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1ST & 2ND SAMUEL

THE BATTLE IS THE LORD'S

HUMAN FAILURE—DIVINE FAITHFULNESS

1 SAMUEL 12:14—25



SEA

10 20 Miles
20 Kilometers

Megiddo Shunem

Taanach Jezreel Beth-shan

Ramoth-gilead

Mt. Gilboa

Ibleam

Jabesh-gilead

Socoh

Bezek

Tirzah

Jabbok

Mahanaim River

Aphek

Shechem

G i l e a d

A M M O N

Rabbah (Amman)

Shiloh

Bethel

Shittim

Heshbon

Aijalon

Mizpah

Ramah

Gibeah

Gilgal

Ashdod

Ekron

Jebus

Bethlehem

Wilderness of Judah

DEAD SEA

Dibon

Arnon River

P H I L I S T I A

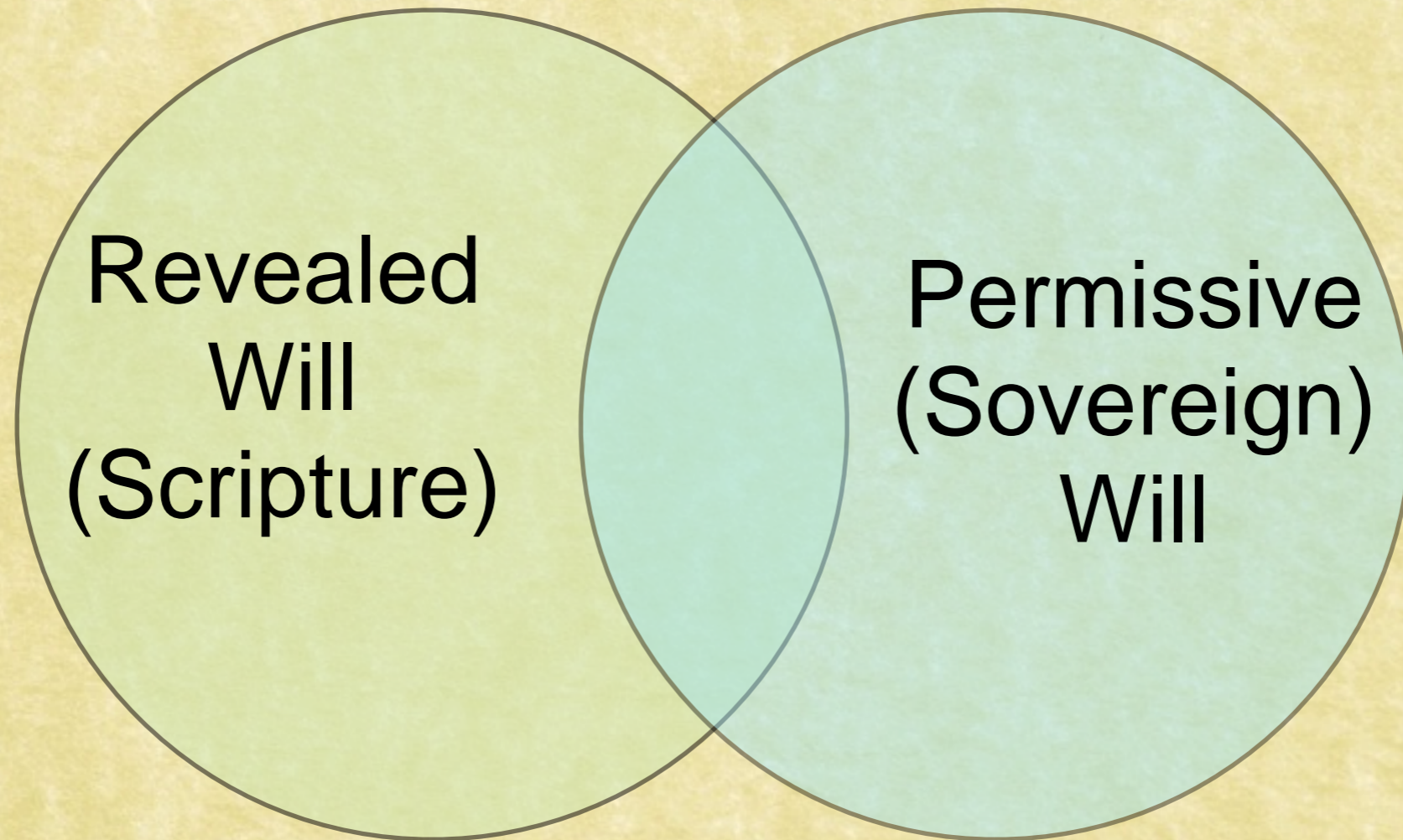
Ziklag

M O A B

S t e r n

1 Sam. 12:13, “Now therefore, here is the king whom you have chosen and whom you have desired. And take note, the LORD has set a king over you.”

God's Will



Psa. 106:15

**“And He gave them their request,
But sent leanness into their soul.”**

רָזוֹן-1 *razon-1*

**Noun comm masc sing abs
a wasting disease; leanness**

Num. 11:18, “Then you shall say to the people, ‘Consecrate yourselves for tomorrow, and you shall eat meat; for you have wept in the hearing of the LORD, saying, “Who will give us meat to eat? For it was well with us in Egypt.” Therefore the LORD will give you meat, and you shall eat.

Num. 11:19, “ ‘You shall eat, not one day, nor two days, nor five days, nor ten days, nor twenty days,’ ”

Num. 11:20, “ ‘but for a whole month, until it comes out of your nostrils and becomes loathsome to you, because you have despised the LORD who is among you, and have wept before Him, saying, “Why did we ever come up out of Egypt?” ’ ”

Num. 11:21, “And Moses said, ‘The people whom I am among are six hundred thousand men on foot; yet You have said, “I will give them meat, that they may eat for a whole month.” ’ ”

Num. 11:31, “Now a wind went out from the LORD, and it brought quail from the sea and left them fluttering near the camp, about a day’s journey on this side and about a day’s journey on the other side, all around the camp, and about two cubits above the surface of the ground.

Num. 11:32, “And the people stayed up all that day, all night, and all the next day, and gathered the quail (he who gathered least gathered ten homers); and they spread them out for themselves all around the camp.”

Num. 11:33, “But while the meat was still between their teeth, before it was chewed, the wrath of the LORD was aroused against the people, and the LORD struck the people with a very great plague.

Num. 11:34, “So he called the name of that place *Kibroth Hattaavah* [*the graves of greediness*], because there they buried the people who had yielded to craving.”

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Josh. 24:14, “Now therefore, fear the LORD, serve Him in sincerity and in truth, and put away the gods which your fathers served on the other side of the River and in Egypt. Serve the LORD!”

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Deut. 6:3, “O Israel, you should listen and be careful to do it, that it may be well with you and that you may multiply greatly, just as the LORD, the God of your fathers, has promised you, in a land flowing with milk and honey.”

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Deut. 6:13, “You shall fear the LORD your God and serve Him, and shall take oaths in His name.”

Deut. 6:24, “And the LORD commanded us to observe all these statutes, to fear the LORD our God, for our good always, that He might preserve us alive, as it is this day.”

Deut. 10:12, “And now, Israel, what does the LORD your God require of you, but to fear the LORD your God, to walk in all His ways and to love Him, to serve the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul,”

Deut. 10:20, “You shall fear the LORD your God; you shall serve Him, and to Him you shall hold fast, and take oaths in His name.”

Deut. 13:4, “You shall walk after the LORD your God and fear Him, and keep His commandments and obey His voice; you shall serve Him and hold fast to Him.”

Deut. 14:23, “And you shall eat before the LORD your God, in the place where He chooses to make His name abide, the tithe of your grain and your new wine and your oil, of the firstborn of your herds and your flocks, that you may learn to fear the LORD your God always.”

Deut. 17:19, “And it shall be with him, and he shall read it all the days of his life, that he may learn to fear the LORD his God and be careful to observe all the words of this law and these statutes,”

Deut. 31:12, “Gather the people together, men and women and little ones, and the stranger who is within your gates, that they may hear and that they may learn to fear the LORD your God and carefully observe all the words of this law,

Deut. 31:13, “and that their children, who have not known it, may hear and learn to fear the LORD your God as long as you live in the land which you cross the Jordan to possess.”

Deut. 1:26, “Nevertheless you would not go up, but rebelled against the command of the LORD your God;”

Deut. 1:43, “So I spoke to you; yet you would not listen, but rebelled against the command of the LORD, and presumptuously went up into the mountain.”



THE EXODUS

Sinai
 Mt. Sinai
 to Kadesh-barnea
 Kadesh-barnea to the area of Mt. Nebo



Deut. 9:7, “Remember! Do not forget how you provoked the LORD your God to wrath in the wilderness. From the day that you departed from the land of Egypt until you came to this place, you have been rebellious against the LORD.”

Rebelliousness: From Egypt to Sinai

- 1. Complained against Moses because of the bitter water at Marah; Solution: God instructed Moses to put a tree in the water. Exodus 15:22–25;**
- 2. Complaining about the lack of bread and meat; Solution: Manna in the morning, quail meat in the evening. Exodus 16:2–3;**
- 3. Complaining at Rephidim: no water, called the place *Massah* (tempted) and *Meribah* (contention). Exodus 17;**

Rebelliousness: At Sinai

- 1. Operation Golden Calf: The people demand that Aaron build a molded idol from gold for them to worship. 3,000 disobedient executed by the Levites; Exodus 32**
- 2. The rebellion of Nadab and Abihu; Lev. 10:1–3.**

Rebelliousness: From Sinai to Kadesh Barnea

1. ***Taberah***: The people complained against the Lord. The Lord punished them with a fire which killed some in the outskirts of the camp. Num. 11:1–4.