

DEUTERONOMY



“And thou shalt bind them for a sign upon thine hand, and they shall be as frontlets between thine eyes.” (Deuteronomy 6:8)

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Lesson 1, Introduction To Deuteronomy

Time, Place And Authorship

1. Who wrote Deuteronomy? (1:1-5, 4:44-46, 29:1, 31:9, 24-26)
2. What does the name “Deuteronomy” mean and how does it apply to this book?
3. Where is Israel during the delivery of the message of Deuteronomy? (1:1, 29:1, Josh. 1:2)
4. Approximately how much time passes while Moses delivers the message of Deuteronomy? (1:3, 34:8, Josh 5:6-12)
5. Who or what in Deuteronomy most typifies Christ and His work? (18:15-19, Acts 3:19-24, 7:37, John 4:24-26)

Keys To Deuteronomy

6. What are the key verses in the book of Deuteronomy?
7. What is the key word or theme in Deuteronomy?
8. What is the key chapter in Deuteronomy?
9. What chapter is the best “synopsis” of the message of the book?
10. How many sermons are in the book of Deuteronomy?
11. What question(s) are best offered to illustrate the theme of the sermon(s)?

Outline

Part one, Moses' first sermon - “What has God done for Israel?”, 1-4:43

1. Preamble, 1:1-5
2. Review of God's work for Israel, 1:6-4:43

Part two, Moses' second sermon - "What does God expect from Israel?", 4:44 – ch. 26

1. Introduction of the law of God, 4:44-49
2. Exposition of the law of God, 5-11
3. Exposition of additional laws, 12-26

Part three: Moses' third sermon - "What can you expect from God?", chs. 27-34

1. Ratification of the covenant in Canaan, 27-28
2. Institution of the Palestinian covenant, 29-30
3. Transition of the covenant mediator, 31-34

Memory Verses

Please work on the following memory verses for our study in Deuteronomy

Deuteronomy 6:6-9 And these words, which I command thee this day, shall be in thine heart: **7** And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up. **8** And thou shalt bind them for a sign upon thine hand, and they shall be as frontlets between thine eyes. **9** And thou shalt write them upon the posts of thy house, and on thy gates.

Deuteronomy 10:12-13 And now, Israel, what doth the LORD thy God require of thee, but to fear the LORD thy God, to walk in all his ways, and to love him, and to serve the LORD thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul, **13** To keep the commandments of the LORD, and his statutes, which I command thee this day for thy good?