

- d. You are going to have blessing from me, safety and you will be able to live in peace.
 - iii. If you don't obey me, here's what is going to happen.
 - a. I am going to bring judgment upon you and I am going to intensify that judgment and its going to get worse and worse.
 - b. Finally, I am going to take you away from the land that I have given you and I am going to scatter you among the nations.
 - c. And that land that I gave you is going to be in ruins and people are going to look at it and say, What happened there?
 - iv. But if you do one thing, I'll be gracious to you.
 - a. If you repent and ask me to forgive you, then I will deliver you from those nations and take you back and give you the land.
7. Vows and tithes (27)
- i. You are under no compulsion to make a vow, but if you make a vow you to keep it and if you don't keep it, then you have to offer a sin offering.
 - ii. When people make vows, they promise the Lord they are going to give him certain things (a certain person, house, piece of land, animals).
 - a. And sometimes when those things were given people wanted to redeem them.
 - b. The Lord tells them how they can redeem them.
 - iii. But he says, "When you make a vow, you don't promise that you are going to give the Lord something that already belongs to the Lord."
 - iv. He spells out the tithe, "You tithe everything you get. A tenth goes to the Lord and that includes your animals. You take your animals and make them walk under the shepherd's rod. And every tenth animal belongs to the Lord. And if that tenth animal is a good one, don't say, 'Why did I leave that one get out? I am going to put the one with a blind eye there.' If you do that, do you know what is going to happen? I am not only going to take the good animal, but I am going to take the bad one too."

V. Analysis of Numbers (see outline on pgs 27-28)

A. Preparation for departure from Sinai (1-9)

- 1. The people numbered (1)
 - i. There are 2 million people there.
 - ii. The Lord is going to prepare them now for the march.