

# Study Guide on Deuteronomy

Part 2

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STUDY GUIDES FOR THE BOOK OF DEUTERONOMY have been prepared in three parts, twenty studies each. Although they are designed to be extremely helpful in your own personal studies in Deuteronomy, you will realize the greatest benefit if these can be used in direct connection with Dr. Gutzke's teaching on radio or on his home study tapes.

Dr. Gutzke's greatest desire as a teacher is that his students might become vigorous, active Christians. This, he has discovered, is best accomplished not by spoon feeding, but by encouraging others to dig for themselves. You will be blessed as you use these study guides . . . and in direct proportion to your own activity.

**YOU AND GOD'S WAY**  
(Deuteronomy 11:1-9)

**I Past Experience**

What is one thing you have learned about the will of God?

Why should the Israelites have been able to trust the Lord?

**II Present Obligation**

Why should you be able to trust the Lord?

How is faith developed?

## **HOW TO LIVE THE NEW LIFE**

(Deuteronomy 11:10-17)

### **I Human Irrigation**

In what way is the Christian life different from the natural life?

In what way did Moses tell the Israelites that Canaan would be different from Egypt?

### **II Heavenly Intervention**

In the spiritual life, from whom does blessing come?

## **SECRETS OF THE CHRISTIAN LIFE**

(Deuteronomy 11:18-32)

### **I Defining the Christian Life**

What is Christian living?

In what way are people sometimes confused about Christian living?

What is the Christian's motivation?

### **II Living the Christian Life**

Give two secrets of the Christian life which Moses gave to the Children of Israel.

## **HOW TO WORSHIP GOD**

(Deuteronomy 12:1-32)

### **I Recognizing False Worship**

In Deuteronomy 12 what aspect of the Israelites' lives does Moses begin to discuss?

When the Israelites entered Canaan, what were they to do about Canaanitish forms of worship?

### **II Remembering True Worship**

What are some human elements in our church service that can take our eyes off God?

Why is the way we worship God so important?

## **BEWARE OF IMITATIONS**

(Deuteronomy 13:1-18)

### **I The Danger of Being Deceived**

Why was it necessary for the warning to be issued?

When was Joshua deceived in the land of Canaan?

### **II The Preventatives of Deception**

How can we keep from being deceived?

How can we tell if teaching is true or false ?

## **SET APART FOR GOD**

(Deuteronomy 14:1-29)

### **I Refrain from Popular Practices**

Why can't a person be satisfied with being a secret Christian?

How were the Israelites to be different from their pagan neighbors?

How can the Christian today be different from his pagan neighbors?

### **II Regard for the Ministry**

How was the tithe money to be used?

Why is the tithe important?

## **THE CHURCH AND THE POOR**

(Deuteronomy 15:1-23)

### **I Being Different**

How do some people today show they are different from the world?

In Deuteronomy 15:1-18, how did God tell the Israelites they were to be different?

### **II The Poverty Problem**

How did the Israelites handle the poverty problem?

How did the Israelites deal with the problem of slavery?

## **PUBLIC WORSHIP AND THE FEASTS**

(Deuteronomy 16:1-22)

### **I Passover**

What did the Passover commemorate?

### **II Feast of Weeks**

How did the Israelites celebrate the Feast of Weeks?

### **III Feast of the Tabernacles**

When was the Feast of the Tabernacles celebrated?

### **IV Public Worship**

What can we learn from the public worship of the Israelites?

## **THE CHURCH AND DISCIPLINE**

(Deuteronomy 17:1-20)

### **I Two Stern Warnings**

According to this chapter in what two circumstances was discipline to be administered?

Why is discipline necessary?

### **II A Future King**

What is the predicted king admonished to do?

In the New Testament who are called kings?

## **PRIESTS, PREACHERS AND A PROPHET**

(Deuteronomy 18:1-22)

### **I Provision of the Levites**

How were the Levites able to live?

What was a traveling Levite?

What responsibilities do Christians have today for supporting God's servants?

### **II Promise of the Lord**

Who is described in verses 15-19?

### **III Preachers who Deceive**

How will God deal with preachers who do not teach the truth?

# **THE CHURCH AND SOCIAL WELFARE**

(Deuteronomy 19:1-21)

## **I Safeguard to Justice**

What were the cities of refuge?

What is the difference between manslaughter and murder?

## **II Safeguard to Property**

What was the purpose of the landmarks?

## **III Safeguard in the Courts**

How many witnesses were necessary to establish a word?

# **THE CHURCH IN WAR**

(Deuteronomy 20:1-20)

## **I Is the Battle Over?**

Did Calvary end all war as far as the Christian is concerned?

Against whom is our warfare?

Who is promised to be with the Christian in battle?

## **II Rules of the Battle**

Why was it necessary for Israelite soldiers to go to battle without any reservation?

What were some of the basic principles of which Moses reminded the children of Israel in the rest of the chapter?

# HOW TO LIVE AMID EVIL

(Deuteronomy 21:1-23)

## **I Murder in a Field (vs. 1-9)**

Who was responsible for the burial of the man who was murdered in the field?

## **II Marriage to a Foreigner (vs. 10-14)**

What was a man to do if he had made an unsatisfactory marriage?

## **III. Multiple Marriage and Family Problems (vs. 15-21)**

If sin is in your own family, what are you to do with it?

## **IV Malice and Forgiveness (vs. 22, 23)**

How are Christians to treat an offender after he has been punished?

# HOW TO HONOR GOD IN THE LITTLE THINGS

(Deuteronomy 22:1-30)

## **I Consecration throughout the Week**

How are we to live differently on a Tuesday than on a Sunday?

## **II Compassion to Your Neighbor (vs. 1-4)**

What was the Israelite to do if his neighbor's animal fell into the ditch?

## **III Clothing of the Sexes (vs. 5)**

What is the most important truth for us in this verse on dress?

## **IV Conservation of Life (vs. 6, 7)**

## **V Carelessness and Its Cure (vs. 8)**

How can many accidents be prevented?

## **VI Catalog of Situations (vs. 9-30)**

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# **WHAT YOU ARE IN SECRET**

(Deuteronomy 23:1-25)

## **I Private Blemishes (vs. 1-6)**

Is God as interested in the private areas of our lives as He is in the public areas?

## **II Penitential Cleanliness (vs. 7-11)**

What makes a person fit to enter into the presence of the Lord?

## **III Personal Separation (vs. 12-25)**

What is the basis of spiritual fellowship?

# **HOW PRACTICAL IS LOVE?**

(Deuteronomy 24:1-22)

## **I Love in Performance**

What does love, in the biblical sense, mean?

## **II Love in Marriage**

Why did Moses give instructions regarding divorce?

## **III Love in Business**

How can a man exercise love in his business relationship?

## **IV Love for the Unfortunate**

What was the law of harvesting which provided for the poor?

# **LET'S BE FAIR ABOUT IT**

(Deuteronomy 25:1-19)

## **I Settling a Quarrel**

How was an Israelite to resolve a quarrel he had with another man?

## **II Kindness to Beasts**

In what way were the Israelites to be fair with their animals?

## **III Provision for the Family**

## **IV Honesty in Business**

How is a man admonished to be honest in business?

# **BUSHELS OF THANKS**

(Deuteronomy 26:1-11)

## **I Why Give Thanks**

What are three reasons why Christians should give thanks?

## **II How to Give Thanks**

What did the first fruits have to do with thanksgiving?

For the Christian, where is the "place which the Lord thy God shall choose to place His name"?

## **III For What to Give Thanks**

What are some things we should praise the Lord for?

## **ENJOY LIVING BY GIVING**

(Deuteronomy 26:12-15)

### **I What You Get by Giving**

What is the purpose of giving to the Lord?

What are we acknowledging when we give to the Lord?

What does giving to the Lord do for you?

### **II Who You Help by Giving**

Who was to be aided by the tithe of the Israelites?

# **GOD'S WAY IS TO OBEY**

(Deuteronomy 26:16-19)

## **I God's Plan for You**

What does God want us to do?

Who is our perfect example in doing the will of God?

What is the first thing we are to do in seeking to obey the Lord?

## **II Our Covenant with God**

What does the word "avouched" mean? (Deut. 26:16-17)