

Deuteronomy 8

1. According to verses 1 & 6, upon what conditions would (and did) God bless and help the people?

2. According to verses 2, 5, and the last part of verse 16, what was God doing to the Jewish people during their wilderness wanderings?

a. *Thought Question:* Did God not already know the hearts of the Jewish people? Be prepared to discuss:

3. How did God help the Jews in the wilderness? (3-4)

a. How is the wilderness described in verse 15?

b. What dangerous things and conditions were there?

4. List the things that the Jews would acquire, enjoy and experience in the promised land: (7-10)

5. According to verses 11-14 & 17 what potential mental and attitudinal dangers would face the people after entering the promised land?
 - a. According to 1 Timothy 6:9, 10 & 17, what dangers are sometimes posed by wealth?

6. What would God do to the people if they forgot Him and stopped obeying Him?
 - a. What is cited as proof of God's willingness to carry out such a punishment?

 - b. What had Moses told them about this 40 years before? (see Leviticus 20:22-23)