

## TAKE POSSESSION OF THE LAND!

Numbers 31:1-36:13

Key verse 33:53

### \* Moses' last fight (31:1-32:42)

1. What mission did God give Moses before his death? (31:1,2) How did Moses and the Israelites carry out the revenge of the Lord on the Midianites? (31:3-12) Why was Moses angry with the Israelites? (31:13-18; 25:1-9) How were the prisoners and spoils of war be distributed? (31:19-54)
2. Why did the Reubenites and Gadites request land outside the bounds of that promised? (32:1-5) How did Moses rebuke their sin and how did they react to it? (32:6-19) How was the east side of the Jordan distributed? (33-42) How and why are unity and cooperation important in the war of conquest for the kingdom of God?

### \* God's plan for distribution for Israel in Canaan (33:1-36:13)

3. Describe the itinerary of the Israelites. (33:1-49) Why did God command Moses to record their entire itinerary? (33:2) What does God teach his people about himself and about the life of the Israelites in the Desert? What did God command Moses on the plains of Moab by the Jordan? (33:50-54) Why? (33:55,56; Ex 23:23,24) What significance does this repeated instruction have for our life of faith?
4. Describe the plan for the distribution of the land for the Israelites. (34:1-15; Gen 13:14-17) What does God's designation of the borders and the responsibilities teach us? (34:16-29) What order did God give to the Levites and what does this show about their role and task in the promised land? (35:1-8) What can we learn about the God who provided cities of refuge? (35: 6a, 9-34) How did Moses officially resolve the concerns of the daughters of Zelophehad? (36:1-13)