

Deuteronomy 20-24

LW – Blessed by Village Mission School Choir

TW – Continue with Deuteronomy = “Second Law” (Gk/Septuagint)

Chapter 20

Overview

V1-20 - Commands Concerning Warfare

Point #1 – Do Not Be Afraid

V1 – 1)When, 2)Battle, 3)Against/Enemy, 4) See. 5)Do not be Afraid

V1 – For the Lord your God is with you!

V4 – 1) Lord/God w/You 2) Fight for you 3) Against Enemies 4) Save

1. Enemy - **Luke 9:49-50** ⁴⁹Now John answered and said, “Master, we saw someone casting out demons in Your name, and we forbade him because he does not follow with us.” ⁵⁰But Jesus said to him, “Do not forbid him, for he who is not against us is on our side.”

2. Don’t be Afraid (50+ times in Bible)

* David/Goliath - **1 Samuel 17:11** When Saul and all Israel heard these words of the Philistine, they were dismayed and greatly afraid.

1 Samuel 17:26 For who is this uncircumcised Philistine, that he should defy the armies of the living God?”

* Peter/Walking/Water, Peter/John/Sanhedrin, Paul/Lystra/Athens

Chapter 21

Overview

V1-9 – Laws Concerning Unsolved Murders

V10-14 – Taking a Wife from among Captives

V15-17 – Firstborn Inheritance

V18-21 – Rebellious Son

V22-23 – Cursed is Everyone who Hangs on a Tree

Point #2 – He who is Hanged is Accursed of God

Galatians 3:13 ¹³Christ has redeemed us from the curse of the law, having become a curse for us (for it is written, “Cursed is everyone who hangs on a tree”), -> 3:14 -> 3:10-12

* Who was suppose to be hanged – Commit Sin/Deserving of Death!

2 Corinthians 5:21 ²¹For He made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

Chapter 22

Overview

V1-12 - Miscellaneous Laws

V13-30 – Laws Concerning Sexual Morality (Premarital & Rape)

Point #3 – Worldly Counsel vs. Biblical (Insight/Birth/Christ)

V21 – Godly/Biblical Counsel vs. Worldly Counsel!

* Dear Abby counsel concerning Wife Dressing Husband

V20-21 – Importance of Virginity/Purity in Marriage

Matthew 1:18-19 ¹⁸Now the birth of Jesus Christ was as follows:

After His mother Mary was betrothed to Joseph, before they came together, she was found with child of the Holy Spirit. ¹⁹Then Joseph her husband, being a just man, and not wanting to make her a public example, was minded to put her away secretly.

Chapter 23

Overview

V1-8 – Those Prohibited from Assembly of Lord

V9-14 – Keep Yourself from Uncleanness

V15-25 – Miscellaneous Laws

Point #4 – Keep Oneself Clean!

V9-11 – Personal Purity

1. When Army (of the Lord whom He is with) Goes Out/Enemies

2. Then Keep Yourself from Every Wicked Thing!!!

V12-14 – Camp Purity

1. Take defilement outside camp – (3rd world countries/deadly)

2. Lord walks in Midst of Your Camp – He surrounds us!

3. To deliver you from enemies – But if you poison yourself?!?!?!?

4. Keep Camp Clean, No Unclean Thing Among You, Turn Away

Chapter 24

Overview

V1-4 – Laws Concerning Divorce/Remarriage

V5-22 – Miscellaneous Laws

Point #5 – Know We Are Christians By Our Love

* Good Deeds Don’t Make Us Christians

* Being Christians = Make us Good Deeds - **Matthew 5:16** ¹⁶Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.