

Timeline of Truth: God Leads Israel through Several Nations (Numbers 21:10-35)

I. Israel at Mount Sinai (1-10:10)

II. Israel in the Wilderness (10:11-36:13)

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<p>Numbers 21:10-35 ¹⁰ Now the children of Israel moved on and camped in Oboth. ¹¹ And they journeyed from Oboth and camped at Ije Abarim, in the wilderness which <i>is</i> east of Moab, toward the sunrise. ¹² From there they moved and camped in the Valley of Zered. ¹³ From there they moved and camped on the other side of the Arnon, which <i>is</i> in the wilderness that extends from the border of the Amorites; for the Arnon <i>is</i> the border of Moab, between Moab and the Amorites.</p>	<p>1. Israel _____ Wandering Through the Wilderness</p>
<p>¹⁴ Therefore it is said in the Book of the Wars of the LORD: "Waheb in Suphah, The brooks of the Arnon, ¹⁵ And the slope of the brooks That reaches to the dwelling of Ar, And lies on the border of Moab."</p>	<p>2. Moses _____ from the Book of Wars of the Lord</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waheb – unknown, perhaps a place in Moab • Suphah – “Storm, wind”, place in east Jordan • Arnon – a stream between Moab and the Amorites • Ar – south of Arnon, considered the capitol of Moab
<p>¹⁶ From there <i>they went</i> to Beer, which <i>is</i> the well where the LORD said to Moses, "Gather the people together, and I will give them water." ¹⁷ Then Israel sang this song: "Spring up, O well! All of you sing to it -- ¹⁸ The well the leaders sank, Dug by the nation's nobles, By the lawgiver, with their staves."</p>	<p>3. God _____ the People Water at Beer</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. This seems to be a new incident, although it is written in the past tense. b. Israel wrote a song to commemorate the well where the Lord provided water.
<p>And from the wilderness <i>they went</i> to Mattanah, ¹⁹ from Mattanah to Nahaliel, from Nahaliel to Bamoth, ²⁰ and from Bamoth, <i>in</i> the valley that <i>is</i> in the country of Moab, to the top of Pisgah which looks down on the wasteland.</p>	<p>4. Israel _____ Some More</p>
<p>²¹ Then Israel sent messengers to Sihon king of the Amorites, saying, ²² "Let me pass through your land. We will not turn aside into fields or vineyards; we will not drink water from wells. We will go by the King's Highway until we have passed through your territory."</p>	<p>5. Israel Seeks to _____ the Amorites' Land</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. This is much like what Israel tried to do with Edom b. They offer to pass through the land peacefully <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • They will not take from their crops • They will not take water • They will go by the King's Highway
<p>²³ But Sihon would not allow Israel to pass through his territory. So Sihon gathered all his people together and went out against Israel in the wilderness, and he came to Jahaz and fought against Israel. ²⁴ Then Israel defeated him with the edge of the sword, and took possession of his land from the Arnon to the Jabbok, as far as the people of Ammon; for the border of the people of Ammon <i>was</i> fortified. ²⁵ So Israel took all these cities, and Israel dwelt in all the cities of the Amorites, in Heshbon and in all its villages. ²⁶ For</p>	<p>6. The Amorites are _____</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. The king of the Amorites would not allow them to pass b. Israel and the Amorites fought c. Israel defeats the Amorites <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • They took possession of the Amorites' land • They took and dwelt in the cities

<p>Heshbon was the city of Sihon king of the Amorites, who had fought against the former king of Moab, and had taken all his land from his hand as far as the Arnon.</p>	
<p>²⁷ Therefore those who speak in proverbs say: "Come to Heshbon, let it be built; Let the city of Sihon be repaired. ²⁸ "For fire went out from Heshbon, A flame from the city of Sihon; It consumed Ar of Moab, The lords of the heights of the Arnon. ²⁹ Woe to you, Moab! You have perished, O people of Chemosh! He has given his sons as fugitives, And his daughters into captivity, To Sihon king of the Amorites. ³⁰ "But we have shot at them; Heshbon has perished as far as Dibon. Then we laid waste as far as Nophah, Which reaches to Medeba."</p>	<p>7. Moses _____ a Proverb</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. This focuses on Israel taking the cities, repairing them and dwelling in them b. This also focuses on the defeat of the Amorites and the captivity of their sons and daughters
<p>³¹ Thus Israel dwelt in the land of the Amorites. ³² Then Moses sent to spy out Jazer; and they took its villages and drove out the Amorites who were there.</p>	<p>8. Israel Continues to _____ the Amorites</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moses used the captured cities as a bases,
	<p>Genesis 15:13-21 ¹³ Then He said to Abram: "Know certainly that your descendants will be strangers in a land that is not theirs, and will serve them, and they will afflict them four hundred years. ¹⁴ "And also the nation whom they serve I will judge; afterward they shall come out with great possessions. ¹⁵ "Now as for you, you shall go to your fathers in peace; you shall be buried at a good old age. ¹⁶ "But in the fourth generation they shall return here, for the iniquity of the Amorites is not yet complete." ¹⁷ And it came to pass, when the sun went down and it was dark, that behold, there appeared a smoking oven and a burning torch that passed between those pieces. ¹⁸ On the same day the LORD made a covenant with Abram, saying: "To your descendants I have given this land, from the river of Egypt to the great river, the River Euphrates -- ¹⁹ "the Kenites, the Kenezites, the Kadmonites, ²⁰ "the Hittites, the Perizzites, the Rephaim, ²¹ "the Amorites, the Canaanites, the Girgashites, and the Jebusites."</p> <p>Exodus 3:7-8 ⁷ And the LORD said: "I have surely seen the oppression of My people who are in Egypt, and have heard their cry because of their taskmasters, for I know their sorrows. ⁸ "So I have come down to deliver them out of the hand of the Egyptians, and to bring them up from that land to a good and large land, to a land flowing with milk and honey, to the place of the Canaanites and the Hittites and the Amorites and the Perizzites and the Hivites and the Jebusites.</p>
<p>³³ And they turned and went up by the way to Bashan. So Og king of Bashan went out against them, he and all his people, to battle at Edrei. ³⁴ Then the LORD said to Moses, "Do not fear him, for I have delivered him into your hand, with all his people and his land; and you shall do to him as you did to Sihon king of the Amorites, who dwelt at Heshbon." ³⁵ So they defeated him, his sons, and all his people, until there was no survivor left him; and they took possession of his land.</p>	<p>9. Israel _____ Bashan</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. The king of Bashan attacked Israel b. The Lord promises to deliver Bashan into the hand of Israel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ God promises that Israel will conquer both the people and the land ○ God compares Bashan to the Amorites c. Israel defeats Bashan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Israel killed all the people of Bashan ○ Israel took possession of this land also

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