

4) Who controls the lot? The Lord.

6. Ephraim (16)

- i. Ephraim got the territory Ephraim got coming.
- ii. But Ephraim disobeyed the Lord when they got their territory.
  - a. How did they disobey the Lord?
  - b. They had Canaanites at Gezer.
  - c. They did not drive the Canaanites out, but made slaves of them.

7. Manasseh (17)

- i. At first, Manasseh couldn't drive the Canaanites out.
- ii. But then they could drive them out, but instead they made slaves of them (after all they could get free labor).
- iii. That was in direct disobedience to the Lord.

8. Benjamin (18)

- i. The Lord picks the place where he is going to put the tabernacle.
- ii. The tabernacle is put at Shiloh.
- iii. It is taken from Gilgal and put up to Shiloh.
- iv. When the tabernacle was put there, Joshua rebuked the other seven tribes because they hadn't taken possession of their land.
- v. He tells them, "Here's what I want you to do. I want each of you to take three representatives, three from each tribe for a total of 21 tribes. I want those 21 representatives to go to the land and make a detailed survey of the land and divide it up into seven sections."
- vi. And they do that and come back.
- vii. Again, they cast lots by drawing from one urn with the seven sections on it and another urn where the names of the seven tribes are.
- viii. And we have the order in which they came out.
- ix. There is Benjamin first.

9. Simeon, Zebulun, Issachar, Asher, Naphtali, Dan (19)

- i. Then there is Simeon.
  - a. Notice Simeon's territory is within Judah's territory.
  - b. Simeon was told, "You are not going to have any territory of your own."
  - c. Simeon's territory was within Judah's territory because Judah's territory was originally too large.
- ii. Then Zebulun, Issachar, Asher, Naphtali, and Dan.
  - a. When Dan was given the territory that belonged to him, it was below Ephraim, but they couldn't take it right away.