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Old Testament 4



POINTS TO EMPHASIZE:

1. Review [O.T. 4 Bible Facts Flashcards](#) (provided under “O.T. 4 Bible Facts” on curriculum Web site)
2. Use the activities and visuals from the lessons to help review.
3. Utilize the following questions to review each lesson.

Lesson 1: The Ten Commandments

1. How many Israelites wandered in the wilderness? (About two to three million)
2. What was the name of the mountain where the Israelites stopped? (Mount Sinai)
3. God called Moses to the mountaintop for how many days? (Three)
4. God told Moses He would make the Israelites a great nation on what condition? (If they obeyed Him)
5. When God told Moses to gather the Israelites at the foot of the mountain at the end of the third day, what happened? (There was a great deal of thunder and lightning, a thick cloud came down from the mountain, the ground shook, the mountain was ablaze, a loud trumpet sounded, and God spoke to His people.)
6. How did the Israelites react? (They were frightened and would not go close to the mountain.)
7. Moses then went back up the mountain for how many days? (40 days and 40 nights)
8. What did God give Moses on Mt. Sinai? (The Ten Commandments on tablets of stone)
9. Name the Ten Commandments.

You shall have no other gods before Me.

You shall not make for yourself an idol.

You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.

Remember the Sabbath to keep it holy.

Honor your father and mother.

You shall not murder.

You shall not commit adultery.

You shall not steal.

You shall not bear false witness.

You shall not covet.



Lesson 2: The Golden Calf

1. Who did Moses leave in charge of the Israelites? (Aaron and Hur)
2. What did the people tell Aaron that they wanted to worship? (An idol)
3. What did Aaron tell the Israelites to do? (He told them to gather all of their gold and bring it to him, and he melted it and shaped it into a golden calf.)
4. What happened when God saw the Israelites partying and worshipping the golden calf? (He was angry and said He would punish all of them.)
5. What did Moses ask God to do? (Not destroy the Israelites for their sin.)
6. What happened when Moses came down from the mountain with the Ten Commandments in his hands? (He threw the tablets down and they broke into pieces.)
7. What did Moses do with the golden calf? (He burned it, ground it into powder, put the powder into the people's water supply, and made them drink it.)
8. What did Aaron say when Moses asked him about the golden calf? (He said the people gave him the gold, and he threw it into the fire and the calf came out of the fire on its own.)
9. When Moses announced, "Whoever is for the Lord, come to me," who came forward? (All of the Levites)
10. What did Moses tell the Levites to do? (To go through the camp and kill the wicked that they met.)
11. How many people were killed that day? (About 3,000)

Lesson 3: Building the Tabernacle

1. God wanted the Israelites to have a special place to worship. What was it called? (The Tabernacle)
2. What tribe was set aside to take care of everything related to worship? (The tribe of Levi)
3. Who was the first High Priest? (Aaron)
4. How big was the Tabernacle? (About 45 feet long and 15 feet wide)
5. What two important items were in the outer court? (The altar of burnt offerings and the bronze laver)
6. What were the names of the two rooms within the Tabernacle? (The Holy Place and the Most Holy Place)
7. What was in the Holy Place? (Table of showbread, altar of incense, and the lampstand)
8. What was in the Most Holy Place? (The Ark of the Covenant)
9. What was in the Ark of the Covenant? (The Ten Commandments, Aaron's rod, and a jar of manna)
10. Was anyone allowed into the Most Holy Place? (Only the High Priest, and only for one day: the Day of Atonement)

Lesson 4: Nadab and Abihu

1. Who were Aaron's four sons that worked under him? (Nadab, Abihu, Eleazar, and Ithamar)
2. After the Tabernacle was completed, how long did the Israelites celebrate? (Eight days)
3. God had given special instructions to the Israelites concerning a special ceremony they were to have; what happened after the special sacrifices had been made? (Fire came down from heaven and completely consumed the offering on the altar.)
4. What "bad choice" did Nadab and Abihu make with their offerings? (They decided to offer "foreign fire" to burn incense at the tabernacle.)
5. What happened to them? (God sent fire to burn them to death.)
6. Why did God execute them? (They used the wrong fire.)

Lesson 5: The Twelve Spies Sent into Canaan

1. How many spies were sent out from each tribe? (One)
2. How many spies were there in all? (12)
3. What was the name of the land they were to scout? (Canaan)
4. What did the spies find out about Canaanites? (That they were big, strong, and that there were many people in the cities of Canaan)
5. What did the spies bring back from the cities? (Pomegranates, figs, and a huge cluster of grapes)
6. How long were the spies in the land of Canaan? (40 days)
7. What kind of report did the spies have? (Ten spies said that the people were like giants and that the Israelites could not defeat them, but two said that they could conquer the land with God's help.)
8. Who were the two spies that gave a good report? (Joshua and Caleb)
9. How did God punish the people for their lack of faith? (He made them wander in the wilderness for 40 years, not letting them go into the Promised Land.)

Lesson 6: Korah Leads a Rebellion Against God: Aaron's Rod Comes to Life

1. Who wanted to take Moses' place? (Korah)
2. Name Korah's three friends who convinced 250 leaders that they needed a new leader. (Dathan, Abiram, and On)
3. How did God feel about Korah making himself the new leader? (He was displeased.)
4. What did God do to show who He wanted to be the leader of the Israelites? (He had Korah, Dathan, Abiram, On, and the others stand in front of their tents, and He caused the Earth to tremble and the ground to split open, and they and some of their families fell into the cracks in the ground, and the ground closed over them.)
5. Then, what did God do to the other 250 men who had sided with Korah? (He sent fire to kill them.)
6. Why did God punish them? (Because they had rebelled against a decision made by Him, against the leaders He had chosen.)

7. The leaders of each tribe were to bring their rods to Moses with their names on the rods. Moses put them in the tabernacle along with Aaron's rod. What happened the next morning? (Aaron's rod had sprouted leaves and had ripe almonds on it.)
8. What was the reason behind this action? (It was to show the Israelites who God had chosen to be the leader of His people.)

Lesson 7: Moses Strikes the Rock at Meribah; The Bronze Snake

1. What did Moses call the place where the Israelites were when they started complaining about not having enough water? (Meribah)
2. What did God tell Moses to do to a certain rock? (Speak to it)
3. What did Moses do to the rock? (He struck the rock instead of talking to it.)
3. Did water still flow from the rock? (Yes)
4. What was Moses' punishment for disobeying God? (He would not be allowed to go into the Promised Land.)
5. Was Aaron allowed to go into the Promised Land? (No)
6. Who became the High Priest? (Aaron's son, Eleazar)
7. When the Israelites complained, again, about not having enough water, what did God send? (Poisonous snakes)
8. What did God have Moses set up in the camp? (A bronze serpent)
9. What would happen if the Israelites looked at the snake? (They would be healed if they had been bitten by the snakes.)

Lesson 8: Balaam

1. Who was the king of Moab? (Balak)
2. Who did Balak contact to put a curse on the Israelites? (Balaam)
3. What did God tell Balaam to say? (Only His words)
4. On his journey, what appeared before Balaam's donkey? (An angel of the Lord)
5. Could Balaam see the angel? (No)
6. What happened when the donkey saw the angel? (He ran into the ditch.)
7. What did Balaam do to the donkey? (He beat the donkey.)
8. What happened the second time the donkey saw the angel? (He ran into a wall, crushing Balaam's foot.)
9. What did Balaam do to the donkey that time? (He beat the donkey, again.)
10. What happened the third time the donkey saw the angel? (The donkey laid down in the road.)
11. What did Balaam do to the donkey the third time? (He beat the donkey, again.)
12. What happened next? (The donkey spoke to Balaam. He asked why he had beaten him when he had been good to him.)
13. What did God do next? (He allowed Balaam to see the angel.)
14. Did Balaam do what God had asked him to do? (Yes, He blessed the Israelites instead

of cursing them, which angered King Balak.)

Lesson 9: Moses' Death

1. Who did God choose to replace Moses to lead the Israelites? (Joshua)
2. Where did Moses die? (On Mount Nebo)
3. Who buried Moses? (God)
4. What did Moses want the people to remember? (That they were God's chosen people.)

Lesson 10: Battle of Jericho and Rahab

1. How many spies did Joshua send into Jericho? (Two)
2. Who hid the spies in her home? (Rahab)
3. What was her reward for hiding the spies? (She and her household would be spared when Jericho was destroyed.)
4. How would they know which house was Rahab's? (She was to hang a red rope out of her window.)
5. What happened when the four priests carrying the Ark of the Covenant touched the Jordan River? (The waters stopped flowing so the men could walk across on dry land.)
6. What did the chosen men of each tribe pick up as they crossed the river? (Each one picked up a stone to build a memorial of the crossing of the Jordan River.)
7. What was God's instructions for the battle of Jericho? (They were to march around the city once each day, making no noise for six days. Then on the seventh day, they were to march around the city seven times, and on the seventh time, blow their horns and give a shout.)
8. What happened when they did as God instructed? (The walls of Jericho came tumbling down, except for Rahab's house.)
9. What were they to do with the gold and silver taken from the city? (It was to be put into the treasury of the Tabernacle.)

Lesson 11: Battle of Ai; Achan's Sin

1. How many men did Joshua take to fight the city of Ai? (3,000)
2. Did they win the battle? (No, 36 Israelites were killed in battle.)
3. Why did God say they had lost the battle? (Someone had taken something from Jericho and had kept it for himself.)
4. How did Joshua discover the guilty person? (He had the people come before him by tribes and then families, and God told him which tribe and individual was guilty.)
5. Who was shown to have taken the items? (Achan)
6. What happened to him and his family? (They were stoned to death.)

Lesson 12: Joshua and the Gibeonites

1. How did the Gibeonites trick Joshua? (They put on old clothes, placed old bags on

their donkeys, and had old food in their food sacks.)

2. What did they want from Joshua? (A peace treaty)
3. Was that what God wanted? (No)
4. Did Joshua believe their story and give them a peace treaty? (Yes)
5. After several battles, when they came to the town of Gibeon, what did Joshua realize? (They had been tricked.)
6. Why did God want them to destroy all the nations living in Canaan? (They were wicked people and God did not want them to be influenced by their false religion.)

Lesson 13: Division of Promised Land; Caleb's Reward

1. How was the Promised Land to be divided? (Between the 12 tribes, descendants of the 12 sons of Jacob)
2. Which tribe would not get its own, separate land? (Levi)
3. Who would get land in place of Levi? (Both of the sons of Joseph: Ephraim and Manasseh)
4. What two special men got to choose land for themselves? (Joshua and Caleb)
5. Why did God let them choose their land? (They were the only spies out of twelve who said the Israelites could go and conquer the Promised Land of Canaan.)
6. How old were Joshua and Caleb when the land was divided? (Around 85)

Bonus Lesson: Joshua's Final Instructions and Warnings

1. What did Joshua remind the leaders about God? (He would always keep His promises to His people.)
2. What did the Israelites have to do for God to receive the blessings of His promises? (They had to put Him first.)
3. What was God and Joshua most afraid of for the people of Israel? (They would compromise themselves and get more comfortable with the idol-worshippers.)
4. What was the most important thing Joshua stressed to the people of Israel? (They were to follow God's commandments and choose who they would serve.)
5. Where were Joshua and Eleazar both buried? (In the hill country of Ephraim)
6. Did the people listen to Joshua and stay faithful to God? (No. They strayed and soon started worshipping idols.)