised and the land was filled with flies

#### b. Moses saw Pharaoh try to compromise - 8:25-29

Pharaoh offered to let the people go sacrifice in the land
Moses said they could not sacrifice in the land
Moses said the Egyptians might stone them
Moses said that they must go three days journey into the wilderness
Pharaoh said he would let them go if they would intercede to God
Moses said he would ask God to remove the flies the next day
Moses said Pharaoh better not deal deceitfully any more

#### c. Moses asked the Lord to get rid of the flies - 8:30-32

Moses asked the Lord to remove the flies the Lord answered the prayer of Moses Pharaoh hardened his heart again Pharaoh refused to let the people go Pharaoh continued to deal deceitfully - Exodus 8:29 5. the fifth plague was disease of animals - 9:1-7

a. Moses was told there would be another plague - 9:1-3

the Lord sent Moses to speak to Pharaoh again
the Lord said to tell Pharaoh that he spoke for the God of the Hebrews
the Lord said to tell Pharaoh to let His people go to serve Him
the Lord said to warn Pharaoh about refusing to let them go
the Lord said that He would bring judgment on the animals of Egypt
the Lord said He would bring a severe plague on the animals

b. Moses was told the plague would only affect the Egyptians - 9:4

the Lord said He would separate between the animals of Egypt and Israel the Lord said that none of the animals of Israel would die

c. Moses saw the heart of Pharaoh hardened - 9:5-7

the Lord appointed a set time for judgment
the Lord said that He would bring this judgment the next day
the Lord brought this judgment the next day as promised
the Lord caused the death of the animals of Egypt the next day
the Lord protected the animals of Israel and not one died
the Lord caused Pharaoh to check about the animals of Israel
the Lord allowed Pharaoh to learn none of the animals of Israel died
the heart of Pharaoh became hard and he did not let the people go

6. the sixth plague was boils - 9:8-12

a. Moses saw the Lord produce boils - 9:8-10

the Lord told Moses to take handfuls of ashes
the Lord told Moses to scatter the ashes in the sight of Pharaoh
the Lord said the ashes would cause boils to break out
Moses did as God said and scattered the ashes in the sight of Pharaoh
the Lord caused boils to break out on both people and animals

b. Moses saw the Lord silence the magicians - 9:11-12

the magicians could not stand before Moses because of the boils the Lord hardened the heart of Pharaoh just as the Lord had said Pharaoh had been hardening his own heart - Exodus 8:32

- 7. the seventh plague was hail and fire 9:13-35
- a. Moses was told to rebuke the pride of Pharaoh 9:13-17
  - 1) the Lord told Moses to speak to Pharaoh 9:13-14

the Lord told Moses to meet Pharaoh early in the morning
the Lord gave Moses the same message for Pharaoh
the Lord told Pharaoh to let Israel go to serve Him
the Lord said the plagues would reach to the heart of Pharaoh
the Lord said the plagues would reach to the heart of the people
the Lord said Pharaoh would have to realize God is greater than all gods

2) the Lord said He would rebuke the pride of Pharaoh - 9:15-17

the Lord said He would smite Pharaoh and his people with pestilence the Lord said that Pharaoh would be cut off from the earth (KJV) the Lord said He had raised up Pharaoh to show His power the Lord said this would result in His name being declared to all the earth the Lord said Pharaoh was exalting himself against His people God says those who exalt themselves will be brought low - Luke 14:11

- b. Moses gave the Egyptians a choice 9:18-21
- 1) the Lord said that He would send hail on Egypt 9:18-19

the Lord said that there would be a very severe hail the next day the Lord said it would be a hail like Egypt had never seen before the Lord gave the Egyptians an opportunity to make a choice the Lord said the Egyptians could get men and beast out of the fields the Lord said that those brought home would be protected the Lord said those left in the fields would die

2) the Lord saw that some of the Egyptians feared Him - 9:20

some of the Egyptians feared the word of the Lord some of the Egyptians made their servants flee into their houses

3) the Lord saw some of the Egyptians did not fear Him - 9:21

some of the Egyptians did not listen to the word of the Lord some of the Egyptians left their servants and cattle in the fields

#### c. Moses saw the Lord send hail - 9:22-26

the Lord told Moses to stretch out his hand
the Lord said there would be hail throughout the land of Egypt
the Lord said the hail would be on every man and beast in the field
the Lord responded when Moses stretched out his hand
the Lord sent hail, thunder, and fire on the land of Egypt
the three things together brought much destruction
there had never been destruction in Egypt like that before
the hail killed men and animals throughout the land of Egypt
the Lord destroyed crops and trees throughout Egypt
the Lord did not bring this judgment on the land of Goshen
the Lord protected the people of Israel from the hail

#### d. Moses heard Pharaoh request help - 9:27-32

Pharaoh sent and called for Moses and Aaron
Pharaoh said he had sinned and the Lord is righteous
Pharaoh said that he and his people had sinned
Pharaoh asked Moses to pray that there would be no more hail
Pharaoh said that he would let Israel go
Moses said he would go out of the city
Moses said he would spread out his hands to the Lord
Moses said the hail and thunder would stop
Moses said this was so Pharaoh would know the earth is the Lord's
Moses said he knew Pharaoh and his servants did not yet fear the Lord
Moses saw the Lord destroy the flax and the barley
Moses knew the wheat and spelt were late crops and not affected

#### e. Moses saw Pharaoh harden his heart - 9:33-35

Moses went out of the city and spread his hands out to God
Moses saw the Lord stop the thunder and hail
Moses saw the Lord stop the rain
Pharaoh saw that the rain, hail, and thunder ceased
Pharaoh sinned more by hardening his heart again
Pharaoh's servants also hardened their hearts
the heart of Pharaoh was hardened
this hardening is mentioned 18 times
Pharaoh did not let Israel go
the Lord had said that would happen
God knew the heart of Pharaoh - Exodus 3:19

#### 8. the eighth plague was locusts - 10:1-20

- a. Moses told Pharaoh there would be locusts 10:1-7
- 1) the Lord said the signs were also for future generations 10:1-2

the Lord told Moses to go and speak again to Pharaoh
the Lord said that He had hardened the heart of Pharaoh
the Lord said that He had hardened the heart of Pharaoh's servants
the Lord said He would show His signs before Pharaoh
the Lord said Israel was to tell future generations
the Lord said future generations were to hear about His signs
the Lord said this was so they would know the Lord

2) the Lord had Moses warn Pharaoh of the next judgment - 10:3-6

Moses asked Pharaoh how long he would refuse to humble himself
Moses said the Lord said to let His people go and worship Him
Moses said that there would be another judgment the next day
Moses said if Pharaoh refused, the Lord would bring locusts
Moses said the locusts would completely cover the ground
Moses said the locusts would eat what the hail left
Moses said the locusts would eat every tree
Moses said the locusts would fill their houses
Moses said the locusts would be worse than any time in history

3) the Lord even spoke to Pharaoh through his own servants - 10:7

the servants asked Pharaoh how long he was going to do nothing the servants said to let Moses go and serve the Lord the servants said that the land of Egypt was destroyed

b. Moses heard Pharaoh try to compromise - 10:8-11

Pharaoh had Moses and Aaron brought back to him
Pharaoh asked them who would go to worship God
Pharaoh heard that both the people and animals would go
Pharaoh said that the little ones would experience evil
Pharaoh said that only the men could go and serve the Lord
Pharaoh tried several different compromises
Pharaoh then drove them out from his presence
Pharaoh was becoming increasingly angry - Exodus 10:28

- c. Moses saw the Lord send locusts 10:12-15
- 1) the Lord told Moses to stretch out his rod again 10:12-13

Moses was told to stretch out his hand over Egypt
Moses was told that the locusts would come up into the land
Moses was told they would eat everything that was left
Moses obeyed the Lord and stretched out his hand
Moses saw the Lord send a strong east wind
Moses saw the Lord bring the locusts with the east wind

2) the Lord covered the land with locusts - 10:14-15

the locusts were all over the land of Egypt
the locusts were on all of the territory of Egypt
the locusts were severe in the land of Egypt
the locusts had never been in Egypt like that before
the locusts covered the entire land
the locusts were so thick the land was darkened
the locusts ate every herb in the land
the locusts ate everything green that was left in the land

- d. Moses saw the Lord destroy the locusts 10:16-20
- 1) the Lord heard when Pharaoh pretended to repent 10:16-17

Pharaoh quickly called for Moses and Aaron
Pharaoh said that he had sinned against the Lord their God
Pharaoh said that he had sinned against them
Pharaoh asked them to forgive his sin one more time
Pharaoh asked them to pray that God would take away this death
Pharaoh was focused on what he wanted - Exodus 5:2

2) the Lord took all of the locusts out of the land - 10:18-20

the Lord heard when Moses prayed to Him
the Lord caused a strong west wind to start blowing
the Lord used the wind to take away the locusts
the Lord used the wind to cast them into the Red Sea
the Lord took all of the locusts out of the land of Egypt
the Lord hardened the heart of Pharaoh again
The Lord had to show Pharaoh - Exodus 12:30

#### 9. the ninth plague was darkness - 10:21-29

#### a. Moses saw the Lord send darkness - 10:21-23

the Lord told Moses to stretch out his hand again
the Lord said that there would be darkness over all of the land of Egypt
the Lord said that the darkness would be darkness which could be felt
Moses stretched out his hand as God commanded
Moses saw darkness completely cover the land
Moses saw this darkness last for three days
the people could not see one another
the people were afraid to go anywhere for three days
the people of Israel had light in their houses
the Lord continued to make a separation for Israel - Exodus 9:26

#### b. Moses heard Pharaoh try a final compromise - 10:24-26

Pharaoh said they could go and serve the Lord
Pharaoh said they should leave their flocks behind
Pharaoh said they could even take their children with them
this had been refused previously - Exodus 10:11
Moses said they must take the animals so that they had sacrifices
Moses said they would be sacrificing to the Lord their God
Moses said they would not leave a single animal behind
Moses said they did not know what animals the Lord wanted them to offer
Moses said they would find out when they got where they were going

#### c. Moses heard Pharaoh tell him to get out - 10:27-29

# Pharaoh had the Lord harden his heart again Pharaoh made several promises to Moses during a previous plague - Exodus 9:28 Pharaoh then refused to let the people go Pharaoh did not keep those promises - Exodus 9:34, 10:20 Pharaoh told Moses and Aaron to get out Pharaoh told them he did not want to see them again Pharaoh would later call for them - Exodus 12:31 Pharaoh said if they came again they would die Pharaoh heard that he had spoken well God did not tell him what the final plague would be - Exodus 12:12-13 Pharaoh was told he would not see them again Pharaoh would later call for Moses - Exodus 12:31

#### 10. the tenth plague was death - 11:1-12:36

a. Moses was told Pharaoh would thrust him out - 11:1-2

the Lord said He would bring one more plague on Pharaoh
the Lord said He would bring one more plague on Egypt
the Lord said that then Pharaoh would let them go
the Lord said that Pharaoh would actually drive them out
the Lord told Moses to speak to the people of Israel
the Lord told Moses to tell the people to make requests of their neighbors
the Lord told Moses to have them ask for articles of silver and gold

b. Moses told the people to ask for jewelry - 11:3-4

the Lord gave the people favor in the sight of the Egyptians the Lord caused the Egyptians to recognize Moses as very great the Lord caused Pharaoh's servants to recognize Moses as great the Lord caused the people to recognize Moses as great the Lord had Moses tell the people what the Lord would do

The Lord would send His death angel - Exodus 12:12-13

the Lord said that this would happen about midnight

- c. Moses announced the coming death angel 11:5-10
- 1) the Lord would bring a final judgment on Egypt 11:5-6

the Lord said all of the firstborn of Egypt would die the Lord said this would include the firstborn of Pharaoh the Lord said this would include the firstborn of the lowest servant the Lord said this would include the firstborn of the animals the Lord said there would be a great cry throughout Egypt

2) the Lord said He would put a difference between Egypt and Israel - 11:7-8

the Lord said nothing would happen to the people of Israel the Lord said He would put a difference between Israel and Egypt the Lord said that the people would ask them to leave

3) the Lord said that Pharaoh still would not listen - 11:9-10

the Lord told Moses Pharaoh would not listen to him the Lord said He had hardened Pharaoh's heart d. Moses was told to prepare the Passover - 12:1-11

1) the Passover was to be in the beginning of months - 12:1-2

the Lord spoke to Moses and Aaron the Lord said this was to be the beginning of months the Lord said this was to be the first month of the year

2) the Passover was to be celebrated by every household - 12:3-4

the people were given the instructions for the Passover the people were to take a lamb on the tenth day of the month the people were to take a lamb for each household the people were told what to do if the household was too small the people were then to share a lamb with a neighbor

3) the Passover Lamb was to be without blemish - 12:5-6

the people were to take a lamb without blemish the people were to take a male of the first year the people were to take it from the sheep or the goats the people were to keep it until the fourteenth day the people were all to kill the lamb on the fourteenth day the people were to kill the lamb in the evening Christ is the true Lamb of God - John 1:29

4) the Passover blood was to be placed on the door - 12:7

the people were to put blood on the two sideposts of their door

the people were to put blood on the top of their door

5) the Passover was to be eaten and the remains burned - 12:8-11

the people were to eat the flesh that night
the people were to eat it roasted with fire
the people were to eat it with unleavened bread and bitter herbs
the people were not to eat it raw or boiled in water
the people were to roast the complete lamb
the people were not to let anything remain until the morning
the people were to burn anything that remained
the people were to eat it all while ready to travel
the people were to eat it with haste

- e. Moses was told the meaning of the Passover 12:12-17
- 1) the Lord would pass over those who had the blood 12:12-13

the Lord would pass through the land of Egypt that night the Lord would strike all of the first-born in Egypt the Lord would do this to both man and animals the Lord would bring judgment against the gods of Egypt the Lord said the blood would be a sign for them the Lord said He would see the blood and pass over them the Lord said He would not destroy them with Egypt

2) the Lord told them to keep the Passover as a memorial - 12:14-16

the Lord said that day was to be a memorial for Israel
the Lord said they were to keep it as a feast throughout their generations
the Lord said they were to keep it as an ordinance forever
the Lord said they were to eat unleavened bread for seven days
the Lord said they were to put all leaven out of their houses
the Lord said those who ate leaven would be cut off from Israel
the Lord said the first day would be a holy convocation
the Lord said they were not to work on those days

3) the Lord said they were to observe the Feast of Unleavened Bread - 12:17

the people were to observe the Feast of Unleavened Bread
the people were to remember the Lord brought their armies out of Egypt
the people were to observe this as an ordinance forever
this was repeated for the Passover—Exodus 12:24

f. Moses was told about the Feast of Unleavened Bread - 12:18-20

the people were to observe the feast for seven days
the people were to have no leaven in their houses
the people were not to eat anything leavened during that time
the people would be cut off if they ate anything leavened
the people were not to eat if they were a stranger
the people were not to eat if they were from the land
the people were not to eat anything leavened
the people were all to eat unleavened bread

- g. Moses told the people about the Passover 12:21-28
- 1) Moses told the elders about the Passover lamb 12:21

Moses called for all of the elders of Israel Moses told them they were to pick out lambs for their families Moses told them they were to kill the Passover lamb

2) Moses told the elders how to apply the blood - 12:22-23

the people were to dip the hyssop in the blood in a basin
the people were to put blood on the top and two sides of the door
the people were then not to go out of the house until morning
the people heard the Lord would pass through and smite the Egyptians
this happened exactly as the Lord had promised - Exodus 12:29
the Lord would see the blood on the door as He passed by
the Lord promised to pass over each house that had blood - Exodus 12:13
the Lord would not permit the destroyer to come where there was blood
the destroyer came wherever blood was lacking - Exodus 12:29-30

3) Moses said they were to keep the Passover forever - 12:24-25

the people were to keep the Passover as an ordinance
the people were to keep this ordinance forever
Christ observed the Passover with His disciples - John 13:1
the people were to remember this ordinance when they came into the land
the people were promised that the Lord would give them this land
the people were to keep the Passover in the land

4) Moses said they were to teach their children the meaning - 12:26-28

the people were to be prepared to teach their children
the people were to explain the meaning of the Passover
the people were to say the sacrifice was the Lord's Passover
the people were to tell how the Lord passed over the houses of Israel
the people were to tell how the Lord smote the Egyptians
the people were to tell how the Lord delivered Israel
the people bowed their heads and worshiped
the people then went on their way
the people obeyed the commandments of Moses and Aaron

## h. Moses saw God send the death angel - 12:29-30

the Lord killed all the first-born of Egypt
This was what God had promised - Exodus 12:13
the Lord killed the first-born of Pharaoh who sat on the throne
the Lord killed the first-born of the captive in the dungeon
the Lord killed all of the first-born of the cattle
the Lord caused Pharaoh to get up that night
the Lord caused all the people of Egypt to get up that night
the Lord heard a great cry throughout Egypt
the Lord knew that every Egyptian home had a dead person

- i. Moses was told to leave Egypt 12:31-36
- 1) Pharaoh told the people to leave 12:31-32

Pharaoh called for Moses and Aaron in the night
Pharaoh told them to leave his people
Pharaoh told them to take all Israel with them
Pharaoh told them to go and serve the Lord
Pharaoh told them to take all their flocks and herds
Pharaoh told them to leave and get out
Pharaoh told them to bless him also

2) the people of Egypt asked them to leave - 12:33-34

the Egyptians urged the people of Israel to leave the Egyptians wanted to send them out of the land in a hurry the Egyptians were all fearful they would become dead men the Egyptians sent them out before their dough was leavened the Egyptians saw they had their kneading bowls and clothes packed

3) the people of Egypt gave them silver, gold, and clothing - 12:35-36

the people of Israel obeyed the word of Moses
the people asked the Egyptians for articles of silver
the people asked the Egyptians for articles of gold
the people asked the Egyptians for clothing
the people had favor in the sight of the Egyptians
the people were given whatever they requested
the people plundered the Egyptians

II. Israel Experienced the Protection of God - 12:37-18:27

A. the Lord led them out of Egypt - 12:37-51

1. the people went out of Egypt - 12:37-39

the people traveled from Rameses to Succoth
the people included 600,000 men plus children
the people were accompanied by a mixed multitude
the people had a great amount of flocks with them
the people made unleavened bread to take with them
the people were thrust out of Egypt
the people had not had time to prepare any food supplies

2. the people had been in Egypt 430 years - 12:40-42

the people had been in Egypt a total of 430 years the people all went out of Egypt on the same day the people still remember the day they left with the Passover

3. the people were instructed about the Passover - 12:43-51

a. the people were told who could not eat - 12:43-45

the Lord said no foreigner was to eat the Passover the Lord said to circumcise their servants so they could eat the Lord said that did not apply to sojourners or hired servants

b. the people were told how to eat it - 12:46-47

the people were to eat the Passover inside the house the people were not to break a bone of the Passover lamb the people were all to observe the Passover

c. the people were told what was required of a foreigner - 12:48-49

no uncircumcised person was to eat the Passover one law applied to both the home-born and the stranger

d. the people departed from the land of Egypt - 12:50-51

the Lord brought the people out of the land of Egypt

## B. the Lord set apart the first-born - 13:1-16

1. the people were to set apart the first-born - 13:1-2

the Lord spoke to Moses again the Lord told Moses to set apart all of the first-born the Lord said this was to include both people and animals the Lord said that the first-born belonged to Him

2. the people had the Feast of Unleavened Bread explained - 13:3-7

Moses then spoke to the people

Moses told them to remember the day they came out of Egypt
Moses told them to remember they had come out of bondage
Moses said that the Lord had brought them out by His strength
Moses told them that they were not to eat any leavened bread
Moses told them that they came out in the month Abib
Moses told them the Lord would bring them into the Promised Land
Moses said the Lord would bring them into the land God swore to give them
Moses said it was a land flowing with milk and honey
Moses said they were to remember this time after they came into the land
Moses told them that they were to have seven days of unleavened bread
Moses told them the seventh day was a feast to the Lord
Moses said they were not to have any leaven during the seven days
Moses said they were not even to have leaven in their houses

3. the people were to teach their children about the Exodus - 13:8-10

Moses told the people that they were to teach their children

Moses said that they were to teach their children - Deuteronomy 6:6-7

Moses said they were to say this was done because of what the Lord did

Moses said they were to tell how the Lord brought them out of Egypt

Moses said this was to be a sign on their hand

Moses said this was to be a memorial between their eyes

Moses said the law was to control their actions and thoughts - Deuteronomy 6:8-9

Moses said they were to have the Lord's law in their mouths

the people of Israel were to remember the Law - Deuteronomy 6:1-5

Moses said they were to remember how the Lord brought them out

Moses said they were to remember that the hand of the Lord is strong

Moses said they were to keep this ordinance each year

they were to do this at the Passover - Exodus 12:26-27

4. the people were to sacrifice the first-born animals - 13:11-13

Moses said the Lord would bring them into the land of the Canaanites
Moses said the Lord had sworn to give this land to their fathers
Moses said they were to set apart every first-born animal in the land
Moses said these were to be given to the Lord
Moses said they could redeem a first-born donkey with a lamb
Moses said to break the neck of an donkey if they did not redeem it
Moses said they were to redeem the first-born of all their children

5. the people were to teach their children about redemption - 13:14-16

Moses said they were to tell how the Lord brought them out of bondage Moses said they were to tell how the Lord slew the first-born of Egypt Moses said they were to tell about both first-born sons and animals Moses said they were to teach their sons to sacrifice the first-born male animal Moses said they were to teach their sons to redeem the first-born male child Moses said this was to be in both their thoughts and their actions Moses said they were to teach their children about the strength of the Lord

C. the Lord led the people - 13:17-22

1. the people were led through the way of the wilderness - 13:17-20

God did not lead Israel through the land of the Philistines
God knew that way was the shortest way
God knew they were not ready to meet the Philistines
God led the people through the wilderness by the Red Sea
God made it possible for them to go up armed out of Egypt
God reminded them to fulfill the request of Joseph
God led them to take the bones of Joseph with them
God led them to the edge of the wilderness

2. the people were led by a cloud and a pillar of fire - 13:21-22

the Lord went before them with a pillar of cloud during the day the Lord led them at night with a pillar of fire to give them light Christ came to be our true Light - John 8:12 God did not remove the pillar of cloud during the day God did not remove the pillar of fire during the night

- D. the Lord destroyed the army of Egypt 14:1-31
- 1. the people were pursued by the Egyptians 14:1-12
  - a. Pharaoh hardened his heart 14:1-4

the Lord spoke to Moses and guided him
the Lord told him to have the people encamp at Pihahiroth
the Lord told him to have the people encamp by the sea
the Lord knew Pharaoh would think they were lost in the land
the Lord knew that Pharaoh would think the wilderness blocked them
the Lord said He would harden the heart of Pharaoh one more time
the Lord said that Pharaoh would follow after them
the Lord said He would be honored over Pharaoh
the Lord said He would be honored over the army of Pharaoh
the Lord said the Egyptians would know He is the Lord

## b. Pharaoh pursued after Israel - 14:5-9

Pharaoh heard that the people of Israel had fled
Pharaoh and his servants turned against the people of Israel
Pharaoh and his servants asked why they had let Israel go
Pharaoh got his chariot ready to chase them
Pharaoh took his army with him
Pharaoh had six hundred chariots as a part of his army
Pharaoh had captains over each of these chariots
Pharaoh had his heart hardened by the Lord
Pharaoh pursued after the people of Israel
Pharaoh had seen the people leave with boldness
Pharaoh pursued them with all of his chariots and horses
Pharaoh overtook them at the place where they were camped by the sea

# c. Pharaoh caused great fear in Israel - 14:10-12

Israel saw the army of Egypt marching after them
Israel was filled with fear when they saw Pharaoh coming
Israel cried to the Lord in their fear
Israel told Moses he had brought them to die in the wilderness
Israel asked Moses why he had even brought them out of Egypt
Israel said that they had told him to let them alone
Israel said it would be better to serve the Egyptians than die

- 2. the people were delivered from the Egyptians 14:13-25
  - a. the Egyptians saw the Lord protect Israel 14:13-14

Moses told the people not to fear

Moses told the people to stand still and see the salvation of the Lord

Moses said that the Lord would show them His power that day

Moses said that Israel would see the Egyptians no more

Moses said that the Lord would fight for Israel

Moses told the people of Israel to hold their peace

b. the Egyptians had their hearts hardened - 14:15-18

the Lord said to tell Israel to go forward
the Lord told Moses to stretch out his rod over the sea
the Lord told Moses to divide the sea
the Lord told Moses to divide the sea
the Lord told Moses the people would go through on dry ground
the Lord said he would harden the hearts of the Egyptians
the Lord said that the Egyptians would follow them into the sea
the Lord said He would get His honor over Pharaoh
the Lord said He would get His honor over all that were with him
the Lord said the Egyptians would know that He is God
the Lord said this would happen when He won the victory over them

c. the Egyptians were stopped by darkness - 14:19-22

the Angel of the Lord moved between Israel and the Egyptians the Angel of the Lord is an Old Testament appearance of Christ the pillar of the cloud moved between Israel and the Egyptians the pillar of the cloud caused darkness among the Egyptians the pillar of the cloud gave light to the people of Israel the pillar of the cloud kept them separated all night Moses stretched out his hand over the sea the Lord caused the sea to go back by a strong east wind the Lord made the sea in front of Israel dry land the Lord divided the waters of the sea for Israel the people of Israel went through the middle of the sea the people of Israel went through on dry ground the people saw the water on the right like a wall the people saw the water on the left like a wall

the Egyptians followed Israel into the middle of the sea
the Egyptian army included all of Pharaoh's chariots
the Egyptian army included all of Pharaoh's horsemen
the Lord allowed this to happen during the morning watch
the Lord watched the Egyptians as they followed after Israel
the Lord looked down on the army when they were in the middle of the sea
the Lord troubled the army when they were in the middle of the sea
the Lord caused the wheels of the Egyptian chariots to fall off
the Lord made it very difficult to drive the chariots
the Lord caused the Egyptians to try to flee from Him
the Lord fought for Israel against the Egyptians

- 3. the people saw God judge the Egyptians 14:26-31
  - a. God destroyed the Egyptians 14:26-28

the Lord told Moses to stretch out his hand over the sea
the Lord said that the waters would cover the Egyptians
the Lord said the waters would cover their chariots
the Lord said the waters would cover their horsemen
Moses did exactly as the Lord had instructed
the sea returned to the way it had been before
the Egyptians fled from the returning waters
the Lord overthrew the Egyptians in the middle of the sea
the waters covered the chariots and the horsemen
the waters covered the entire army of Pharaoh
the waters completely destroyed all of the Egyptians

# b. God protected the Israelites - 14:29-31

the people of Israel walked on dry land
the people of Israel were dry even in the middle of the sea
the people of Israel had walls of water on both sides
the people were saved that day from the Egyptians
the people saw the dead Egyptians wash up on the seashore
the people saw the great work that the Lord did
the people saw the miracle and feared the Lord
the people saw the miracle and believed Moses
the people had not yet learned to walk by faith - 2 Corinthians 5:7

## E. the Lord gave Israel a song - 15:1-21

#### 1. God had provided salvation for Israel - 15:1-2

Moses and the people sang the song to the Lord
Moses and the people directed their song to the Lord
Moses and the people sang that the Lord had won a great victory
Moses and the people sang the Lord threw the horses and riders into the sea
Moses and the people sang that the Lord is their strength and song
Moses and the people sang that the Lord had become their salvation
Moses and the people recognized God as their God
Moses and the people said they would exalt God

## 2. God had defeated the Egyptians - 15:3-12

Pharaoh and his chariots were cast into the sea - see also Psalm 136:15
Pharaoh and his chosen captains were drowned
Pharaoh and the others were covered by the depths
Pharaoh and the others sank to the bottom

b. the song described the power of God - 15:6-8

God showed His power to Pharaoh and the others
God dashed Pharaoh and the others in pieces
God, in His greatness, destroyed those who rose against Him
God brought His wrath and consumed them like stubble
God controlled the seas with the breath of His nostrils
God caused the depths to congeal in the sea

c. the song described the choice of the enemy - 15:9

the enemy pursued and depended on their own strength

d. the song described how the Lord defeated Egypt - 15:10-12

God made the wind blow and covered them with the sea God is glorious in holiness, fearful in praises, doing wonders God stretched out His right hand and swallowed them God destroyed the entire Egyptian army - Exodus 14:28

## 3. God would guide Israel in the future - 15:13-16

God led His people forth with mercy
God had redeemed His people
God was guiding them in His strength
God was leading them to His holy habitation
God would cause the nations to hear and be afraid
God would cause the inhabitants of Philistia to have sorrow
God would cause the chiefs of Edom to be dismayed
God would cause trembling to take hold of the mighty men of Moab
God would cause the inhabitants of Canaan to melt with fear
God would cause fear and dread to fall on the peoples
God would cause them to be as still as a stone
God would help His people to pass over
God is the One who purchased His people

## 4. God would bring Israel into the land of promise - 15:17-18

God would bring Israel into the land and plant them
God would plant them in the mountain of His inheritance
God would plant them in the place He made for His dwelling
God would plant them in the sanctuary He established
God will reign forever and ever
the reign of God is eternal - Revelation 5:13

# 5. God was honored by all of the women - 15:19-21

God cast Pharaoh and his horses into the sea
God cast his horsemen and chariots into the sea
God brought the waters of the sea over them
God brought Israel through on dry land
God brought Israel through the middle of the sea
Miriam was a prophetess
Miriam was the sister of Aaron
Miriam took the timbrel in her hand
Miriam had all the women follow her
Miriam led the women with timbrel and dances
Miriam told them to sing to the Lord
Miriam said that the Lord had triumphed gloriously
Miriam said the Lord had judged the Egyptians
Miriam said the Lord threw the horse and rider into the sea

F. the Lord provided water and food - 15:22-17:7

- 1. the people saw God provide water at Marah 15:22-26
- a. the people could not drink the water at Marah 15:22-24

Moses led the people from the Red Sea to the wilderness of Shur
Moses led them three days into the wilderness but did not find any water
Moses finally found water at Marah
Moses saw they could not drink the water at Marah
Moses saw this was due to the fact the water was bitter
Moses heard the people complain against him
Moses heard the people ask what they could drink

b. the people saw God provide water at Marah - 15:25-26

Moses cried to the Lord and was shown a tree
Moses was told to cast that tree into the waters
Moses saw the Lord make the waters turn sweet
Moses saw the Lord give a statute to test Israel
Moses saw the Lord give several conditions and a promise
if the people would listen to the Lord
if the people would do what is right in the sight of the Lord
if the people would open their ears to His commandments
if the people would keep all of His statutes
then the Lord would not bring on them the diseases of Egypt
then the Lord would be their Healer

2. the people saw God provide water at Elim - 15:27

the people found twelve wells of water at Elim

- 3. the people saw God provide manna for food 16:1-36
  - a. Moses heard the people complain 16:1-3

the people left Elim and came to the wilderness of Sin the people complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness the people said that they should have died in the land of Egypt the people said they had plenty of food in Egypt the people said Moses brought them out to kill them with hunger the people would continue to complain - Numbers 14:1-4

#### b. Moses heard that God would provide food - 16:4-8

the Lord said He would rain bread from heaven
the Lord said they would gather a certain amount each day
the Lord said He would test the people to see if they obeyed
the Lord said they were to prepare twice as much on the sixth day
the Lord said the people would know that evening that He brought them out
the Lord said that in the morning the people would see the glory of the Lord
the Lord said that He heard the complaints of the people
the Lord would provide meat in the evening
the Lord would provide bread in the morning
the Lord knew they complained against Him

## c. Moses told the people that God would provide - 16:9-13

the people were told to come near before the Lord
the people heard that the Lord heard their complaints
the people came and looked toward the wilderness
the people saw the glory of the Lord in a cloud
the Lord heard the complaints of the people
the Lord said they would have flesh and bread
the Lord provided quail in the evening
the Lord sent the dew in the morning

## d. Moses told the people what they were to do - 16:14-21

the Lord left something when the dew dried up in the morning the Lord left a little round substance as fine as the frost the people questioned what this was on the ground the people said that they did not know what it was the people heard it was the bread the Lord was giving them the people were told to gather one omer for each person the people were to gather for the people in their tent the people of Israel all gathered this substance the people found they had the right amount regardless of what they gathered the people were told not to keep any until the next morning the only exception was before the Sabbath - Exodus 16:23 the people had some who did not obey those people found it bred worms and stank those people saw Moses become angry with them the people gathered every morning according to their need the people saw what was left on the ground melt when it got hot

## e. Moses said God would keep manna for the Sabbath - 16:22-24

the people gathered twice as much on the sixth day
the people had this reported to Moses by the rulers
Moses told the rulers what the Lord had said
Moses said the Sabbath was to be a day of rest to the Lord
Moses said they were to bake or boil their food on the sixth day
Moses said they were to keep it for the next day
the people did as Moses had commanded
the people saw it did not stink and did not get any worms in it

## f. Moses told the people to rest on the Sabbath - 16:25-31

the people heard they could eat that food on the Sabbath
the people were told they would not find any in the field that day
the people heard they were to gather for six days
the people heard there would be none to gather on the seventh day
some of the people went out to gather on the seventh day
these people found there was none to gather
the Lord asked how long they would refuse to obey His commandments
the Lord said that He had given them the Sabbath
the Lord said He gave food for two days on the sixth day
the Lord said they were to rest on the Sabbath and not go out
the Lord finally saw the people obey and rest
the people called the food Manna (what is it?)
the people saw the Manna was like coriander seed
the people saw that it tasted like wafers made with honey

# g. Moses saw God provide for forty years - 16:32-36

the people were told to keep an omer of Manna as a reminder the people were to keep this for the future generations the people were to tell how the Lord had fed them in the wilderness the people were to tell how the Lord brought them out of Egypt Aaron was instructed to fill a pot with the Manna Aaron was instructed to lay this pot before the Lord Aaron was told that this was for future generations Aaron placed it before the Testimony to be kept the people ate Manna for 40 years until they came into the land an omer is a tenth of an ephah (a little over two quarts)

- 4. the people saw God provide water at Rephidim 17:1-7
- a. Moses had the people complain about the lack of water -17:1-3

the people traveled and came to Rephidim and had no water the people contended with Moses and told him to give them water the people were asked why they were contending with Moses the people were asked why they were tempting the Lord the people were thirsty and complained against Moses the people asked why Moses brought them there to kill them with thirst

b. Moses had the Lord tell him how to provide water - 17:4-7

Moses cried to the Lord for wisdom about what to do
Moses told the Lord that the people were ready to stone him
Moses was told to take the elders and his rod with him
Moses was told to strike the rock at Horeb
Moses was told that water would come out of the rock
Moses did as instructed and the Lord provided water
Moses called the place Massah (tempted) and Meribah (contention)
Moses called it that because Israel tested the Lord there

- G. the Lord protected Israel from Amalek 17:8-16
- 1. Amalek came and fought against Israel at Rephidim 17:8
- 2. Amalek was defeated by the power of the Lord 17:9-13

Moses told Joshua to choose men to fight with Amalek
Moses said he would stand on the top of the hill with the rod of God
Moses took Aaron and Hur with him to the top of the hill
Moses saw Israel winning as long as he held up his hands
Moses saw Israel losing when he let down his hands
Moses sat on a rock and Aaron and Hur held up his hands
Moses saw Joshua win a great victory over Amalek

3. Amalek was promised judgment by the Lord - 17:14-16 (KJV)

God told Moses to write this as a memorial
God said He would completely blot out the nation of Amalek
Moses built an altar and called it Jehovah-nissi (the Lord is my banner)
Moses named it that because God promised to deal with Amalek

- H. the Lord instructed Moses through Jethro 18:1-27
- 1. Jethro brought the family of Moses to him 18:1-6
  - a. Jethro was the father-in-law of Moses 18:1-4

Jethro was the priest of Midian and the father-in-law of Moses
Jethro heard what God had done for Moses and for Israel
Jethro heard how the Lord brought Israel out of Egypt
Jethro brought the wife of Moses that he sent back while he went to Egypt
Jethro brought the two sons of Moses to him as well
Gershom - a stranger is there
Eliezer - my God is my help

b. Jethro brought the family of Moses to him - 18:5-6

Moses had his family brought to him by Jethro Moses had this happen at the mount of God (Horeb) Moses received word from Jethro, his father-in-law Moses heard that Jethro was bringing his wife and sons

- 2. Jethro heard how God had delivered Israel 18:7-12
  - a. Moses met and greeted his father-in-law 18:7

Moses met his father-in-law, bowed down, and kissed him Moses and Jethro asked each other about their well-being

b. Moses told Jethro all that God had done for them - 18:8

Moses told what the Lord did to Pharaoh and to the Egyptians Moses told about the hardships they had on the way to Horeb Moses told how the Lord had delivered them

c. Jethro realized that God is greater than all gods - 18:9-12

Jethro rejoiced for the goodness of God
Jethro blessed the Lord for His deliverance
Jethro realized that the Lord is greater than all gods
Jethro offered a burnt sacrifice to God
Jethro met and ate with the elders of Israel

- 3. Jethro told Moses he was exercising poor leadership 18:13-18
  - a. Jethro watched Moses function for a day 18:13-14

Moses sat to judge the people
Moses had a line of people standing there all day
Moses was asked why he did what he was doing
Moses was asked why he was making all of the decisions alone
Moses was asked why there was a line of people all day

b. Jethro listened to why Moses did what he did - 18:15-16

Moses said he did it because the people came to him to inquire of God Moses said anyone with a problem came to him Moses said he had to act as a judge between people Moses said he taught each person the statutes and laws of God

c. Jethro told him the consequences of functioning that way - 18:17-18

Jethro said what Moses was doing was not good
Jethro said that Moses would wear out
Jethro said that the people would also wear out
Jethro said this was too much for Moses
Jethro said Moses was not able to do it by himself
this is the most common failure of leaders today

- 4. Jethro told Moses the five priorities of a spiritual leader 18:19-23
  - a. a leader prays for the people 18:19

Jethro said he would give Moses advice on how to be an effective leader
Jethro said he would give Moses counsel
Jethro said this was important so that he depended on God
Jethro said that the first priority of Moses was to speak to God (prayer)
we can do nothing in our own strength - John 15:5
Jethro said he was to bring the difficulties to God

b. a leader teaches the Word of God to the people - 18:20a

Moses was to teach the statutes and laws of God the people must know the Word in order to obey it - 1Timothy 4:11-16 the apostles defined their priorities as prayer and ministry of the Word - Acts 6:4 c. a leader shows the people the way to walk - example - 18:20b

Effective leaders show people how to walk by their example this is how we develop godly character - 1 Corinthians 11:1

d. a leader shows the work to do - equipping - 18:20c

Effective leaders show people how to do the work of ministry this is how we develop ministry skills - Acts 20:20-21

e. a leader shares the work - 18:21-23

5. Jethro saw Moses choose additional leaders - 18:24-27

Moses did all that Jethro had suggested
Moses chose qualified men from throughout Israel
Moses made these men heads of the people
(these leaders had various levels of leadership)
leaders of thousands - these would lead 10 leaders of hundreds leaders of hundreds - these would lead 10 leaders of tens leaders of fifties - these would lead 5 leaders of tens leaders of tens - these would lead 10 families the basic unit for leadership is 10 to 12 (12 tribes of Israel)
Moses gave these men authority to judge the people at all times
Moses had them bring the hard cases to him
Moses gave them freedom to judge every small case
Moses allowed his father-in-law to depart

Moses saw Jethro return to his own land

#### III. Israel Experienced the Revelation of God -19:1-40:38

A. God revealed His holiness through the giving of the Law - 19:1-24:18

1. the people made a covenant to keep the Law - 19:1-25

a. the covenant was made at Mt. Sinai - 19:1-4

the people of Israel came to the wilderness of Sinai in the third month
the people left Rephidim and came to the desert of Sinai
the people camped in the wilderness
the people camped close to Mt. Sinai
the people saw Moses go up the mountain to meet God
God told Moses what to speak to the people of Israel
God told Moses to remind them of what He did to Egypt
God said He carried them on eagles' wings
God said He brought the people to Himself

b. the covenant was between God and Israel - 19:5-8

God gave the people a promise if they would obey His voice
God gave the people a promise if they would keep His covenant
God said Israel would be a special treasure to Him above all people
God said that Israel would be a kingdom of priests and a holy nation
God told Moses to speak all these words to Israel
Moses called the elders of the people and spoke to them
Moses told the elders all that God had said
Moses heard the elders say they would do all God commanded
Moses went back and told the Lord what the elders said

c. the covenant was to be with a cleansed people - 19:9-13

God told Moses that He would come to the people in a thick cloud no man can see the face of God and live - Exodus 33:20
God said the people could listen as He spoke to Moses
God told the people to prepare to meet with Him
God told them to be ready on the third day
God said that He would come down in the sight of all of the people
God told the people not to touch the mountain
God said any who touched the mountain would die
God said not to touch the mountain or they would be stoned
God said a trumpet would sound long when they were to come near

- d. the covenant allowed the people to hear God speak 19:14-19
- 1) Moses came down and gave the message to the people 19:14-15

Moses went down from the mountain

Moses told the people to prepare to meet God

Moses told the people to be ready on the third day

2) Moses led the people to the foot of the mountain to hear God - 19:16-19

the Lord caused thunder and lightning on the mountain
the Lord caused the people to hear a loud trumpet
the Lord saw that the people in the camp trembled
the Lord had Moses lead the people out of the camp
the Lord had Moses lead them to the lower part of the mountain
the Lord caused the entire mountain to be covered with smoke
the Lord came down on the mountain in the fire
the Lord caused the mountain to be filled with smoke and to quake
the Lord caused the trumpet to sound louder and louder
the Lord answered Moses when he spoke

- e. the covenant reminded the people of the holiness of God 19:20-25
- 1) Moses was told to warn the people to stay away from the mountain 19:20-23

the Lord came down to meet Moses on the top of Mt. Sinai
the Lord gave the people the opportunity to hear - Exodus 19:9
the Lord called Moses up to the top of the mountain
the Lord told Moses to go down and warn the people
the Lord told Moses to warn the people so that they would not perish
the Lord told Moses to speak to the priests
the Lord told Moses to tell the priests to sanctify themselves
the Lord heard that Moses had already warned the people
the Lord heard that Moses had set a boundary around the mountain

2) Moses went down and warned the people - 19:24-25

the Lord told Moses to go down and warn them again the Lord told Moses to bring Aaron with him up the mountain the Lord told Moses to warn the people to avoid the mountain the Lord saw Moses go down the mountain and speak to the people

- 2. the people were given the Ten Commandments 20:1-26
- a. the Ten Commandments deal with man's relationship with God 20:1-11
  - 1) the Lord gave the first commandment 20:1-3

the Lord gave Moses all of the commandments
the Lord reminded Moses that He is the Lord
the Lord reminded Moses that He brought them out of the land of Egypt
the Lord reminded Moses that He brought them out of the land of bondage
the Lord said we are to have no other gods before Him

2) the Lord gave the second commandment - 20:4-6

the Lord said that man is not to make any carved image to worship the Lord said they were not to make any likeness of anything in heaven the Lord said they were not to make any likeness of anything on earth the Lord said they were not to make any likeness of anything in the water the Lord said man is not to bow down or serve any image the Lord said that He is a jealous God the Lord said He visits sin to the third and fourth generation the Lord shows mercy to those who love and obey Him

3) the Lord gave the third commandment - 20:7

the Lord said that no one is to take His name in vain the Lord said that He will not hold such a person guiltless

4) the Lord gave the fourth commandment - 20:8-11

the Lord said to remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy
the Lord said the seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord
the Lord said the people were not to do any work on that day
the Lord said they were not to make their animals work on that day
the Lord said they were not to make strangers work on that day
the Lord said that He made the heaven, earth, and sea in six days
the Lord said He made everything in them in six days
the Lord said that He rested on the seventh day
the Lord said that He blessed the seventh day
God rested on the seventh day - Genesis 2:2-3

## b. the Ten Commandments deal with man's relationship to others - 20:12-17

1) the Lord gave the fifth command - 20:12

the fifth command is honor our father and mother the fifth commandment also contains a promise those who honor their parents will often be given long life this is the first commandment that contains a promise - Ephesians 6:1-3

# 2) the Lord gave the sixth command - 20:13

the sixth commandment forbids murder the Hebrew language has several words for kill the specific word used here can only mean murder this commandment protects the sacredness of life

3) the Lord gave the seventh command - 20:14

the seventh command forbids adultery this command protects the sacredness of marriage

4) the Lord gave the eighth command - 20:15

the eight command forbids stealing this command protects the right to private property

5) the Lord gave the ninth command - 20:16

the ninth command forbids bearing false witness against your neighbor this command protects the right to have truthful testimony given

6) the Lord gave the tenth command - 20:17

the tenth command forbids coveting anything that belongs to another the command forbids coveting the house of a neighbor the command forbids coveting the wife of a neighbor the command forbids coveting the servant of a neighbor the command forbids coveting an animal of a neighbor the command forbids coveting anything of a neighbor this command shows that inner thoughts are what produce sinful actions (thoughts lead to attitudes and attitudes lead to actions)

#### c. the Ten Commandments caused the people to fear God - 20:18-23

1) the people saw the power of God - 20:18

the people saw the thunder and lightning the people heard the sound of the trumpet the people saw the mountain smoking the people moved away from the mountain in fear the people stood a long way from the mountain

2) the people did not want God to speak to them - 20:19

the people asked Moses to speak to them
the people said that they would listen to the words that Moses spoke
the people were afraid they would die if God spoke to them

3) the people were given a message from God - 20:20-23

Moses told the people not to be afraid

the fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom - Proverbs 9:10

Moses said that the Lord came to test the people

Moses said the Lord did this so they would fear God and avoid sin

Moses went to the mountain while the people stood afar off

Moses was told what to tell the people of Israel

Moses was to say they had seen God talk from heaven

Moses was to tell them not to make gods of gold or silver

this was forbidden by the second commandment - Exodus 20:4

#### d. the Ten Commandments showed the reason for sacrifices - 20:24-26

the people were to make an altar of earth
the people were to sacrifice their burnt offerings on it
the people were to sacrifice their peace offerings on it
the people were to use the altar to sacrifice sheep and oxen
the people were to offer sacrifices wherever they went
the people would see the Lord bless them if they were obedient
the people were given instructions about an altar of stone
the people heard that they were not to build an altar of hewn stone
the people heard that hewn stone would pollute the altar
the people were not to build steps up to their altar
the people were not to expose their nakedness

- 3. the people were given laws concerning slaves 21:1-11
  - a. the laws relating to a male Hebrew servant 21:1-6
- 1) a male Hebrew servant normally only served for six years 21:1-2

the Lord gave the people ordinances to guide them
the Lord said that they could take a male Hebrew as a servant
the Lord said that a male Hebrew servant would serve for six years
the Lord said that a male Hebrew servant would go free in the seventh year

2) a male Hebrew servant was freed with what he came - 21:3-4

a male servant who came by himself went out by himself a male servant that came with a wife went out with his wife a male servant could be given a wife by his master a male servant would leave his wife and children if he was freed

3) a male Hebrew servant could choose to be a servant for life - 21:5-6

a male servant might love his master, wife and children a male servant could choose in that case not to go free a male servant would then be brought to the judges a male servant would then have his ear pierced with an awl a male servant would then be a love slave forever the New Testament gives a much greater meaning - Philemon 1:15-16

b. the laws related to buying a wife - 21:7-11

1) a female Hebrew was sold to be a wife not a slave - 21:7-9

a female could be sold as a maidservant (wife)
a female was treated differently than a male servant
a female might not please the man that had betrothed her
a female could then be redeemed by her family
a female could not be sold to a foreign nation because he had deceived her
a female betrothed to a son was to be treated as a daughter

2) a female Hebrew was not to be mistreated - 21:10-11

a man who took a second wife could not decrease his care for a wife a man who did decrease his care for his wife had to set her free 4. the people were given laws concerning personal injuries - 21:12-36

a. the punishment for killing a person - 21:12-14

a man who killed another person was to be put to death a man who accidentally killed could flee to the place God appointed a man who premeditated to kill his neighbor was to die a person who premeditated to kill was to be taken from the altar and killed

b. the punishment of crimes that brought death - 21:15-17

a person who strikes his parent was to be put to death children are to honor their parents - Exodus 20:12 a person who kidnaps any person was to be put to death a person who cursed his parent was to be put to death

c. the punishment for injuring another person while fighting - 21:18-19

two men might fight and one strikes another with a stone two men might fight and one strikes another with a fist in some cases, a man might be injured and confined to his bed later, he might be able to walk again and resume his normal life the one who hit him was to pay for the loss of his time the one who hit him was to pay for him to be thoroughly healed

d. the punishment for killing a servant - 21:20-21

a person might strike a male or female servant a person might even cause that servant to die a person who caused a servant to die was to be punished a person who hit a servant that did not die was not punished a person was actually hurting himself by hurting his servant

e. the punishment for causing a miscarriage - 21:22

two men might be fighting and hurt a woman with child this might cause the woman to have the child prematurely in some cases, it might not injure the woman the man who hurt the woman was to be punished the man who hurt the woman was to give a penalty to the husband the man who hurt the woman would pay what the judges determined

a person would lose their life if they took the life of another
a person would lose an eye for an eye
a person would lose a tooth for a tooth
a person would lose a hand for a hand
a person would lose a foot for a foot
a person would receive burning for burning
a person would receive a wound for a wound
a person would receive stripes for stripes

g. the punishment for injuring a servant - 21:26-27

if a person put out the eye of a servant, he had to let the servant go free if a person put out the tooth of a servant, he had to let the servant go free

h. the punishment if your ox caused injury - 21:28-32

a person might have an ox that gored a person and killed that person the person was to have the ox stoned and the flesh was not eaten the person that owned the ox would go free a person might have an ox that had pushed with his horns in the past the person had been warned about the fact that the ox was a danger the person had not kept the ox in a pen or corral the person would have his ox killed if he killed a person the person that owned the ox would also be killed the person could be allowed to pay a ransom for his life this was allowed if it was a child the person had to pay 30 shekels of silver if it was a servant the person also had to put the ox to death

i. the punishment for other accidental injuries - 21:33-36

a person might dig a pit and not cover it
that might result in another person's ox or donkey falling in
the owner of the pit would have to pay for the ox or donkey
the owner of the pit would receive the dead animal
a person might see his ox attack another man's ox
if the ox had not pushed before, they were to sell the live ox and split the money
the ox may have pushed before and the owner had not kept him in
the owner of the ox had to pay the price of the ox and got the dead ox

## 5. the people were given laws concerning theft - 22:1-4

one who stole an ox and sold or killed it had to pay back five oxen one who stole a sheep and sold or killed it had to pay back four sheep one who killed someone while breaking in at night was not guilty of bloodshed one who killed someone while breaking in during the day was guilty one who stole and could not make restitution was sold as a servant one who stole and still had the ox, donkey, or sheep had to pay back double

## 6. the people were given laws concerning property damage - 22:5-6

if a man feeds an animal in another's field, he has to repay from his best if a man sets a fire that burns someone's crop, he has to repay from his crop

- 7. the people were given laws concerning dishonesty 22:7-15
- a. dealing with the consequences of theft of money or possessions 22:7-9

a man might have a neighbor keep money or things for him if it was stolen, the thief had to pay double if he was caught if the man said it was stolen and no thief was caught, it was brought to judges the judges had to determine if the neighbor stole it himself when someone accused another of stealing, it had to be brought to the judges if the judges determined a man stole, he had to pay double if the judges determined a man was lying, he had to pay the one he accused these laws showed that sinful actions always have bad consequences

# b. dealing with the consequences of theft of animals - 22:10-13

a man might have a neighbor keep an animal
if the animal died, was hurt, or was driven away with no one seeing, the
man who had it was to give an oath before the Lord that he had not stolen it
if the animal was stolen, the one who stole had to make restitution
if the animal was torn by wild animals, there was no restitution

# c. dealing with the consequences when things are borrowed - 22:14-15

if a man borrowed an animal from a neighbor and it was hurt or died, the man who borrowed it had to pay for the animal if a man hired a neighbor and his animal to work and the animal died, the man who owned the animal was responsible for his own animal 8. the people were given laws concerning seducing a virgin - 22:16-17

if a man seduced a virgin and had sexual relationships with her, the man had to pay her father and take her as his wife if the father refused to give her to the man that seduced her, the man still had to pay her father the dowry of virgins

- 9. the people were given laws concerning their relationships with other people 22:18-23:9
  - a. laws about things that required the death penalty 22:18-20

a person who became a sorceress was to be put to death a person who had sex with animals was to be put to death a person who sacrificed to a false god was to be put to death this was the penalty for breaking the first commandment - Exodus 20:3

b. laws about those who would take advantage of others - 22:21-24

the people were not to take advantage of a foreigner
the people were to remember they had been foreigners in Egypt
the people were not to take advantage of a widow
the people were not to take advantage of a fatherless child
God gave a warning to those who would take advantage
God said that they could cry to Him
God said that He would hear their cry
God said that His wrath would become hot
God said He would kill them with the sword
God said their own wives would become widows
God said their own children would become fatherless
God says people will reap what they sow - Galatians 6:7

c. laws about lending to other Israelites - 22:25-27

God told them what to avoid when they lended money to the poor God said they were not to be a moneylender and charge interest God told them what to do if they took a neighbor's coat as a pledge God said they were to return it to him before the sun went down God said that was his covering for sleep God said that was how he would keep his skin warm God said He would hear when they cried to Him God said that He would be gracious

#### d. laws about responsibilities to God - 22:28-31

the people were not to revile God
the people were not to curse the ruler of their people
the people were not to delay to offer the first ripe of their fruit
the people were to give their firstborn sons to the Lord
the people were to give their firstborn oxen and sheep to the Lord
the people were to do this on the eighth day
the people were to be holy to the Lord
the people were not to eat meat killed by beasts in the fields

- e. laws to help the people practice justice 23:1-9
- 1) the people were to practice justice with one another 23:1-3

the people were not to give a false report
the people were not to join the wicked and give a wrong report
the people were not to follow a crowd to do evil
the people were not to take a bribe to pervert justice
the people were not to show partiality to the poor man in his dispute

2) the people were to help a person with his animals - 23:4-5

the people were to act when they saw an enemy's animal going astray
the people were to bring the animal back to its owner
the people might see a donkey that was overloaded
the people were not to ignore the donkey and its owner
the people were to help even an enemy with his donkey

3) the people were not to pervert justice or take a bribe - 23:6-9

the people were not to take advantage of the poor in his dispute
the people were to keep themselves far from what is false
the people were not to kill the innocent or the righteous
the people were to know that God will not justify the wicked
the people were not to take a bribe from another person
the people were to realize a bribe blinds the discerning
the people were to realize a bribe perverts the words of the righteous
the people were not to oppress a stranger
the people knew how a stranger felt in his heart
the people were to remember they were strangers in Egypt

10. the people were given laws concerning worship - 23:10-19

a. the people were to let the land rest in the seventh year - 23:10-11

the people were to plant their fields for six years
the people were to gather their harvest for six years
the people were to let the land rest and lie fallow in the seventh year
the people were to make it possible for the poor to gather and eat
the people were to allow the animals to eat what was left
the people were to do the same with their vineyard and olive grove

b. the people were to have a weekly day of rest - 23:12-13

the people were to do their work in six days
the people were to rest on the seventh day
the people were to allow their animals to rest
the people were to allow the son of their female servant to rest
the people were to allow the stranger to be refreshed
the people were not to mention the name of other gods

c. the people were to observe three feasts each year - 23:14-19

1) the people were to keep the Feast of Unleavened Bread - 23:14-15

the people were to gather for three feasts each year
the people were to gather for the Feast of Unleavened Bread
the people were to eat unleavened bread for seven days
the people were to eat the unleavened bread in the month Abib
the people were to remember how they came out of Egypt
the people were not to appear before the Lord empty-handed

2) the people were to keep the Feast of Harvest and Feast of Ingathering - 23:16

the people were to gather for the Feast of Harvest (the first harvest) the people were to gather for the Feast of Ingathering (the final harvest)

3) the people were to gather together for these three feasts 23:17-19

the people were to gather together three times each year the people were not to offer the blood with leavened bread the people were to bring the firstfruits of their land the people were not to boil a young goat in its mother's milk 11. the people were given laws concerning conquest - 23:20-33

a. the Lord said He would send His angel before the people - 23:20-23

God sent His angel before Israel to keep them in the way
God sent His angel to bring them into the land
God warned the people to beware of His voice and obey Him
God warned them not to provoke His angel
God said His angel would not pardon their transgressions
God said His name was in His angel
God promised them blessings if they would obey His voice
God said He would be an enemy to their enemies
God said He would be an adversary to their adversaries
God said His angel would go before them
God said His angel would bring them into the land
God said His angel would cut off the people of the land

b. the Lord told them He would bless them if they worshiped Him - 23:24-26

God told them not to bow down to or serve the gods of the land
God told them not to follow the works of the people
God told them to break down their gods and overthrow their pillars
God promised He would bless them if they would serve Him
God said He would take away sickness and protect them from miscarriages
God promised to fulfill the number of their days

c. the Lord said He would cause the people of the land to fear - 23:27-30

God said He would bring fear and confusion to their enemies
God said He would make the enemies turn their backs
God said He would send hornets to drive out the people of the land
God said He would not drive out the enemies in one year
God said that would cause the beasts of the field to multiply

d. the Lord told them what would be their boundaries - 23:31-33

God gave them the boundaries of the land
God said He would drive out their enemies before them
God told them not to make a covenant with the people of the land
God said the enemies would cause them to sin
God said if they served their gods, the gods would be a snare to them

12. the people promised to obey the law - 24:1-8

a. Moses was told to come to the mountain alone - 24:1-2

Moses was told to have the leaders worship from afar Moses was told to come alone and not bring the leaders with him

b. Moses told the people what God had said - 24:3-6

Moses came and told the people the words and judgments of the Lord
Moses heard the people say that they would do all that God commanded
Moses wrote down all of the words of the Lord
Moses built an altar at the foot of the mountain with twelve pillars
Moses sent the young men to offer burnt offerings and peace offerings
Moses sprinkled half of the blood on the altar

c. Moses wrote in a book what God had said - 24:7-8

the people had the Book of the Covenant read to them the people said that they would do all God commanded and be obedient Moses sprinkled the rest of the blood on the people to radify the covenant

13. the people saw the glory of the Lord - 24:9-18

a. Moses took the leaders to see the glory of God - 24:9-11

Moses took the leaders to see the God of Israel
Moses and the leaders saw the paved work under His feet
Moses said that God did not lay His hand on the nobles of Israel
Moses and the leaders saw the feet of God and ate and drank

b. Moses was told he would receive the law on tablets of stone - 24:12-14

Moses was told that God would give him tablets of stone on the mountain Moses was told these would have the law so he could teach the law to the people Moses and Joshua only went to the mountain of God and told the elders to wait

c. Moses went up the mountain and into the cloud - 24:15-18

Moses went to the mountain and the glory of the Lord was on the mountain Moses saw the glory of the Lord was like a consuming fire Moses went into the cloud and was on the mountain 40 days and 40 nights

- B. God gave instructions for the building of the tabernacle 25:1-31:18
  - 1. the tabernacle was to be made from various materials 25:1-9
- a. the Lord said the people were to give an offering from a willing heart 25:1-2

the Lord spoke to Moses and gave him instructions
the Lord told Moses to have the people bring an offering to the Lord
the Lord told Moses that the people were to only give with a willing heart

b. the people were told the things to include in the offering - 25:3-9

the people could bring an offering of precious metals
the people could bring an offering of various kinds of materials
the people could bring an offering of skins to cover the tabernacle
the people could bring oil for lights and spices for incense
the people could bring precious stones for the ephod and breastplate
the people were to make a sanctuary so God could dwell among them
the people were to build the tabernacle according to the pattern of God

- 2. the tabernacle would contain the ark of the Covenant 25:10-22
- a. the Lord gave Moses instructions for the ark of the Covenant 25:10-20

the people were to make an ark 45 inches long
the people were to make the ark 27 inches high and 27 inches wide
the people were to overlay the ark with pure gold and build a top rim of gold
the people were to make 4 rings of gold, 2 for each side of the ark
the people were to make 2 poles of wood and cover them with gold
the people were to put the poles in the rings on the sides of the ark
the people were to carry the ark by these two poles
the people were not to remove the two poles from the ark
the people were to put the tablets of stones (the Testimony) in the ark
the people were to put a mercy seat on the entire top of the ark
the people were to make two cherubim of gold to cover the mercy seat
the people were to put one cherub on each end of the ark
the cherubim were to face each other so their wings could cover the

b. the Lord gave Moses instructions for the mercy seat - 25:21-22

the mercy seat would be on top of the ark so that it covered the Testimony the mercy seat would be the place where God met with mankind

- 3. the tabernacle would contain the Table of Showbread 25:23-30
  - a. the description of the Table of Showbread 25:23-26

the table was to be 3 feet long, 18 inches wide and 27 inches high the table was to be overlaid with pure gold the table was to have a gold molding around the edge the frame was to be a handbreadth all the way around the frame was also to have a gold molding all around the table was to have four gold rings on the four corners

b. the things related to the Table of Showbread - 25:27-29

they were to make rings where they could place the poles
they were to make the poles of acacia wood
they were to overlay the poles with gold
they were to make poles to carry the table
they were to make dishes and pans
they were to make pitchers and bowls for pouring
they were to make these of pure gold

c. the bread on the Table of Showbread - 25:30

the bread on this table reminded Israel that God provided
the bread was to include one loaf for each tribe
the bread was to be replaced once each week - Leviticus 24:5-9
the bread pictured the fact that Christ is the Bread of Life
Christ said He is the Bread of Life - John 6:35

- 4. the tabernacle would contain the Golden Lampstand 25:31-40
  - a. the description of the Golden Lampstand 25:31-39

the lampstand was to be made of pure gold
the shaft, branches, bowls, knobs, and flowers were to be one piece
the lampstand would have three branches on each side
each branch was to have three bowls and a flower of pure gold
the lampstand itself was to have four bowls of almonds and a flower
this would also be true of each of the six branches
the whole lamp was to be one piece of pure gold
the lamp pictured the fact that Christ is the Light of the world - John 8:12

## b. the importance of making it after the pattern God gave - 25:40

the furniture was to be made after the pattern God had showed
God reminded Moses several times to follow the pattern - Exodus 26:30
the tabernacle was used to teach many lessons in the book of Hebrews
the pattern had been shown to Moses on the mountain
the Lord taught many things in Hebrews from this pattern

## 5. the tabernacle would have curtains and coverings - 26:1-14

#### a. the curtains of linen - 26:1-6

they were to make ten curtains of fine woven linen these curtains were to be of blue, purple, and scarlet thread these curtains were to have artistic designs of cherubim in them these curtains were to be the same, 42 feet long and 6 feet wide these curtains were to be connected in two groups of five these curtains each had fifty loops on the end to connect them these curtains had fifty gold clasps to hold the curtains together these curtains could only be seen from the inside

# b. the curtains of goat's hair - 26:7-13

they were to make eleven curtains of goats' hair these curtains were to be a tent over the tabernacle these curtains were to be 45 feet long these curtains were to be 6 feet wide these curtains were all to have the same measurements these curtains were to be connected, 5 together and 6 together the sixth curtain was to provide a double covering for the front these curtains each had fifty loops on the end to connect them these were to be connected with fifty bronze clasps the half curtain extra would hang over the back of the tabernacle these curtains provided protection for the linen curtains

# c. the coverings of skins - 26:14

they were also to make a covering of rams skins they were to dye this covering red they were to put a covering of badgers' skins above that these skins provided protection from the weather

#### 6. the tabernacle would be made of boards - 26:15-30

a. the boards of the tabernacle - 26:15-25

the tabernacle was to be made of boards of acacia wood that stood upright the tabernacle boards were to be 15 feet high and 27 inches wide the tabernacle boards each had two tenons to connect them the tabernacle had 20 boards on the south side and 20 on the north side the tabernacle boards each had 2 sockets of silver to connect the tenons the tabernacle was made of six boards on the west side the tabernacle had two special boards for the back corners the tabernacle corner boards were to be connected top and bottom the tabernacle corner boards had a top and bottom ring to connect them the eight tabernacle boards at the back each had two silver sockets

b. the boards of the tabernacle were held together by bars - 26:26-28

the three sides each had five bars running their length the three sides were held together by these bars the middle bar went through the boards to hold them together

c. the boards were to be covered with gold - 26:29-30

the boards and their bars were covered with gold they were to set up the tabernacle according to the pattern shown to Moses

7. the tabernacle would contain two veils - 26:31-37

a. the inner veil of the tabernacle - 26:31-35

they were to make a veil of blue, purple, and scarlet woven linen
they were to make the veil with artistic design of cherubim
they were to hang it on four pillars of acacia wood overlaid with gold
they were to make the hooks of gold and sockets of silver
they were to bring the Ark of the Covenant with the mercy seat behind the veil
they were to put the altar against the veil
they were to put the lampstand on the south and the table on the north

b. the outer veil of the tabernacle - 26:36-37

the front of the tabernacle was to be woven linen of blue, purple, and scarlet the curtains of the tabernacle were to be held up by pillars of acacia

#### 8. the tabernacle would contain the bronze altar - 27:1-8

the bronze altar was made of acacia wood
the bronze altar was 7 1/2 feet long, 7 1/2 feet wide and 4 1/2 feet tall
the bronze altar had 4 horns on the corners overlaid with bronze
the bronze altar had several pieces of equipment to go with it
(pans for ashes, shovels, basins, forks, and firepans all of bronze)
the altar had a grate of bronze with four bronze rings at the corners
the grate was to be under the altar with the grate half way up inside
they were to make poles of acacia wood overlaid with bronze to carry the altar
the poles were to be put in rings on the two sides to carry the altar
the altar would be hollow on the inside (except for the grate)
the altar was to be made according to the plan shown on the mountain

#### 9. the tabernacle would have an outer court - 27:9-19

there was to be an outer court around the tabernacle the south side would be of fine woven linen 150 feet long the south side would be held up by 20 pillars and their sockets of bronze the hooks and the bands of the pillars would be of silver the north side would be just like the south side the west side would be 75 feet with 10 pillars and 10 sockets the east side would be 75 feet with a gate in the middle each side of the gate would be 22 1/2 feet supported by three pillars the gate would be made of blue, purple, and scarlet thread the gate would be fine linen woven by a weaver the gate would have four pillars and four sockets all of the pillars would have bands and hooks of silver and sockets of bronze the court of the tabernacle was to be 150 feet by 75 feet all of the utensils of the tabernacle would be made of bronze

## 10. the tabernacle would use a special oil - 27:20-21

the people were to bring pure oil of pressed olives for light
the lamp in the tabernacle was to burn continually
the tabernacle of meeting was to have priests there continually
these priests were to be outside the veil in the tabernacle courtyard
they were to have people there from the evening until the morning
this was to be a commandment forever
they were to be there on the behalf of Israel

- 11. the tabernacle would have priests whose garments are described 28:1-43
  - a. the priests would have garments for glory and for beauty 28:1-2

Aaron and his sons were to minister as priests
Aaron was to have holy garments made for him to wear
Aaron was to have these garments for glory and for beauty

b. the high priest would have special garments - 28:3-5

God told Moses to speak to all who were gifted artisans
God said that He had filled them with wisdom
God had equipped them to make Aaron's garments and listed them
(a breastplate, an ephod, a robe, a skillfully woven tunic, a turban and a sash)
God called the gifted artisans to make these so Aaron could minister as priest
God said they were to make fine linen of gold, blue, purple, and scarlet thread

# c. the high priest would have an ephod - 28:6-14

God said they were to make fine woven linen artistically worked
God said to make the ephod of gold, blue, purple, and scarlet artistically worked
God said the ephod would have two shoulder straps to join it together
the intricately woven band of the ephod had the same materials
the ephod would have two stones with the names of six tribes on each
the two stones would be on the shoulders of the ephod
there would also be two chains of pure gold braid fastened to the settings

## d. the high priest would have the breastplate - 28:15-29

God said to make a breastplate of judgment artistically woven like the ephod the breastplate would have four rows with three stones each set in gold settings the twelve stones would have the names of the twelve tribes on them the breastplate would have two chains of braided gold the two chains would be attached to two rings on the ends of the breastplate these two chains attached the breastplate to the straps of the ephod two rings of gold attached the breastplate to the inner side of the ephod two other rings of gold attached to the under side of the ephod the rings bound the breastplate to the ephod by a blue cord this was to prevent the breastplate from coming loose from the ephod Aaron was to bear the name of Israel over his heart Aaron was to wear the breastplate when he went into the holy place Aaron was to do this as a memorial to the Lord continually

### e. the high priest would have the Urim and Thummin - 28:30

they were to put the Urim and the Thummin into the breastplate they were to put the Urim and Thummin over the heart of Aaron Aaron was to wear the Urim and Thummin when he went into the tabernacle Aaron was to bear the judgment of the people of Israel over his heart Aaron was to have the people on his heart continually before the Lord

## f. the high priest would have the robe of the ephod - 28:31-35

they were to make the robe of the ephod of blue
they were to put an opening for his head in the middle of it
they were to put a woven binding all around this opening to prevent tearing
they were to put pomegranates of blue, purple, and scarlet around the bottom
they were to put bells of gold between the pomegranates
they would hear the sound of the bells as the high priest did his ministry
this was done so that he would not die

## g. the high priest would have the holy crown - 28:36-38

they were to make a plate of pure gold that said HOLINESS TO THE LORD they were to attach this to his turban with a blue cord they were to put this on the forehead of Aaron this was so that he bore the iniquity of the holy things this was a constant reminder to approach God with reverence this was to be warning in order for the blood to be accepted by the Lord

## h. the high priest would have things of needlework - 28:39

they were to skillfully weave the tunic with fine linen thread they were to make the turban of fine linen they were to make the sash of woven work

# i. the priests would also have garments - 28:40-43

they were to make tunics, sashes, and hats for Aaron's sons
these were to be for glory and for beauty
they were to consecrate and sanctify them so they could serve as priests
they were to make linen trousers to cover their nakedness
these were to be worn by Aaron and his sons in the sanctuary
this was so they would not die when they came near to the altar or holy place

- 12. the tabernacle would be the place where the priests were dedicated 29:1-46
  - a. the dedication of the priests 29:1-9
  - 1) the sacrifices for the priests 29:1-4

Moses was told to sanctify Aaron and his sons for the priesthood
Moses was told to offer one young bull and two rams without blemish
Moses was told to take unleavened bread, cakes, and wafers to offer
Moses was to put the unleavened things in one basket
Moses was to bring the basket with the bull and two rams
Moses was to wash Aaron and his sons with water by the door of the tabernacle

## 2) the consecration of the priests - 29:5-9

Moses was to put the garments of the high priest on Aaron
Moses was to put the turban on his head and put the holy crown on the turban
Moses was to pour the anointing oil on the head of Aaron
Moses was to put the tunics, sashes, and hats on Aaron's sons
Moses was to consecrate them for a perpetual priesthood

b. the sacrifices for the dedication - 29:10-25

1) the offering of a bull - 29:10-14

Moses was to have Aaron and his sons put their hands on the head of the bull Moses was to kill the bull by the door of the tabernacle of meeting Moses was to put blood on the horns of the altar and pour the rest beside it Moses was to burn the fat on the altar and burn the bull outside the camp

2) the offering of the first ram - 29:15-18

Moses was to sprinkle the blood of the first ram all around on the altar Moses was to burn it as a burnt offering to the Lord as a sweet aroma

3) the offering of the second ram - 29:19-25

Moses was to put the blood of the second on their right ear, thumb, and big toe Moses was to sprinkle some of the blood on the garments of Aaron and his sons Moses was to burn part of the ram and give the things in the basket to Aaron Moses was to give Aaron and his sons a wave offering for the Lord Moses was to receive and burn the things in the basket as an offering from them

### c. the food of the priests - 29:26-37

1) the food from Aaron's ram of consecration - 29:26-30

Aaron and his sons were to receive the breast of the ram to eat
Aaron was first to present the breast as a wave offering (horizontal)
Aaron was then to present the thigh as a heave offering (vertical)
Aaron and his sons would continue to receive these offerings
Aaron's clothes were to be passed on to the son that became high priest
Aaron's son would then wear them seven days when he ministered

2) the food they were to eat for seven days - 29:31-37

Aaron and his sons were to boil the ram of consecration in the holy place
Aaron and his sons were to eat the flesh of the ram and the bread
Aaron and his sons were to eat them and consecrate them as holy
Aaron and his sons were to burn whatever they did not eat
Aaron and his sons were to be consecrated for seven days
Aaron and his sons were to offer a bull each day as a sin offering
Aaron and his sons were to cleanse the altar and make atonement for it
Aaron and his sons were to do this for seven days as the altar was to be holy

d. the continual burnt offering - 29:38-46

1) God told them to offer a continual burnt offering - 29:38-44

Israel was to offer two lambs each day continually
Israel was to offer one in the morning and the second in the evening
Israel was to offer flour, oil, and wine with these offerings
Israel was to offer these offerings as a sweet aroma by fire to the Lord
Israel was to offer these offerings as a continual burnt offering
Israel was to offer these offerings at the tabernacle where God spoke to them
Israel was promised that God would meet them and speak to them
Israel heard God would consecrate the tabernacle and the priests

2) God said that He would dwell among the people - 29:45-46

God said He would dwell among the people of Israel
God said that He would be their God
God said that they would know that He brought them up out of Egypt
God said He would dwell among them as He is the Lord their God

#### 13. the tabernacle would have an altar of incense - 30:1-10

a. the description of the altar of incense - 30:1-5

the Lord gave instructions for the altar of incense the Lord said they were to burn incense on the altar the Lord said it was to be made of acacia wood the Lord said it was to be 18 inches by 18 inches the Lord said the altar of incense was to be 3 feet high the Lord also said the horns would be one piece with it the Lord said to overlay the entire altar with pure gold the Lord said to make a molding of gold around the edge the Lord said to make two rings under the molding on each side the Lord said these would be the holders for the poles to carry it the Lord said to make the poles of acacia wood overlaid with gold

## b. the ministry of the altar of incense - 30:6-10

the Lord said to place it next to the veil opposite the Ark of the Covenant the Lord reminded them He would meet them at the mercy seat the Lord reminded them the mercy seat was on the Ark of the Covenant the Lord said Aaron was to burn incense on the altar every morning the Lord said Aaron was to do this when he added oil to the lamps the Lord said Aaron was to do the same thing every evening the Lord said this was to be done permanently the Lord said they were not to offer anything else on the altar the Lord said Aaron was to put blood on the horns once a year the Lord said this was most holy unto the Lord

# 14. the tabernacle service would be paid for by the atonement money - 30:11-16

the Lord told Moses to take a census of all the men of Israel
the Lord said each man was to give a ransom for himself
the Lord said this was to prevent any plague among the people
the Lord said each man was to give half a shekel as an offering to the Lord
the Lord said every man 20 years and older was to give an offering
the Lord said the rich would not give more or the poor less
the Lord said that this offering was an atonement for each man
the Lord said the money was to be used for the service of the tabernacle
the Lord said this was to be a memorial for the people before the Lord
the Lord said it was to make atonement for their souls

the Lord spoke to Moses again
the Lord told Moses to make a laver of bronze
the Lord said this was for washing between the tabernacle and the altar
the Lord said that they were to put water in the laver
the Lord said that Aaron and his sons were to wash their hands and feet
the Lord said they were to do this when they came into the tabernacle
the Lord said they were to do this before they offered a burnt offering
the Lord said they were to wash or they would die
the Lord said they and their descendents were to do this forever

## 16. the tabernacle would have a special anointing oil - 30:22-33

the Lord gave instructions about how to make the anointing oil the Lord said the oil would contain myrrh, sweet cinnamon, sweet smelling cane, cassia, and olive oil the Lord said they were to make from these a holy anointing oil the Lord said they were to anoint the tabernacle they were to anoint the Ark of the Covenant the Lord said they were to anoint all of the pieces of furniture the Lord said that they were to consecrate them so they would be holy the Lord said that whoever touched any of them must be holy the Lord said that they were to anoint Aaron and his sons as priests the Lord said to tell Israel this would be their anointing oil permanently the Lord said this oil was not to be poured on any man's flesh the Lord said they were not to make any other oil like it the Lord said anyone who disobeyed would be cut off from Israel

## 17. the tabernacle would have a special incense - 30:34-38

the Lord said they were to make a special incense for the tabernacle the Lord said this incense would include equal amounts of sweet spices, stacte, onycha, galbanum, and pure frankincense the Lord said they were to make these things into an incense the Lord said they were to be incense that was salted, pure, and holy the Lord said they were to beat some of it until it was very fine the Lord said they were to put some of it before the Ark of the Covenant the Lord said that was where He would meet them and it was to be most holy the Lord said they were not to make any incense like it for themselves the Lord said the person who did was to be cut off from His people

### 18. the tabernacle would be built by Spirit-filled craftsmen - 31:1-11

a. the Lord told about the ministry of Bezalel - 31:1-5

the Lord gave Moses instructions about the workers
the Lord said that He had called Bezalel by name
the Lord said He had filled Bezalel with the Spirit of God
the Lord said He had given him understanding and knowledge
the Lord said He equipped him to design skillful works
the Lord said He equipped him to work with gold, silver and bronze
the Lord said He equipped him to cut and set stones and carve timber

## b. the Lord told about the ministry of Aholiab - 31:6-11

the Lord said He had given Aholiab to help Bezalel
the Lord said that He had also equipped other wisehearted people
the Lord said He had given them wisdom to make all He commanded
the Lord said these people would make the tabernacle of meeting
the Lord said these people would make the Ark of the Covenant and mercy seat
the Lord said they would make all of the other furniture
the Lord said they would make the garments for ministry
the Lord said they would make the anointing oil and sweet incense
the Lord said they were equipped to do all that He commanded

## 19. the tabernacle would have the sign of the Sabbath - 31:12-18

the Lord then spoke to Moses again the Lord told Moses to speak to the people to keep His Sabbaths the Lord said the Sabbaths would be a permanent sign to Israel the Lord said the Sabbaths would remind them He sanctifies them the Lord said they were to keep the Sabbath because it was holy to them the Lord said any who profaned the Sabbath was to be put to death the Lord said any who worked on the Sabbath would be cut off the Lord told them to do their work in six days and rest on the seventh the Lord said any who worked on the Sabbath was to be put to death the Lord said Israel was to observe the Sabbath continually the Lord said the Sabbath was a sign between Him and Israel the Lord said He made the heavens and earth in six days the Lord said He rested and was refreshed on the seventh day the Lord finished speaking to Moses on the mountain the Lord gave Moses two tablets of the Testimony the Lord gave Moses the Law written by the finger of God

- C. God dealt with the rebellion of the people 32:1-34:35
  - 1. the people made a gold calf 32:1-10
- a. Moses was on the mountain when Israel made the calf 32:1-6

the people saw that Moses delayed from coming down from the mountain the people asked Aaron to make gods to go before them the people said that they did not know what had happened to Moses the people were told by Aaron to give them their golden earrings the people took off their earrings and brought them to Aaron the people saw Aaron fashion a golden calf with an engraving tool the people saw Aaron make a molded calf the people said this is our god that brought us out of Egypt the people saw Aaron make an altar in front of the golden calf the people heard when Aaron proclaimed the next day a feast day the people offered burnt offerings and brought peace offerings the people sat down to eat and drink and rose up to play

b. Moses was told by God what Israel had done - 32:7-10

the Lord told Moses that the people had corrupted themselves
the Lord said the people had turned quickly out of the right way
the Lord said the people made a molded calf and were worshiping it
the Lord said they were calling this the god that brought them out of Egypt
the Lord said the people were a stiff-necked people
the Lord said that He would consume the people in His wrath
the Lord said that He would make a great nation from Moses

2. the people did not hear as Moses interceded for them - 32:11-14

Moses said the Lord brought them out of Egypt with a mighty hand
Moses said that the Egyptians would say He brought them out to kill them
Moses asked the Lord to turn away His fierce wrath from Israel
Moses asked the Lord to remember His promise to Abraham, Isaac, and Israel
Moses reminded the Lord of His promise to multiply them
Moses reminded the Lord that He had sworn by Himself
Moses reminded the Lord He had promised the land to their descendents
Moses saw the Lord relent from the harm that He said He would do

- 3. the people experienced judgment for sin 32:15-29
  - a. Moses went down from the mountain 32:15-18

Moses turned and went down from the mountain
Moses had the two tablets of the Law in his hand
Moses had the tablets that were written on both sides
Moses had the tablets that were the work of God
Moses had the tablets that were written with the writing of God
Moses and Joshua heard noise in the camp as they came back
Moses heard Joshua say it was the noise of war in the camp
Moses said it was not the noise of the shout of victory
Moses said it was not the noise of the cry of defeat
Moses said it was the sound of singing

b. Moses burned with anger at their sin - 32:19-24

Moses and Joshua came near the camp
Moses saw the calf and the dancing
Moses became very angry when he saw what was happening
Moses threw the tablets that were in his hands and broke them
Moses took the calf and burned it and ground it to powder
Moses scattered this in the water and made them drink it
Moses asked Aaron why he had caused the people to commit such great sin
Moses heard Aaron say not to get so angry
Moses heard Aaron say that the people were set on evil
Moses heard Aaron say that the people asked for gods to go before them
Moses heard Aaron say that the people did not know what became of him
Moses heard Aaron say that he had told the people to take off their gold
Moses heard Aaron say that he threw it in the fire and out came the calf

c. Moses judged the people who were sinning - 32:25-29

Moses saw that the people were unrestrained by Aaron
Moses saw that they were showing their shame to their enemies
Moses asked those on the Lord's side to join him
Moses was joined by the men from the tribe of Levi
Moses told them to go through the camp and kill those who were sinning
Moses saw about 3,000 people die that day
Moses told the people to consecrate themselves that day
Moses told them that was the only way the Lord could bless them

## 4. the people heard as Moses confessed their sin - 32:30-35

Moses said he would go to the Lord and perhaps make atonement for their sin Moses went up on the mountain and prayed to the Lord Moses said that the people had committed a great sin Moses said that the people had made themselves a god of gold Moses asked the Lord to forgive them

Moses asked the Lord to blot his name out of the book if He would not forgive Moses heard the Lord say that He would blot out those who had sinned Moses heard the Lord tell him to go and lead the people to the place God said Moses heard that God would send His Angel before him Moses heard that God would punish Israel for their sin Moses saw the Lord bring a plague on the people Moses saw this happen because of the calf Aaron had made

## 5. the people were reminded of the promise of God - 33:1-3

the Lord told Moses to get ready to leave and go to the land God promised the Lord told Moses that He had brought them out of the land of Egypt the Lord said He would bring them to the land promised to Abraham the Lord said He would bring them to the land promised to Isaac the Lord said He would bring them to the land promised to Jacob the Lord said He had promised to give it to them and their descendents the Lord promised He would send His Angel before them the Lord promised to drive out the Canaanites, the Amorites, the Hittites, the Perrizites, and the Jebusites the Lord told them to go up to a land flowing with milk and honey the Lord told them He would not go up with them or He might consume them the Lord said that they were a stiff-necked people

## 6. the people took off their ornaments - 33:4-6

the people did not put on their ornaments
the people heard that the Lord called them a stiff-necked people
the people heard that the Lord could consume them in a moment
the people had been told to take off their ornaments
the people had heard that God would decide what to do with them
the people stripped themselves of their ornaments
the people did this at the foot of Mount Horeb

Moses set up his tent outside the camp far from the camp
Moses set it up and called it the tabernacle of meeting
Moses saw that everyone who looked for the Lord came out of the camp
Moses would come outside the camp and all the people would stand
Moses would go into the tent and the pillar of cloud descended on it
Moses would then experience the Lord talking with him
Moses knew the people worshiped while he talked with the Lord
Moses spoke face to face with the Lord as a man speaks to a friend
Moses would leave Joshua at the tabernacle when he returned to the camp

8. the people were promised that God would go with them - 33:12-17

Moses told the Lord that the Lord had told him to bring up this people
Moses said the Lord had not shown him whom the Lord would send with him
Moses said that the Lord knew his name and had shown him grace
Moses asked the Lord to show him the Lord's way
Moses said he wanted to know God and that he had found grace in God's sight
Moses reminded God that this nation was His people
Moses heard the Lord promise His Presence would go with him
Moses heard the Lord promise that the Lord would give him rest
Moses said if the Lord did not go with them not to bring them up
Moses said the only way the people would know was if the Lord went with them
Moses said that would show they were a separate people from all the earth
Moses heard the Lord say that He would grant the request of Moses
Moses heard he had found grace in the sight of the Lord
Moses heard that the Lord knew his name

9. the people did not see what Moses saw - 33:18-23

God was asked by Moses to show him God's glory
God said all His goodness would pass before Moses
God said He would be gracious and have compassion
God said that Moses would not see His face
God said that no man could see His face and live
God told Moses there was a place by Him and to stand on the rock
God said He would put Moses in the rock while His glory passed by
God said He would cover Moses with His hand while He passed by
God said He would take away His hand so Moses could see His back
God said that Moses would not see His face

## 10. the people were given another copy of the Ten Commandments- 34:1-35

## a. Moses made a second set of tablets for the Law - 34:1-4

God told Moses to cut a second set of stones like the first
God said He would write on the stones the words on the first stones
God told Moses to be ready to come up the mountain in the morning
God told Moses to present himself on the top of the mountain
God told Moses that no one was to come with him
God told him that no other man was to be on the mountain
God said there were to be no flocks or herds feeding on the mountain
God saw Moses cut two tablets of stone like the first ones
God saw Moses obey and go up the mountain early in the morning
God saw that Moses took the two tablets of stone with him

## b. Moses was given a new vision of the Lord - 34:5-9

the Lord descended in a cloud and stood with Moses the Lord passed before Moses and spoke to him there the Lord said He is merciful, gracious, and longsuffering the Lord said He abounds in goodness and truth the Lord said He keeps mercy for thousands the Lord forgives iniquity, transgression, and sin the Lord does not clear the guilty the Lord visits iniquity to the fourth generation the Lord saw Moses bow his head and worship the Lord heard Moses make a request if he had found grace the Lord heard Moses ask Him to go with them the Lord heard Moses ask Him to pardon their sin

### c. Moses was given a renewed commission - 34:10-17

the Lord said He would make a covenant and do an awesome thing with Israel the Lord said if they would obey Him He would drive out the people the Lord warned them not to make a covenant with the people of the land the Lord told them to destroy their altars and idols the Lord told them not to worship any other god as He is a jealous God the Lord told them not make any covenant with the inhabitants the Lord told them not to sacrifice to their gods or eat their sacrifices the Lord told them not to marry their sons or their daughters the Lord told them not to make molded gods for themselves

- d. Moses was reminded of the feasts and Sabbaths 34:18-28
- 1) the Lord spoke about the feast of unleavened bread 34:18-20

the people were to eat unleavened bread for seven days the people went to remember how they came out of Egypt the people were to remember to redeem the first-born animals the people were to remember to redeem the first-born sons

- 2) the Lord said they were to rest on the seventh day 34:21
- 3) the Lord spoke of the three feasts when they were to gather 34:22-28

the people were to have at least all males gather three times a year the people would see the Lord cast out their enemies and enlarge their borders the people would not have anyone desire their land while they were at the feasts the people were not to offer blood with leaven the people were not to keep the Passover sacrifice until morning the people were to bring the first of their crops to the Lord the people were not to boil a young goat in its mother's milk the Lord told Moses to write down all of these words the Lord said He was making a covenant with Moses and with Israel the Lord had Moses on the mountain with Him for 40 days and nights the Lord wrote the Ten Commandments on the tablets of stone

#### e. Moses had his face shine - 34:29-35

Moses came down from the mountain with the two tablets of stone
Moses did not know that the skin of his face shown
Moses caused Aaron and the people to fear when they saw his face
Moses called Aaron and the leaders to come to him
Moses was then able to talk with them
Moses then gave the commandments to all of the people
Moses told the people what the Lord had told him on the mount
Moses covered his face after he finished talking with the people
Moses took off the covering when he talked to the Lord
Moses would cover his face when he talked with the people
Moses had his face shine whenever the people saw him
Moses had his face shine each time after he talked to God
Moses covered his face except when he talked with God

- D. God saw the people build the tabernacle 35:1-40:38
- 1. the people were given instructions for building 35:1-36:7
- a. Moses re-emphasized the Sabbath to the people 35:1-3

Moses gathered all of the people together

Moses said these were the words that the Lord commanded

Moses said that the people were to obey these commandments

Moses said that they were to work only six days each week

Moses said that the seventh day was to be a holy day

Moses said it was to be a Sabbath of rest to the Lord

Moses said any who worked on the Sabbath would be put to death

Moses said they were not to build a fire on the Sabbath

- b. Moses told the people the gifts that were needed for the tabernacle 35:4-19
  - 1) Moses listed the materials needed for the tabernacle 35:4-9

Moses spoke to all the people about who should give
Moses spoke to all of the people about what they could willingly give
Moses said that they were to gather an offering for the Lord
Moses told those with a willing heart what they could give
Moses said that they needed gold, silver, and bronze
Moses said they needed blue, purple, and scarlet thread to make fine linen
Moses said they needed goats' hair, ram skins dyed red, and badger skins
Moses said they needed acacia wood
Moses said they needed oil for the light
Moses said they needed spices for the anointing oil and sweet incense
Moses said they needed onyx stones and stones for the ephod and breastplate

2) Moses listed the ways that people could get involved in the work - 35:10-19

the gifted artisans could make the various parts of the tabernacle the gifted artisans could make the ark, the poles, the mercy seat, and the veil the gifted artisans could make the table, its poles, the utensils, and showbread the gifted artisans could make the lampstand, its utensils, its lamps, and the oil the gifted artisans could make the incense altar, its poles, and the incense the gifted artisans could make the bronze altar and all that went with it the gifted artisans could make the hangings of the court and pillars the gifted artisans could make the pegs, and their cords the gifted artisans could make the garments of the priests

c. Moses saw the people give willingly - 35:20-29

1) the Lord led the people to give - 35:20-22

the people heard what Moses said and departed
the people had many whose heart was stirred
the people had many whose spirit was willing
the people had many who brought the Lord's offering
the people brought for the tabernacle of meeting
the people brought for all of its service
the people brought for the holy garments
the people included both men and women with a willing heart
the people brought jewelry and an offering of gold

2) the Lord led the men to give offerings - 35:23-24

the men brought blue, purple and scarlet thread of fine linen the men brought goats' hair, red skins of rams, and badger skins the people brought offerings of silver and bronze the people brought acacia wood for the work of service

3) the Lord led the women to work with their hands - 35:25-26

the women who were gifted artisans spun with their hands the women brought the linen that they had spun the women of wisdom spun yarn of goats' hair

4) the Lord led the rulers to provide supplies - 35:27-28

the rulers brought onyx stones
the rulers brought stones to be set in the ephod
the rulers brought stones to be set in the breastplate
the rulers brought spices and oil for the light
the rulers brought for the anointing oil
the rulers brought sweet incense

5) the Lord led the people to give willingly - 35:29

the men and women brought a freewill offering to the Lord the men and women who were willing brought material for all kinds of work the men and women responded to the word of the Lord spoken by Moses

## d. Moses saw the Lord provide skilled craftsmen - 35:30-35

the people heard that the Lord had filled him with the Spirit of God the people heard that he had been given wisdom and understanding the people heard he had been given knowledge in all workmanship the people heard that he was able to design artistic work the people heard he was able to work with gold, silver, and bronze the people heard he was able to cut jewels and do wood carving the people heard that the Lord had gifted him to teach others the people heard that the Lord had equipped Aholiab to do the same the people heard they had been gifted for all kinds of work the people heard they could both do the work and design artistic works

- e. Moses saw the people provide all that was needed 36:1-8
- 1) Moses saw that the Lord provided gifted people to do the work 36:1-2

the Lord provided other gifted people to work under Bezalel and Aholiab the Lord gave these people wisdom and understanding for all the work the Lord equipped these people to carry out His commandments the Lord told Moses to have these people come and do the work the Lord brought everyone whose heart He had stirred to do the work

2) Moses saw the offerings that the people gave for the work - 36:3

the workers were given the offerings from the people to do the work the workers saw them continue to bring freewill offerings every morning

3) Moses was asked to have the people stop giving - 36:4-6

the craftsmen all came to talk to Moses
the craftsmen said the people had brought much more than enough
the craftsmen caused Moses to make a proclamation
the craftsmen heard Moses command that no more be brought
the craftsmen saw that Moses had to restrain the people from giving

4) Moses told the people they had given more than enough - 36:7

the people had brought sufficient material for all the work to be done the people had brought more than enough for the work

## 2. the people prepared the materials for the tabernacle - 36:8-37

a. the people prepared the linen curtains - 36:8-13

the Lord led the gifted artisans to begin doing the work the Lord had prepared these people for this work - Exodus 35:30-35 the Lord still prepares His people for His work - Romans 12:3-8 we are to use our gifts to bring glory to God - 1 Peter 4:10-11 the Lord guided them as they made the ten curtains the Lord had prepared the men who designed everything - Exodus 31:1-6 these men were equipped to teach others - Exodus 35:34 the Lord also gives us wisdom if we ask Him - James 1:5 the Lord guided them to make artistic designs on the curtains because the curtains were covered they were only seen on the inside the Lord led them to make each curtain 42 feet long the Lord led them to make each curtain 6 feet high the Lord led them to make all the curtains the same size the Lord led them to couple the curtains in two groups of five the Lord led them to make loops on the edge curtain of one set the Lord led them to make loops on the edge curtain of the other set the Lord led them to make fifty loops on each curtain edge the Lord led them to make fifty clasps of gold to hold them together the Lord had them join the curtains so that it would be one tabernacle

b. the people prepared the curtains of goats' hair - 36:14-18

they make curtains of goats' hair for the tent over the tabernacle they made the eleven curtains of goats' hair they made all of these curtains 45 feet long they made all of these curtains 6 feet wide they made all of these curtains the same size they coupled five curtains by themselves and six curtains by themselves they made 50 loops on the edge of each curtain they made 50 bronze clasps to connect these curtains

c. the people prepared the rams' skin covering - 36:19

they made a covering for the tent of rams' skins dyed red
they made a covering of badger skins above that
these coverings provided protection from the weather
the people were following the directions given to Moses

4) the people prepared the boards and the sockets - 36:20-33

they made the boards of acacia wood they made each board 15 feet in length they made each board 27 inches in width they made each board with two tenons they made twenty boards for the south side they made forty sockets of silver under these boards they made twenty boards for the north side they made forty sockets of silver under these boards they made six boards for the west side of the tabernacle they made two boards for the corners of the tabernacle they made these so they were coupled bottom and top with a ring this made a total of eight boards on the west side they made these with sixteen sockets of silver they made five bars to hold the boards on one side they made five bars to hold the boards on the other side they made five bars to hold the boards on the west side they made the middle bar go through the middle of the boards

5) the people overlaid the boards with gold - 36:34

they overlaid their boards with gold they made rings of gold for the bars they overlaid the bars with gold

6) the people prepared the inner veil - 36:35-36

they made the inner veil of blue, purple, and scarlet thread they made the inner veil so that it was fine linen they made it with artistic design of cherubim they made four pillars of acacia wood to hold up this curtain they overlaid these pillars and their hooks with gold they made four sockets of silver for them

7) the people prepared the outer veil - 36:37-38

they had a weaver make the outer veil of the same colors they overlaid the pillars with gold they overlaid their rings with gold they made their sockets of bronze

## 3. the people prepared the furniture for the tabernacle - 37:1-38:8

#### a. the ark of the covenant - 37:1-5

they made the Ark of the Covenant of acacia wood they made the Ark of the Covenant 45 inches long they made the Ark of the Covenant 27 inches wide they covered it with pure gold on the inside and outside they made a rim of gold around it they made four rings of gold for the four corners they made two poles of acacia wood covered with gold they put the poles in the rings to carry the ark

## **b.** the mercy seat - 37:6-9

they made the mercy seat of pure gold
they made the mercy seat 45 inches by 27 inches
they made two cherubim of gold for the two ends
they made the cherubim one piece with the mercy seat
they made the wings of the cherubim to cover the mercy seat

#### c, the table of showbread - 37:10-16

they made the table of showbread of acacia wood
the table was 36 inches long, 18 inches wide, and 27 inches high
they overlaid the table with pure gold with a molding of gold around it
they made a frame all around a handbreadth wide with a molding of gold
they made four rings of gold and put them on the four corners
the rings were for the poles to carry the table
they made the poles of acacia wood and covered them with gold
they made gold dishes, bowls, cups, and pitchers for the table

# d. the golden lampstand - 37:17-24

they made the golden lampstand of one piece of pure gold
the lampstand had six branches, three on each side
each branch had three bowls, a knob, and a flower
the lampstand itself had four bowls, a knob, and a flower
there was also a knob under each set of branches
the seven lamps, the wick-trimmers, and trays were of pure gold
the entire lamp was about 75 pounds of pure gold

#### e. the altar of incense - 37:25-28

they made the altar of incense of acacia wood
they made the altar of incense 18 inches by 18 inches
they made the altar of incense 36 inches high
they made the horns one piece with the altar of incense
they overlaid the top, sides, and horns with pure gold
they made a molding of gold all around it
they made two rings of gold on the corners of both sides
they made these as holders for the poles that would carry it
they made the poles of acacia wood
they overlaid the poles with gold

## f. the anointing oil - 37:29

they made the holy anointing oil they made the pure incense of sweet spices they made these according to the work of a perfumer

## g. the altar of burnt offering - 38:1-7

they made the altar of burnt offering from acacia wood they made the altar a square - 7 1/2 feet by 7 1/2 feet they made the altar of burnt offering 4 1/2 feet high they made horns on the four corners that were one piece with it they overlaid the entire altar with bronze they made all of the utensils for the altar of bronze they made a grate of bronze halfway up in the altar they made four rings on the four corners for the poles to carry it they made the poles of acacia wood they overlaid the poles with bronze they put the poles in the rings on the sides of the altar they made the altar with boards and hollow in the center

#### h. the laver of bronze - 38:8

they made the laver of bronze
they made the base of the laver from bronze
they made these from the mirrors of the women who served
they received these from the women gathered at the door of the tabernacle
here we see that the women both gave and worked for the Lord

- 4. the people prepared the court of the tabernacle 38:9-20
- a. this included the main court of the tabernacle 38:9-17

they made the curtains for the south and the north side of the court they made the the hangings of fine linen and the curtains 150 feet long they made twenty pillars with twenty bronze sockets they made the hooks and the bands of the pillars with silver they made the curtain for the west side 75 feet they made ten pillars and ten sockets for the west side they made the hooks and the bands with silver they made the hangings for the east side 75 feet they made the hangings on each side 22 1/2 feet long they made three pillars and three sockets for each side they made the hangings all around the court of fine linen they made the sockets of the pillars of bronze they made the hooks and the bands of the pillars with silver

b. this included the gate of the court of the tabernacle - 38:18-20

they made the screen for the gate of blue, purple, and scarlet linen they made the length of the screen 30 feet long and 7 1/2 feet high they made four pillars and their sockets with bronze they made their hooks and overlaid their capitals and bands with silver they made the pegs of the court and the tabernacle of bronze

- 5. the people learned the cost of the tabernacle 38:21-31
- a. the men in charge of the building of the tabernacle 38:21-23

Ithamar was responsible for the inventory of the tabernacle Bezalel made all that God had commanded Aholiab was an engraver, designer, and weaver

b. the cost of the materials to build the tabernacle - 38:24-31

the gold used in the tabernacle was 2,198 pounds
the silver used in the tabernacle was 7,555 pounds
the bronze used in the tabernacle 5,325 pounds
the materials were received through offerings
the men that were numbered in the congregation were 603,550 men

- 6. the people prepared the garments of the priests 39:1-43
  - a. the people made the garments of Aaron 39:1-31
    - 1) the garments included the ephod 39:1-7

they used the blue, purple, and scarlet to make the garments of ministry they made the holy garments for Aaron as the Lord had commanded they made the ephod of gold, blue, purple, and scarlet linen they made wires of gold to weave into the linen they made shoulder pieces to couple the ephod together they made the beautifully woven band of the ephod they made the band with gold, blue, purple, and scarlet they set the onyx stones enclosed in settings of gold they placed the names of the sons of Israel on the stones they placed the onyx stones on the shoulders of the ephod they made the ephod exactly as God had commanded Moses

## 2) the garments included the breastplate - 39:8-21

they made the breastplate artistically woven like the ephod
they made the breastplate square by doubling it
they made the breastplate a handspan by a handspan
they made four rows of stones on the breastplate
they enclosed each stone in a setting of gold
they put the names of the twelve tribes on the twelve stones
they made chains for the breastplate of braided pure gold
they made two gold rings at the two ends to connect the two braids
they attached the two braids to the straps of the ephod in front
they made two other gold rings and attached them to the straps
they bound the breastplate with a blue cord through the rings
they made the breastplate exactly as the Lord commanded Moses

## 3) the garments included the robe of the ephod - 39:22-26

they made the robe of woven work of all blue they made an opening in the middle with a woven binding they made the hem of the garment with blue, purple, and scarlet pomegranates they made bells of pure gold between the pomegranates they alternated a bell and a pomegranate all around the hem of the robe they made the robe exactly as the Lord commanded Moses 4) the garments included the tunics - 39:27-29

they made tunics artistically woven of fine linen they made a turban, a hat, and short trousers of fine linen they made a sash of woven linen of blue, purple, and scarlet thread

5) the garments included the crown - 39:30-31

the made the plate of the holy crown of pure gold they wrote on the crown - HOLINESS TO THE LORD they tied a blue cord to it to attach it to the turban

b. the people finished everything for the tabernacle - 39:32

the people finished the work of the tabernacle of the tent of meeting the people of Israel did all that the Lord had commanded Moses

c. the people brought everything to Moses - 39:33-43

1) the people brought the furniture of the tabernacle to Moses - 39:33-39

the people brought the tent of the tabernacle and all its furnishings
the people brought the covering of ram skins dyed red
the people brought the covering of badger skins
the people brought the Ark of the Covenant, the poles, and the mercy seat
the people brought the table of showbread and all of its utensils
the people brought the pure gold lampstand, its utensils and oil
the people brought the gold altar, the anointing oil, and the sweet incense
the people brought the bronze altar and all of its utensils
the people brought the laver with its base

- 2) the people brought the the materials for the court of the tabernacle 39:40
  - 3) the people brought the clothes for the priests 39:41
  - 4) the people received the approval of Moses 39:42-43

the people did all of the work that the Lord commanded Moses the people saw Moses check all of the work that they had done the people had done the work as the Lord had commanded the people were blessed by Moses for all of their work

- 7. the people set up the tabernacle 40:1-33
- a. Moses was told how to set up the tabernacle 40:1-19
- 1) the Lord told Moses how to set up the tabernacle 40:1-8

Moses was given instructions about setting up the tabernacle
Moses was told to set up the tabernacle on the first day of the first month
Moses was told to bring in the ark of the Covenant
Moses was told to partition the ark off from the rest of the tabernacle
Moses was told to bring in the table of showbread and arrange the things on it
Moses was told to bring in the lampstand and light its lamps
Moses was told to set up the altar of gold for incense
Moses was told to put up the screen for the door of the tabernacle
Moses was told to set up the altar of burnt offering in front of the door
Moses was told to set up the laver between the tabernacle and the altar
Moses was told to put water in the laver
Moses was told to set up the court all around
Moses was told to hang the screen at the court gate

2) the Lord told Moses how to anoint the tabernacle - 40:9-16

Moses was told to take the anointing oil and anoint the tabernacle
Moses was told to anoint the altar of burnt offering and all its utensils
Moses was told to anoint the laver and its base
Moses was told to bring Aaron and his sons and wash them with water
Moses was told to put the holy garments on Aaron and anoint him
Moses was told to clothe his sons with tunics and anoint them
Moses was told that this family was to be anointed as priests
Moses was told that theirs would be an everlasting priesthood
Moses did exactly as the Lord had commanded

3) the Lord told Moses when to set up the tabernacle - 40:17-19

Moses set up the tabernacle just as God had commanded
Moses did this on the first day of the first month of the second year
Moses raised up the tabernacle and fastened its sockets
Moses set up the boards, put in its bars, and raised up its pillars
Moses spread out the tent over the tabernacle
Moses put the covering of the tent on top of it
Moses did exactly as the Lord had commanded him

b. Moses brought in the ark of the covenant into the tabernacle - 40:20-21

Moses put the ten commandments into the ark Moses inserted the poles and put the mercy seat on the ark Moses brought it into the tabernacle and hung up the veil

c. Moses set up the table of showbread - 40:22-23

Moses set the table of showbread on the north side outside of the veil Moses set the bread in order upon the table

d. Moses set up the lampstand - 40:24-25

Moses set up the lampstand on the south side across from the table Moses lit the lamps before the Lord

e. Moses set up the altar of incense - 40:26-27

Moses set up the gold altar in front of the veil Moses burned sweet incense on the altar

f. Moses set up the hanging at the door and the bronze altar - 40:28-29

Moses hung up the screen at the door of the tabernacle Moses put the altar of burnt offering in front of the door Moses offered a burnt offering and a grain offering on the altar

g. Moses set the laver in place - 40:30-33

Moses set the laver between the tabernacle of meeting and the altar Moses, Aaron, and his sons all washed their hands and feet at it Moses raised up the court around the tabernacle and hung up the screen

8. the people saw the glory of the Lord fill the tabernacle - 40:34-38

Moses saw the Lord cover the tabernacle of meting with a cloud Moses saw the glory of the Lord fill the tabernacle Moses could not enter the tabernacle when the glory of the Lord filled it Moses led the people onward whenever the cloud was taken up Moses did not journey until the cloud was taken up Moses and the people saw the cloud by day and a pillar of fire by night