

A LESSON IN
RESPECT



DISSENSION

[NUMBERS 12]

- The Individuals & Factors Involved
 - Prejudice?
 - Presumption
- EXOD. 4:15; 15:20**
- God's Answer
 - Chastisement
 - Further Consequences

R E B E L L I O N

[NUMBERS 16]

- The Individuals & Factors Involved
 - Presumption
 - False Charges; Failure to Heed
- God's Answer
 - Angry at the Rebels
 - Destruction of Those Involved

TAKING GOD'S GLORY

[NUMBERS 20]

- The Individuals & Factors Involved
 - Anger and Frustration
 - Failure to Glorify God

NUM. 27:14; LEV. 10:3

- God's Answer
 - Denied Entry into the Promised Land

NUM. 27:14; DEUT. 32:51

- Refusal to Hear

EXOD. 32:9-14; NUM. 14:11-20; DEUT. 3:23-26

THE CHURCH TODAY

- Authority in the Church
 - Christ Is Head & Has All Authority
MATT. 28:18; EPH. 1:22, 23
 - He Alone Is Preeminent
COLOSSIANS 1:18, 24
- Appointed/Established Authority
 - Elders
EPH. 4:11-13; 1ST TIM. 3:1-7; HEB. 13:17
 - We Must Submit
HEB. 1:1, 2; 2:1 ~ HEB. 13:17

MAN'S ERRORS REGARDING THE AUTHORITY GOD ESTABLISHED:

- Acting presumptuously to seek authority God did not grant them.
- Seeking to be elevated to positions for which they are not qualified/approved.
- Failing to give God the glory before all of God's people.

WHAT SHOULD WE EXPECT WHEN WE DO THESE SAME THINGS IN THE LORD'S CHURCH TODAY?

