**Worship in the Promised Land, Dt. 32, Part 36**

**(Dt. 29:1-34:12)**

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**IV. The Perpetuation of Worship (Dt. 29-34)**

**“The Song of Moses”**

**Dt. 31:30-32:1-45**

\***Two Major Themes**: Succession of Joshua and Death of Moses

**PREMISE**: **The work of the LORD continues even though human leaders do not. The Lord raises up leaders from within. The LORD knew that the rebels under Moses would continue their rebellion under Joshua. The LORD wanted the people to sing the truth so that they would remember and do the truth.**

**PREMISE:** Two Songs of Moses (Ex. 15:1-19 and Dt. 30:30-31:1-45) > Rev. 15:3

A. Words of song ended 31:30 > And Moses spake in the ears of all the congregation of Israel the words of this song, until they were ended.

B. Greatness of the LORD (32:1-6)

C. Power of the LORD over nations to Bless Israel (32:7-18)

**D. The Wrath of God (32:19-26)**

C.’ Power of the LORD over Nations to Judge Heathen (32:27-35)

B.’ Greatness of the LORD (32:36-43)

A.’ Words of song ended 32:44-45 > And Moses came and spake all the words of this song in the ears of the people, he, and Hoshea the son of Nun. 45 And Moses made an end of speaking all these words to all Israel

**The Wrath of God (32:19-26)**

**PREMISE: How did the people requite God; how did God requite the people?**

**A. The Requiting of the People (vv. 19-20)**

1. Their Provoking of the LORD (vv. 19-20a) > He will hide His face > Dt. 31:17; Ezk. 39:29

2. Their Perversity toward the LORD (v. 20b) > He will see their end (judgment)

3. Their Perfidy against the LORD (v. 20c) > He will see their end (judgment)

**B. The Reciprocation of the LORD (v. 21)** > Jealous > Ex. 20:5

1. They served No-God (*lo’ El* ) > The LORD’s jealousy and provocation

2. They will serve No-People (*lo’ Am*) > The People’s jealousy and provocation > Rom. 11:14

**A.’ The Requiting of the LORD (vv. 22-26)**

1. The Fire (v. 22) > Destroyed by fire > hell (*sheol* [65x] = hades [11x]), earth, foundations > Hell > LOF (4x) > Destruction of Cosmos (universe = “turned into one”) > II Pet. 3:7, 10-12

2. The Arrows (v. 23) >Shot with arrows > Dt. 32:42; Job 6:4

3. The Burning (v. 24a) > Burned with hunger, heat, destruction > Dt. 28:22

4. The Attacks (v. 24b) > Eaten by beasts and serpents > Dt. 28:26; Rev. 6:8; Num. 21:6

5. The Sword (v. 25) > Slaughtered by gender and age > Dt. 28:22

6. The Disbursement (v. 26) > Scattered by nations > Dt. 30:3

**CONCLUSION**: **The LORD reciprocates His people! Obey > blessing; Disobey > cursing!**