

1. **Pray:** ask God to open your mind, soul and spirit to His teaching through His Word
2. **Think:** the questions are designed to expand your knowledge of God and His Word
3. **Begin:** using only your Bible, answer the questions without other outside sources

Lesson Eighteen—The Law & the Land: Exodus 33:7–34:35

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1. After the devastating incident of idolatry by Israel and its following judgment, what is positive about the Israelites in verses 7–11?

2. Read 33:20, 23 and then state what you **think** verse 33:11 means.

3. a) Why do you **think** Moses pitched the tent outside the camp based upon 33:1–6?

b) By the cloud descending when Moses entered, what do you **think** this signifies?
This might signify more than one thing.

4. a) Why do you think Moses quizzes God in 33:12 and who will go with Moses in leading the people?
(Refer to 33:1–6 for help.)

5. What logic does Moses use with God to go with Him in 33:5 and 33:16?

6.
 - a) What does God do to display His goodness to Moses in 33:19–23?

 - b) Why did God do this?

 - c) Write what you think this passing by of God was like in reality.

7. What were details for the new tablets from 34:1–5?

8.
 - a) What attributes does God proclaim about Himself in 34:6–7?

 - b) Pick one of these attributes and describe how you've experienced this attribute of God in your own life.

Going Deeper:

9. a) What did the reiteration of the laws in 34:10–27 represent for Moses and Israel, especially in light of chapters 32 and 33:1–6?

b) What does this teach you for yourself after you've failed God?

10. How long was Moses on the mountain and why do you think he could go so long without bread or water?

11. a) Why was Moses' face radiant and why did he veil it?

b) What do you **think** this radiance pictured? (See Matthew 17:2 and II Corinthians 3:7–11 and 3:13–18.)

