

Numbers 10:11 – 12:16
“From Sinai to Paran”... “Are we there yet?”

- I. Departure from Sinai (10:11 – 36)
 - a. An Organized Departure (11 – 26)
 - b. A Conversation with Hobab (29-32)
 - c. A Promising Start (33-36)

- II. Three Fits of Grumbling (Ch. 11-12)
 - a. The people complain at Taberah (1-3)
 - * 1 Cor. 10:1-13 – Why is grumbling such an offense against God?

 - b. The infectious grumbling of “the rabble” (4-35)
 - * Psalm 78:21-31
 - i. Selective Memory (4-6)
 - ii. Description of Manna (7-9)
 - iii. An exasperated leader (10 – 15)
 - iv. Elders appointed (16-30)
 - v. Quail (31-35)

 - c. Miriam and Aaron (Ch. 12)
 - i. The complaint (1-3)
 - ii. Moses, Aaron and Miriam summoned by God (4-9)
 - iii. Miriam struck with leprosy (10 – 15)
 - iv. The wilderness of Paran (12:16 cf. 10:12)