

# Numbers

## God's Work in the Wilderness



<p><b>Mt. Sinai</b></p> <p><b>Organization of the People (1:1-2:34)</b></p> <p>Census of the Old Generation (1:1-54)</p> <p>Arrangement of the Camps with Tabernacle Central (2:1-34) {East, South, Middle, West, North}</p> <p><b>Instructions for the People (3:1-10:10)</b></p> <p>The Ordering of the Priests (3:1-4:49) The Cleansing and Consecration (5:1-10:10) {Separation, Nazarite Vows, Worship, Guidance}</p> <p><b>20 Days</b></p> <p>Preparation of the Old Generation to inherit the land of Promise</p>	<p><b>Travel</b></p> <p><b>From Sinai to Kadesh in Unbelief (10:11-14:45)</b></p> <p>Marching: Sinai to Paran (10:11-36)</p> <p>Murmuring: Complaints of People, Miriam and, Aaron (11:1-12:16) Mistrust: 12 Spies, No Faith, Discipline (13:1-14:45)</p> <p><b>Wilderness of Paran</b></p> <p><b>Desert Wanderings and Discipline (15:1-19:22)</b></p> <p>Reaffirmation of the Law of the Lord (15:1-41) Rebellion against the Leader of the Lord (16:1-50) Reaffirmation of the High Priest of the Lord (17:1-13) Provision for the Priesthood of the Lord (18:1-32) Provision for the People of the Lord (19:1-32)</p> <p><b>A New Generation and a New Start (20:1-22:1)</b></p> <p>Removal of the Old Leadership (20:1-29) Movement of the New Generation (21:1-22:1) {Victory, Rebellion, Provision, Arrival}</p> <p><b>Travel</b></p> <p><b>38 Years</b></p> <p>Failure of the Old Generation to inherit the land of Promise</p>	<p><b>Plains of Moab</b></p> <p><b>New Problems Arise (22:2-25:18)</b></p> <p>Balaam: Opposition from Without (22:2-24:25) Idolatry: Opposition from Within - Baal Peor (25:1-18) {Perversion, Plague, Petition, Penalty}</p> <p><b>New Preparations for Inheritance (26:1-30:16)</b></p> <p>Census of the New Generation (26:1-51) A New Principle for Division of the Land (26:52-27:11) Joshua: A New Leader (27:12-23) A New Affirmation of the Law (28:1-30:16)</p> <p><b>New Perspectives for Inheritance (31:1-36:13)</b></p> <p>Conquest and Division of Trans-Jordan (31:1-32:32) Review of God's Provision (33:1-49) Plan for Division of the Promised Land (33:50-36:13)</p> <p><b>5 Months</b></p> <p>Preparation of the New Generation to inherit the land of Promise</p>
<p>1:1</p> <p><b>Order</b></p> <p>10:10</p> <p><b>PREPARATION</b> (Organization • Consecration)</p>	<p>10:11</p> <p><b>Disorder</b></p> <p>22:1</p> <p><b>POSTPONEMENT</b> (Rebellion • Discipline • Renewal)</p>	<p>22:2</p> <p><b>Reorder</b></p> <p>36:13</p> <p><b>PREPARATION</b> (Opposition • Organization)</p>

Moses, writing to Jews poised to enter the land of promise, set forth the religious laws of the camp in motion with examples of unfaithfulness from within and opposition from without in order to demonstrate that God's promised blessing and redemptive plan cannot be thwarted.