

God Provides What We Need When We Need It!

Grit Before Greatness! Pt. 4

Exodus 16
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Theme Verse

(Exodus 3:7-8)

1. The Children Of Israel Grumble AGAIN

Exodus 16:1, *The whole Israelite community set out from Elim and came to the Desert of Sin, which is between Elim and Sinai, on the fifteenth day of the second month after they had come out of Egypt. ²In the desert the whole community grumbled against Moses and Aaron. ³The Israelites said to them, “If only we had died by the Lord’s hand in Egypt! There we sat around pots of meat and ate all the food we wanted, but you have brought us out into this desert to starve this entire assembly to death.”*

Takeaways From Israel’s Grumbling:

- **Grumbling Is A CONTAGIOUS SIN**
(Philippians 2:14)
- **Grumbling Came From Problems Not PLEASURE**
(Philippians 4:11-12)
- **Grumbling Came From Looking Back Not FORWARD**
(Hebrews 11:8-10)
- **Grumbling Exposed A Failure Of Faith And GRATITUDE**
(1 Thessalonians 5:16-18)
- **Grumbling Is A Misunderstanding Of LEADERSHIP**
(Exodus 16:8)

2. God’s Regulations Regarding The MANNA
(Exodus 16:15-24)

Three Requirements For The Manna:

- **Each One Was To Gather His OWN FOOD**
(2 Thessalonians 3:10)
- **They Were Only To Gather What They NEEDED**
(Matthew 6:9-11)
- **Sixth Day: Gather Double Because The Sabbath Was For REST**

Looking At The Manna And Seeing Jesus:

1. Both Came From Heaven And Were Given By The Father
(John 3:13)
2. Both Came To The Wilderness Of Sin (Romans 3:23; 6:23)
3. Both Came To Where The People Were (John 1:11-12)
4. Both Had To Be Received One At A Time (John 5:24)
(John 6:30-38)