

The Altar on Mount Ebal - Deuteronomy 27:1-28:68

Topics: Blessing, Choices, Danger, Idolatry, Obedience, Promises, Remembering

Open It

1. What is a good decision you recently made?
2. In times of trouble, what are ways people resort to drastic measures?
- * 3. What do you find true about the statement “You reap what you sow”?

Explore It

4. What did Moses and the elders of Israel command the people? (27:1-4)
5. What were the Israelites told to build? (27:5-8)
6. What did Moses and the Levites say to all of Israel? (27:9-14)
7. What curse did the Levites pronounce against idol worshipers? (27:15)
8. What curse was given to people who lead the blind astray? (27:18)
9. For what reason would a person be cursed for not carrying out the law? (27:26)
- * 10. What blessings would Israel receive for following God’s commands? (28:1-13)
- * 11. What directions were the people of Israel given about where to turn? (28:14)
12. What curses would follow Israel for not following the commands of the Lord? (28:15-24)
13. How would the enemies of the Lord defeat the Israelites? (28:25-26)
14. What bad news did God have for Israel? (28:36-37)
15. Why would so many curses overcome the Israelites? (28:45-48)
16. What would happen if Israel did not carefully follow all the words of the law? (28:58-63)
17. How would Israel become scattered throughout the earth for abandoning the Lord? (28:64-67)
- * 18. Where would Israel be sent back for their sin against the Lord? (28:68)

Get It

- * 19. How do the decisions we make today affect the rest of our lives?
20. What are ways people do not always consider the severity of their actions?
21. How does God want to bless us for following His ways?
22. What does this passage teach us about considering every decision we make?
23. If you were Moses, how would you have felt challenging the people to follow God?
- * 24. How do small decisions for God have an impact on big decisions for God?
25. In what way does our sin always “find us out”?
26. How can Christian friends help us to stay on track with our love for God?

Apply It

- * 27. What is a specific decision you need to make to honor God?
28. In what area of your life do you want to invite the Holy Spirit to work?