

“The Pentateuch”
Numbers 13-14
Wednesday Nov 3, 2010

Numbers – takes its name from the two numberings of the men for war in Numbers 1-4 and 26-27

- 1. Numbers 1:1-10:10 – Order and Organization**
- 2. Numbers 10:11-22:1 – Testings and Failures**

Numbers 13 – The Spies And The Bad Report
Numbers 14 – Israel 's Rebellion and Consequences

Numbers 13 – The Spies And The Bad Report:

Numbers 13:1-16 – The Twelve Spies: Numbers 13:1-3

Deut 1:19-23

Numbers 13:4-15 – A list of the 12 spies taken from 12 tribes.

Numbers 13:6 Caleb – “Wholehearted”

Numbers 13:8

Numbers 13:16

Numbers 13:17-24 – The Spies Sent Out: Numbers 13:17

Numbers 13:18 – Check Out The People: Numbers 13:18

Numbers 13:19 – Check Out The Dwellings: Numbers 13:19

Numbers 13:20 – Check Out The Fruitfulness: Numbers 13:20

God said it – what additional proof is needed? Gen 3:1

James 1:6-8

For us believers, God’s word is the only source of absolute truth.

Numbers 13:21-24

Numbers 13:25-33 – The Spies Report And Reaction: Numbers 13:25

Number 40 is the number of judgment – making a fair judgment of the land

Numbers 13:26

Spies Discovered 2 Things:

1. Numbers 13:27 – The Land Is Plentiful:
2. Numbers 13:28-29 – Giants Are In The Land:

The Report given Was An Honest Report:

Numbers 13:30

Caleb – Joshua 14:6-15; 15:14 He is in his 80's

Numbers 13:31-33

2 Tim 1:7

Numbers 14 – Israel 's Rebellion and Consequences:

Numbers 14:1-10 – Defying God's Will: Num 14:1-9

Caleb's 3 Point Counsel:

1. Don't Rebel Against the Lord: The Warning is Do not rebel against the Lord!

Heb 3:16-19

To rebel – means to reject, to resist or to contend with.

The key is to surrender – Rom 12:1

God uses trials in our lives –

James 1:2-4

2. The Enemies Protection Has Been Removed: Their protection has been removed from them.
3. The Lord Is With Us: the Lord is with us; do not fear them."

Rom 8:31

(KJV) Psalms 138:2

Numbers 14:10

Numbers 14:11-19 – Moses' Intercession:

Numbers 14:20-22 – The Lord Pardons:

Numbers 14:23-38 – The Lord's Discipline:

Numbers 14:39-45 – Israel Rebels:

Application:

1. There Is A Difference Between Doubt and Unbelief –

Doubt – is not fully understanding, or able to put together what God is doing or allowing. (All suffer times of confusion)

Unbelief – is refusing to believe, and trust. It is an act of the will. Not an issue of the lack of evidence but unwilling to believe what God has said and to trust Him.

2. Unbelief And Rebellion Are Twins – Unwilling to believe and Obey

3. The Majority Is Often Wrong –