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ARTICLE FIFTEEN
PARAGRAPHS OF THE BIBLE – DEUTERONOMY 1-27

ONE
A. Forty years ago He said to us, “You’ve been here long enough!” (1:1-8)
B. Here’s what I said at that time (1:9-18)
C. The route of the spies (1:19-25)
D. The rebellion by the crowd (1:26-33)
E. They refused Him, so He refused them (1:34-40)
F. Then they changed their minds but it was too late! (1:41-46)

TWO
A. “Go north, young nation!” (2:1-3)
B. Don’t pick a fight against your relatives (2:4-23)
C. But if they attack you, it’s okay (2:24-37)

THREE
A. Defeating the man who had the big bed (3:1-11)
B. The territory of the two and one-half tribes (3:12-20)
C. I told him not to be afraid! (3:21-22)
D. He said, “Don’t ask me again! The answer is still no!” (3:23-29)

FOUR
A. If you want to live, keep His laws (4:1-8)
B. Tell your children about the miracle and message of Mt. Sinai (4:9-14)
C. Warning against idol worship (4:15-31)
D. Amazing! We have experienced the sound of His voice, the strength of His hand, and the love of His heart (4:32-40)
E. Salvation cities east of Jordan (4:41-43)
F. And now, let’s consider the commandments (4:44-49)

FIVE
A. Here are the top ten again (5:1-21)
B. They agreed to obey (5:22-27)
C. He then gave me the rest of the rules (5:28-33)
SIX
A. This is the supreme summary, the basic bottom line (6:1-5)
B. Wear them and write them! Teach them to your children (6:6-25)

SEVEN
A. These seven are condemned, so don’t compromise with them (7:1-5)
B. Why does He love us? Because He decided to love us! (7:6-15)
C. Fear not! Even the hornets will help you (7:16-26)

EIGHT
A. Four faithful decades of adequate room, board, and clothing! (8:1-6)
B. It’s almost like the Garden of Eden (8:7-9)
C. Remember, don’t forget! (8:10-20)

NINE
A. They’re big, but He’s bigger (9:1-3)
B. It’s not because we’re so good, but because they’re so bad (9:4-6)
C. I was on the mountain when I heard about it (9:7-12)
D. He nearly destroyed both the crowd and my brother (9:13-24)
E. After forty days of prayer we were spared (9:25-29)

TEN
A. They were rewritten and placed in a chest (10:1-5)
B. He was succeeded by his son (10:6-7)
C. What an honor for the tribe of Levi! (10:8-11)
D. Attention Israel! Here’s what God wants! (10:12-22)

ELEVEN
A. Listen! These words are for parents, not children! (11:1-7)
B. Now, advice for everybody (11:8-17)
C. Store them in your heart, share them with your children (11:18-21)
D. Blessings or judgment—it’s your call (11:22-32)

TWELVE
A. Tear down their altars! God will instruct your concerning your altar (12:1-19)
B. What to do if the distance is too great (12:20-28)
C. Whatever you do, don’t follow them (12:29-32)

THIRTEEN

A. Death to those perverted prophets (13:1-5)
B. Even if a family member is involved (13:6-11)
C. Pagan cities must be severely punished (13:12-18)

FOURTEEN

A. Don’t disfigure yourselves, for we belong to Him! (14:1-2)
B. Food for the faithful (14:3-21)
C. Guidelines for giving to God (14:22-29)

FIFTEEN

A. “Paid in full”—after seven years (15:1-5)
B. On loaning to the poor (15:6-11)
C. Set him free at the end of six years (15:12-15)
D. But if he doesn’t want to leave . . . (15:16-18)
E. Set them apart, for they’re mine! (15:19-23)

SIXTEEN

A. When you partake of the Passover (16:1-8)
B. The Festival of Weeks (16:9-12)
C. The Festival of Shelters (16:13-15)
D. They must appear three times a year (16:16-18)
E. On judges and justice (16:19-23)

SEVENTEEN

A. Make sure you offer the best! (17:1)
B. You need at least two witnesses (17:2-7)
C. His decision cannot be appealed (17:8-13)
D. What future kings should and should not do (17:14-20)

EIGHTEEN

A. This tribe will be treated differently (18:1-8)
B. The abomination of the occult (18:9-14)
C. The Messiah to be a prophet like Moses (18:15-19)
D. If the prophecy fails, the prophet dies! (18:20-22)

NINETEEN
A. If he didn’t mean to, let him run for refuge (19:1-10)
B. But if he meant to, there will be no refuge (19:11-13)
C. Leave those landmarks alone! (19:14)
D. The penalty for perjury (19:15-21)

TWENTY
A. Attention to the following men: Go home! (20:1-9)
B. You can make a deal with some, but others you must destroy (20:10-20)

TWENTY-ONE
A. The sacrifice for an unsolved murder (21:1-9)
B. A word concerning wives (21:10-14)
C. Instruction in regards to inheritance (21:15-17)
D. A disobedient son may become a dead son (21:18-23)

TWENTY-TWO
A. Be nice to your neighbor (22:1-4)
B. Don’t wear each other’s clothes (22:5)
C. On bird’s nests and new homes (22:6-8)
D. Keep them separate (22:9-12)
E. Is she pure or a prostitute? (22:13-21)
F. The seriousness of sexual sins (22:22-30)

TWENTY-THREE
A. For some the sanctuary is off limits (23:1-8)
B. Divine hygiene on the battlefield (23:9-14)
C. On slaves and prostitutes (23:15-18)
D. On loans and vows (23:19-25)

TWENTY-FOUR
A. Details concerning divorce (24:1-4)
B. After the wedding he’s free for a year (24:5)
C. On pledging and the poor (24:6-22)
TWENTY-FIVE
A. But not to exceed forty stripes (25:1-3)
B. The animal that plows should also partake (25:4)
C. Not to marry her might result in losing your shoes! (24:5-10)
D. Forbidden fighting (25:11-12)
E. God detests dishonesty (25:13-16)
F. Never forget the actions of Amalek (25:17-19)

TWENTY-SIX
A. My first fruits to acknowledge His faithfulness (26:1-15)
B. You have declared He is your God and He has declared you are His people (26:16-19)

TWENTY-SEVEN
A. Build a monument and an altar. Write on the one and sacrifice on the other! (27:1-8)
B. Half to stand on Mt. Gerizim, the other half on Mt. Ebal (27:9-14)
C. A chorus of curses and amens (27:15-26)