2016 Deuteronomy, Lesson 4

Deuteronomy 27:1-30:20

Key verse: 30:19

**Now Choose Life**

**I. Blessings and Curses (27:1-28:68)**

1. What should Israel do when they enter the land of Canaan? (27:1-8) What kind of lives should the Israelites live as people of the Lord? (9, 10)

2. How did God command the twelve tribes of Israel to stand, so that God might proclaim the blessings and curses? (11-13) Which people did God say would be cursed? (14-26)

3. If Israel followed God’s commands, what specific blessings would they enjoy? (28:1-6) What victories and glories would they experience if they were faithful to God’s words? (7-14)

4. If Israel did not obey God’s commands, what curses would follow? (15-19) If they forsook God, how would God punish them? (20-29) How would God take away their precious and beloved things? (30-35)

5. What scorn and shame would they receive when they went into captivity? (36-44) Why would God allow them to suffer these curses? (45, 46)

6. What would happen to them if they did not serve the Lord willingly in the time of prosperity? (45-47) If they did not carefully follow all the words of the law, what would happen concerning the blessings of the covenant? (58-68)

**II. Life and Death (29:1-30:20)**

1. When God established the covenant with Israel in Moab, what was their spiritual condition? (29:1-4) During the forty years in the wilderness, how did God show them his grace and why? (5-8) What attitude should those who receive this grace have? (9)

2. Who entered into the covenant with the Lord? (10-15) What was God’s purpose in establishing this covenant? (13)

3. What did Moses worry would happen to Israel? (16-19) (Jeremiah 6:14; 8:11) How would God punish idol-worshippers? (20-28)? Why should we accept the responsibility of following all the words of God’s law? (29)

4. What grace would God show Israel if they turned to him and remembered his words while under the curses? (30:1-10) Why was it not demanding for Israel to obey God’s words? (11-14) What shall Israel do to live in prosperity? (15-20)