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Bible Study– Grade 4

Welcome to your Conquesta Olympiad. When you have decided which of the answers is correct, scratch out the letter in the matching square on your answer sheet using **ONLY a black or blue ballpoint or black khoki pen.** (Do not use pencils, crayons, pencil crayons, highlighters, tippex or glue.) If the answer to question 4 is c, then scratch out the letter c in the square containing c next to the number 4 (see example 1 below). If you've made a mistake and b should have been the answer, neatly cross out the mistake and then scratch out b (see example 2 below).

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Numbers

The first five books of the Bible are called the 'Books of the Law'.

Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy

The book of Numbers gets its name from the census that is taken in the book. Numbers is the book of the 'roll call'. Numbers is about the Israelites' wanderings in the wilderness from Mount Sinai to the border of Canaan. Canaan is sometimes called the 'Promised Land' because it is the land that God promised to His people.

Moses wrote the book of Numbers which is a book of the Law. The book of Numbers teaches us about the wanderings of the Israelites in the desert. The people mentioned in the book of numbers are:

Moses, Aaron, Joshua, Caleb, Miriam and The Priest.

In chapters 1 - 4, God's people prepare to leave Mount Sinai. The Israelites count everyone and plan how the twelve tribes would line up for the march. Very careful directions for how the Tabernacle (a tent for carrying the Ark of the Covenant which were the Ten Commandments written on stone) is to be moved are given. In chapters 5 through 10, God's people are being very careful to obey all the laws that God has given them. As the Israelites prepare to leave, they celebrate the Feast of the Passover. By celebrating the Feast of the Passover, the Israelites were reminded of how God had delivered them from slavery in Egypt.

1. **Numbers is the book of the Bible.**
(a) first (b) second (c) third (d) fourth
2. **What does 'census' mean?**
(a) A count of people.
(b) A book of numbers.
(c) An explanation of numbers.
(d) A textbook working with numbers.
3. **Who wrote the Book of Numbers?**
(a) Moses (b) Aaron
(c) Joshua (d) Caleb
4. **Most of the book is about the wanderings in the desert. What other name could replace the title Numbers?**
(a) Counting. (b) In the Wilderness.
(c) The Priest. (d) Slavery.
5. **Why is Canaan often called the 'Promised Land'?**
(a) It held so many promises for the Israelites.
(b) It promised to be a land where you get rich.
(c) God had promised this land to the Israelites.
(d) It was not a certainty but only a promise.
6. **What is a tabernacle?**
(a) Tent (b) Stone (c) Law (d) Book
7. **What law does Numbers focus on?**
(a) The King's Laws. (b) Canaan's Laws.
(c) God's Laws. (d) Moses' Laws.
8. **What does the Feast of The Passover celebrate?**
(a) Peace. (b) Freedom.
(c) Slavery. (d) Love.

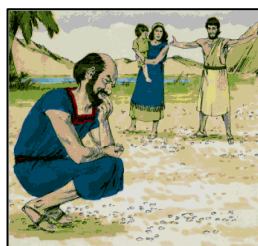
1-3 On the fifteenth day of the second month after they had left Egypt, the whole company of Israel moved on from Elim to the Wilderness of Sin which is between Elim and Sinai. The whole company of Israel complained against Moses and Aaron there in the wilderness. The Israelites said, "Why didn't God let us die in comfort in Egypt where we had lamb stew and all the bread we could eat? You've brought us out into this wilderness to starve us to death, the whole company of Israel!"

4-5 God said to Moses, "I'm going to rain bread down from the skies for you."

Chapters 10 through 20 tell how the Israelites did not trust and believe God and His promise to give them the Promised Land. As a result of their lack of faith in God, the Israelites had to wander in the wilderness for 40 years.

In Exodus, we are told of the difficulties in the desert.

9. **What were the people doing?**
(a) Praying. (b) Praising.
(c) Complaining. (d) Singing.



10. What do we learn from this act of God (raining bread)?

- (a) God makes people suffer.
- (b) God provides for us.
- (c) God does not like grumbling.
- (d) God is impatient.