2016 Deuteronomy, Lesson 1

Deuteronomy 1:1-4:14

Key verse: 4:1

**So That You May Live**

**I. Israel Rebelled Against God (1:1-46)**

1. When and where did Moses speak these words to all Israel? (1-5) What was the land God commanded Israel to take possession of? (6-8) What were the qualifications of the Israelite leaders, and how must they judge? (9-18)

2. What did Moses command the Israelites? (19-21) After listening to the spies’ report, why were the people unwilling to go up and take possession of the land? (22-28) How did Moses help them remember God? (29-33)

3. How did God punish unbelieving Israel? (34-37) To whom did God say he would give the land as an inheritance? (38, 39) What happened when they marched up into the hill country, despite God’s warning? (40-46)

**II. Israel Obeyed God’s Commands (2:1-3:11)**

1. How did God discipline disobedient Israel, and what direction did he give them? (2:1-3) Why did he tell them not to provoke the descendants of Esau and the Moabites? (4-12) Why did the entire generation of fighting men perish in the wilderness? (13-15)

2. What did God command Moses concerning the Ammonites and the king of Heshbon? (16-37) How was Israel able to destroy the fortified cities of Bashan? (3:1-11)

**III. So That You May Live (3:12-4:14)**

1. How did Moses distribute the conquered land east of the Jordan? (12-20) What was Moses’ plea and what was God’s answer? (21-29)

2. What attitude should Israel have towards God’s command and decrees? (1a, 2, 5, 6a) What blessings did God promise if they obeyed? (1b, 3-4) What kind of a nation would they be among all the nations? (6b-8)

3. Why did God tell Moses to assemble all the people at Horeb? (9, 10) How did God declare his Ten Commandments to Israel? (11-14)