

THE BIBLE STUDY PROGRAM

WEEK 24 – Numbers 22 – Numbers 27 & Luke 3 – 4

WEEK 24 – ANSWERS

1. **Sunday** – Worship/Time With Family/Review Answers With Others

2. **Monday** –

1) Numbers 22 – Read & Answer Below

- a) Israel “pitched in the plains of _____.” (Moab, vs. 1)
- b) Who was the “king of the Moabites at that time?” (Balak, vs. 4)
- c) What person did the king of the Moabites call upon to curse the Israelites? (Balaam, vs. 5)
- d) What did God tell Balaam regarding Israel in Numbers 22:12? (God told Balaam clearly, “Thou shalt not go with them [i.e., the elders of Midian and Moab that were sent from King Balak to Balaam – JR]; thou shalt not curse the people [i.e., the Israelites – JR]: for they are blessed.”)
- e) Upon hearing Balaam’s answer, did King Balak give up in his pursuit of Balaam’s services? (No! Numbers 22:15 says, “And Balak sent yet again princes, more, and more honourable than they.”)
- f) Was God pleased or displeased when Balaam persisted in wanting to know if he should go or not go, and when he ultimately went with the men from King Balak? (As Numbers 22:22 declares, “And God’s anger was kindled because he went...)
- g) What animal did God miraculously cause to talk, in order to impress upon Balaam the seriousness of the situation? (His donkey, vs. 28)
- h) Numbers 22:32 records the angel of the Lord speaking to Balaam and saying, “thy way is _____ before me.” (perverse or wrong)
- i) Did King Balak use money or the promise of prestige, etc. to entice Balaam? (Yes. See, vs. 7, 15, 17, 37)

2) Luke 3 – Read Only

3. **Tuesday** –

1) Numbers 23 – Read & Answer Below

- a) Who put “a word in Balaam’s mouth” as mentioned in the early part of this chapter? (The Lord, vs. 5)
- b) Numbers 23:8 says, “How shall I _____, whom God hath not cursed? Or how shall I _____, whom the Lord hath not defied?” (curse; defy)
- c) Was King Balak pleased with Balaam’s initial message from God? (Not at all. Balak replied, “What hast thou done unto me? I took thee to curse mine enemies, and, behold thou hast blessed them altogether,” vs. 11)
- d) Numbers 23:19 says, “God is _____ a man, that he should _____; neither the son of man, that he should _____: hath He said, and shall he not do it? Or hath He spoken, and shall He not make it good?” (not; lie; repent)
- e) What place did Balak bring Balaam to the top of during the third time he tried to get him to curse Israel? (To the top of Peor, vs. 28)

- 2) Luke 3 – Read & Answer Below
- Who was the governor of Judaea, as mentioned in this chapter? (Pontius Pilate, vs. 1)
 - Who was the tetrarch of Galilee, as mentioned in this chapter? (Herod, vs. 1)
 - What was the name of Herod’s brother? (Philip, the tetrarch of Ituraea and of the region of Trachonitis, vs. 1)
 - What did John, the son of Zacharias, come preaching? (The Baptism of repentance for the remissions of sins, vs. 3)
 - What happens to every tree which does not bring forth good fruit? (It is hewn down and cast into the fire, vs. 9)
 - What did John tell the soldiers in regard to their wages? (He told them to “be content with your wages,” vs. 14)
 - What did the people “muse in their hearts” about John? (They wondered whether or not he was the Christ, vs. 15)
 - How old was Jesus when he was baptized/immersed, by John? (About 30 years old, vs. 23)
 - What section discuss the lineage of Christ in this chapter? (Luke 3:23-38)

4. **Wednesday** –

- 1) Numbers 24 – Read & Answer Below
- Where did Balaam “set his face toward,” when he “saw that it pleased the Lord to bless Israel.” (The wilderness, vs. 1)
 - Where did Balaam see Israel abiding? (In their tents according to their tribes, vs. 2)
 - What animal is Israel likened unto by Balaam in Numbers 24:9? (A lion)
 - What person became angry with Balaam and said that he had blessed Israel “three times?” (Balak, vs. 10)
 - What nation is mentioned in Numbers 24:20? (Amalek)
 - What group is mentioned in Numbers 24:21? (The Kenites)
 - Numbers 24:25 says, “And _____ rose up, and went and returned to his place and _____ also went his way.” (Balaam; Balak)
- 2) Luke 3 – Read & Word Study/Research
- What two individuals are listed at the High Priests, per this chapter? (Annas and Caiaphas, vs. 2)
 - What Old Testament passage is referenced in Luke 3:4-6? (Isaiah 40:3ff)
 - John referred to some in his day as a “generation of _____.” (vipers, vs. 7)
 - John told these people to “bring forth therefore _____ worthy of _____.” (fruits; repentance, vs. 8)
 - Is the baptism of fire, as mentioned at the end of Luke 3:16 something a person would desire to be involved in? (Not at all. Luke 3:17 makes it clear that the “baptism of fire,” refers to punishment. In other words, this refers to the eternal punishment of Hell Fire)
 - What was Jesus doing during His baptism according to this chapter? (Praying, vs. 21)
 - Who was the father of David, as mentioned in the lineage listed in this chapter? (Jesse, vs. 32)
 - Which son of Noah is mentioned in the lineage? (Sem (i.e., Shem), vs. 36)

- i) Luke 3:38 reads, “Which was the son of _____, which was the son of _____, which was the son of _____, which was the son of _____.”
(Enos; Seth; Adam; God)

5. **Thursday** –

1) Numbers 25 – Read & Answer Below

- a) Who did the children of Israel begin to commit “whoredom” with, as depicted in the text? (With the daughters of Moab, vs. 1)
- b) Israel jointed himself to _____. (Baal-peor, vs. 3. Compare vs. 2, also. In other words, their wickedness included idolatry, fornication, etc. Idolatry involved all manner of wickedness as clearly demonstrated here.)
- c) Did God simply overlook Israel’s behavior or was His anger stirred up against Israel? (As vs. 3 says, “...the anger of the Lord was kindled against Israel.” Also, vs. 4 says, “...hang them up before the Lord against the sun, that the fierce anger of the Lord may be turned from Israel.”)
- d) Who was the person that thrust the javelin or spear through the belly of the wicked Israelite and the Midianitish woman? (Phinehas, vs. 7)
- e) Was God pleased with this man’s zeal? (Absolutely! Note, vs. 8, 11, 13)
- f) How many Israelites “died in the plague?” (Twenty-four thousand, vs. 9. This is the TOTAL NUMBER that died. Apparently 23,000 died “in one day,” as noted in 1 Corinthians 10:8, but the GRAND TOTAL was 24,000 dying in all. Again, the difference between the 23,000 and the 24,000 is easily understood when looking at the words “in one day” (1 Cor. 10:8) as opposed to the words “those that died in the plague....” (Num. 25:9))
- g) What was the name of the Israelite and the Midianitish woman that Phinehas executed in his zeal for God? (The Israelite man’s name was Zimri, vs. 14 and the woman’s name was Cozbi, vs. 15)
- h) What did God tell Moses to do to the Midianites? (Vex them and smite them, vs. 17)

2) Luke 4 – Read Only

6. **Friday** –

1) Numbers 26 – Read & Answer Below

- a) After the plague was over what did God tell Moses and Eleazar to do? (To take the sum of the people (i.e., number the people) from 20 years old and upward, all that were able to go to war, vs. 2)
- b) When this happened Israel was “in the plains of Moab” which was by what river and by what city? (It was by the river Jordan and by the city of Jericho, vs. 3)
- c) What verses in this chapter discuss, in brief, the fate of Korah, Dathan and Abiram? (Numbers 26:9-11)
- d) As this chapter states, “Zelophehad the son of Hopher had no sons, but daughters: and the names of the daughters of Zelophehad were _____, and _____, _____, _____ and _____.” (Mahlah; Noah; Hoglah; Milcah; Tirzah, vs. 33)
- e) What was the name of the father and mother of Moses, Aaron and Miriam? (Their father’s name was Amram and their mother’s name was Jochebed, vs. 59)

- f) What verse in this chapter discusses, in brief, the fate of Nadab and Abihu? (Numbers 26:61; Cf., Leviticus 10:1ff)
 - g) What two men who were over the age of 20 were listed in this second census? In other words, what two men over the age of 20 when the 40 years of wandering started did not die and would be able to go into the land of promise? (Caleb and Joshua, vs. 65)
- 2) Luke 4 – Read & Answer Below
- a) How many days did the Devil tempt Jesus? (40 days, vs. 2)
 - b) The text says that the Devil showed Jesus “all the kingdoms of the world in a _____ of _____.” (moment; time, vs. 5)
 - c) How long does the text say that the Devil departed from Jesus? (For a season, vs. 13)
 - d) Jesus came to _____, “where He was brought up.” (Nazareth, vs. 16)
 - e) Luke 4:21 says, “...This day is this _____ fulfilled in your _____.” (scripture; ears)
 - f) What was the name of the widow that Elijah was sent to, during the famine? (Sarepta, vs. 26)
 - g) What was the name of the person that was cleansed from his leprosy as referenced by Jesus? (Naaman, vs. 27)
 - h) Whose wife’s mother “was taken with a great fever” and then miraculously healed? (Simon’s (i.e., Peter’s) mother, vs. 38-39)
 - i) What did Jesus do “in the synagogues of Galilee,” as mentioned at the end of this chapter? (He preached, vs. 44)

7. Saturday –

- 1) Numbers 27 – Read & Answer Below
- a) What were the names of the daughters of Zelophehad? (Mahlah, Noah, Hoglah, Milcah and Tirzah, vs.1)
 - b) What did Moses do when the daughters brought their case to him and the other leaders? (Moses “brought their cause before the Lord,” vs. 5)
 - c) Did God say that the daughters of Zelophehad speak words that were right or words that were wrong? (God said, “The daughters of Zelophehad speak right...,” vs. 7)
 - d) What mountain did God tell Moses to go to in order that he could see the land of promise? (Mount Abarim, vs. 12)
 - e) Who died first, Aaron or Moses? (Aaron, vs. 13)
 - f) What person would replace Moses as the leader of Israel after the death of Moses? (Joshua, vs. 15-23)
 - g) Who was this new leader to be set before? (Eleazar the priest, vs. 19, 21)
- 2) Luke 4 – Read & Word Study/Research
- a) Luke 4:1 reads, “And _____ being full of the _____ returned from Jordan, and was led by the _____ into the wilderness.” (Jesus; Holy Ghost; Spirit)
 - b) What Old Testament passage does Jesus use in Luke 4:4 to refute the Devil? (Deuteronomy 8:3)
 - c) What Old Testament passage does Jesus use in Luke 4:8 to refute the Devil? (Deuteronomy 6:13)

- d) What Old Testament passage does the Devil misuse as related in Luke 4:10-11? (Psalm 91:11-12)
- e) What Old Testament passage does Jesus use in Luke 4:12 to correct the misuse of Scripture by the Devil? (Deuteronomy 6:16)
- f) What Old Testament passage is referenced by Jesus in Luke 4:18-19? (Isaiah 61:1-2)
- g) What two Old Testament chapters are the events of Luke 4:25-27 found in? (The account of Elijah and the widow Sarepta is found in 1 Kings 17 and the event regarding Naaman is found in 2 Kings 5)
- h) Luke 4:32 says, “And they were _____ at His _____: for His word was with _____.” (astonished; doctrine; power)
- i) After referencing a miracle of Jesus, Luke 4:37 records, “And the _____ of Him went out into _____ place of the country round about.” (fame; every)