Parshah Insights 2022

Parshah: Bamidbar/Nasso

(Numbers 1-7)

במדבר

Numbers 1:46 TOTAL = 603,550

Numbers 24:51 TOTAL = **601,730**

- 1,820

26 × 70 5

Numbers 1:52

The children of Israel shall encamp, every man at his own **camp** and every man at his own **banner**, according to their **legions**.

DAN

EPHRAIM TABERNACLE (Kehot)

REUBEN

Merari

מררי

Pillars, Bars, Sockets, Beams **Kehot**

קהת

Veil, Furniture Gershon

גרשון

Coverings, Screens, Curtains

עסית לבדכר יהוה וישמרך יברכך יהוה וישמרך 3 אר יהוה פניו אליך ויחנך 5 יאר יהוה פניו אליך ויחנך 5 ישא יהוה פניו אליך וישם לך שלום 7 ישא יהוה פניו אליך וישם לך שלום 5 7 ישא יהוה פניו אליך וישם לד שלום 5 7 ישא יהוה פניו אליך וישם לד שלום 5 7 ישא יהוה פניו אליך וישם לד שלום 7 ישא יהוה פניו אליך וישם 7 ישא יהוה פניו אלים 7 ישא יהוה פניו אליך 13 ישא יהוה פניו אלים 13 ישא יהוה פניו אליך 13 ישא יהוה פניו אליך 13 ישא יהוה פניו אליך 13 ישא יהוה פניו אלים 13 ישא יהוה פניו אליך 13 ישא יהוה פניו אלים 13 ישא יהוח פני

Discussion Questions:

- Look at the census in the first chapter of Numbers.
 Which tribe was the largest? How large was Joseph's tribe?
- Compare the censuses of chapters 1 & 24. How can reduction bring blessing?
- Considering the sotah ("wayward wife" in Ch. 5), what parallels do you see with Exodus 32:19-20?
- What is the difference between a Nazarite and a Nazarene?
- In chapter 7, why are the gifts from each tribal leader listed when all the leaders brought identical items?

NOTES:

Hebrews 13:13 Therefore let us go to Him outside the camp and bear the reproach He endured.

Luke 22:41-42 And He withdrew from them about a stone's throw, and knelt down and prayed, saying, "Father, if you are willing, remove this cup from Me. Nevertheless, not My will, but Yours, be done."

Song of Solomon 3:7-8 Behold, it is the litter of Solomon! Around it are sixty mighty men, some of the mighty men of Israel, all of them wearing swords and expert in war, each with his sword at his thigh, against terror by night.

A blessing does not create new paths, it clears cluttered ones. (R' Levi Y. Schneerson)

2 Samuel 6:6-8 And when they came to the threshing floor of Nacon, Uzzah put out his hand to the ark of God and took hold of it, for the oxen stumbled. And the anger of Adonai was kindled against Uzzah, and God struck him down there because of his error, and he died there beside the ark of God. And David was angry because Adonai had broken out against Uzzah. And that place is called Perez-Uzzah to this day.

Proverbs 30:18-20 Three things are too wonderful for me; four I do not understand: the way of an eagle in the sky, the way of a serpent on a rock, the way of a ship on the high seas, and the way of a man with a virgin. This is the way of an adulteress: she eats and wipes her mouth and says, "I have done no wrong."

Song of Solomon 8:6 Set me as a seal upon your heart, as a seal upon your arm, for love is strong as death, **jealousy** is fierce as the grave. Its flashes are flashes of fire, the very flame of Adonai.

Numbers 24:5 "How lovely are your tents, O Jacob, your encampments, O Israel! Like palm groves that stretch afar, like gardens beside a river, like aloes that Adonai has planted, like cedar trees beside the waters."