

Numbers 33 - Preparing to Take Possession of the Promised Land

Context

As God prepared His people to take possession of the Promised Land, He wanted them to be:

1. Confident of His victorious & faithful leading (Num 33:1-49)

[God commanded Moses to record their 40 years of journey]

- God's triumphant deliverance of His people and judgment upon the Egyptians and their gods (cf. Exo 12)
- God's bountiful provision for His people
- God's leading through difficult places to teach them reliance upon Him (cf. Exo 17:1-7; Deut 8:11-18)
- God was leading them to the next stage of their journey – the conquest of the Promised Land

2. Compliant under His sovereignty and Committed in devotion to Him (Num 33:40-56)

[God gave instructions regarding the possession of the Promised Land]

Reflection:

- Trace how God has been leading us so far: conversion, provisions, difficulties.
 - Trace how God has been leading the ministry we are in.
- What's next for us in God's leading? Are there "idols" we need to clear out?