

**Allen Temple Baptist Church**  
*Sunday School Live* 

**Spring Quarter Theme: God Frees & Redeems**  
*Unit 1: “Liberating Passover”*

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**Sunday March 27, 2022**

**Lesson Title: Lest We Forget**

**Text: Deuteronomy 8:1-11**

**Background Scripture Deuteronomy 8**

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# Key Verse

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## **Deuteronomy 8:11**

Take care that you do not forget the LORD your God, by failing to keep his commandments, his ordinances, and his statutes, which I am commanding you today.

# Key Scripture Reference

**(Deuteronomy 6: 4 – 7 NRSV)**

**“Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one. Love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength. These commandments that I give you today are to be upon your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up.”**

# LESSON CONTEXT

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## **Deuteronomy Chapters 1-6**

**Ch.1-2. Israel's History after Exodus & wilderness.**

**Ch. 3 God's conquests & victories over kings & land.**

**Ch. 4 A stern warning to obey God's Law.**

**Ch. 5 Ten Commandments repeated & Moses Intercession**

**Ch. 6-7 Warnings to obey God, prosper and receive God's promises.**

## Q & A To Remember

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- 1. What is the significance of “the test” Moses spoke of in verse 2, and the multiple orders to obey the God’s commandments.**
- 2. What tangible blessings & provisions did God provide in the wilderness ?**

# LESSON THEMES

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- 1. Remember Gods Promises & Provision**  
**Deuteronomy 8:1-4**
- 2. Remember the Cause for Correction**  
**Deuteronomy 8:5-6**
- 3. Remembering the Wilderness**  
**Deuteronomy 8:7-11**

# LESSON GOALS

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- 1. Remembering our history to fuel our faith.**
- 2. Acknowledge God's faithfulness; practice humility & gratitude in every season.**
- 3. Remember to Keep God's Commandments.**
- 4. Trust God more than your eyesight.**

# LEST WE FORGET

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## **Deuteronomy 8:1 NIV**

**8** Be careful to follow every command I am giving you today, so that you may live and increase and may enter and possess the land the LORD promised on oath to your ancestors.



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## **Deuteronomy 8:2 NIV**

<sup>2</sup> Remember how the LORD your God led you all the way in the wilderness these forty years, to humble and test you in order to know what was in your heart, whether or not you would keep his commands.

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## **Deuteronomy 8:3 NIV**

<sup>3</sup> He humbled you, causing you to hunger and then feeding you with manna, which neither you nor your ancestors had known, to teach you that man does not live on bread alone but on every word that comes from the mouth of the LORD.

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## **Deuteronomy 8:4-5 NIV**

<sup>4</sup> Your clothes did not wear out and your feet did not swell during these forty years. <sup>5</sup> Know then in your heart that as a man disciplines his son, so the LORD your God disciplines you.

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## Deuteronomy 8:6 NIV

<sup>6</sup> Observe the commands of the LORD your God, walking in obedience to him and revering him.

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## Deuteronomy 8:7-8 NIV

<sup>7</sup> For the LORD your God is bringing you into a good land, a land with brooks, streams, and deep springs gushing out into the valleys and hills; <sup>8</sup> a land with wheat and barley, vines and fig trees, pomegranates, olive oil and honey;

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## Deuteronomy 8:9 NIV

<sup>9</sup> a land where bread will not be scarce and you will lack nothing; a land where the rocks are iron and you can dig copper out of the hills.

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## Deuteronomy 8:10 NIV

<sup>10</sup> When you have eaten and are satisfied, praise the LORD your God for the good land He has given you.

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## **Deuteronomy 8:11 NIV**

**<sup>11</sup> Be careful that you do not forget the LORD your God, failing to observe his commands, his laws and his decrees that I am giving you this day.**



## Q & A To Remember

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- 1. What is the significance of “the test” Moses spoke of in verse 2, and the multiple orders to obey the commandments? **To know their hearts; and because of their Parents past disobedience Numbers 14:26-32****
- 2. What tangible blessings & provisions did God provide in the wilderness ? **Deut. 8:3-4****

## LESSON SUMMARY

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**Moses Gives Warning to this New Generation of Israelites to NEVER forget Gods Miracles & Blessings. Sometimes GOD has to humble us, as the flesh will cause the mind to take God's blessings as OUR own production without ever giving GOD credit, Ex: I built this & I grew that, I started this & I made that. Or blatant continued disobedience.**

**Deut. 8:12-17**

# LIFE APPLICATION

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**How do we become better servants & leaders?**

- 1. Remembering our history to fuel our faith + works**
- 2. Acknowledge God's faithfulness; practice humility & gratitude in every season.**
- 3. Remember to Keep God's Commandments.**
- 4. Trust God more than your eyesight.**

## CLOSING PRAYER

**Heavenly Father, I thank you for life, your love and every blessing you have provided me. Forgive me if I have been ungrateful or forgetful of your hand in my life. Give me a clean heart, renew my spirit and I will serve you with all of my heart and forever praise your Holy Name. Amen.**