- v. Moses' response
 - a. Moses prays for Miriam.
 - b. Moses forgives both of them.
- vi. The Lord also says that because of what she has done, Miriam is going to have to say outside the camp of Israel for 7 days as s leper.
 - a. That is a great come down for Miriam.
 - b. At one moment she thinks she is qualified to share the leadership of this 2 million people.
 - c. But then she is greatly humbled by the Lord.
 - d. Everybody is going to know she is a leper.
 - e. After 7 days, the Lord healed her and she had to go through all those ceremonies for cleansing and she had to offer a sin offering and burnt offering to the Lord.
- 5. Viewing the land (13-14)
 - i. The spies and their mission (13)
 - They come to <u>Kadesh-barnea</u>.
 - b. The Lord says, "I want you to send some spies out into the land that I am going to give you. Tell them to find out about all they can about the land. Find out whether the people are strong or weak. Find out whether the people are many or few. Find out about the should whether it is good or bad. Find out about the cities whether the are fortified or not. And bring some of the fruit of the land back so we can see exactly what kind of fruit this land produces."
 - c. A person from each tribe were selected to go to spy out the land of Canaan.
 - 1) One of them was Caleb from the tribe of Judah.
 - 2) Another of them was a man named Hoshea whose name Moses changed to Joshua.
 - d. They take 40 days to spy out the land.
 - e. Their travels in Canaan
 - 1) They go way up north to a place called Rehob.
 - 2) They went up to Hebron (Caleb spied out this area).
 - 3) Eshcol was located near Hebron.
 - i) Eshcol was the place where they found a branch of grapes.
 - The branch of grapes was so heavy that it had to be carried by two men on a pole.
 - 4) They also brought pomegranates back so the people could see the kind of fruit that the land was producing.