

# JUDGMENTS



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# Lesson 14

Proverbs 19:20

*Listen to advice and accept correction. In the end you will be counted among those who are wise.*

## Jethro Visits Moses

Read Exodus 18:1–27 (New International Reader's Version)

- 1 Who was Jethro? Jethro was Moses' \_\_\_\_\_ and also the \_\_\_\_\_ of Midian. (Ex. 18:1)
- 2 What did Jethro hear about? Jethro heard about \_\_\_\_\_ God had done for Moses and for God's people \_\_\_\_\_ and how the Lord had brought Israel \_\_\_\_\_ of Egypt. (Ex. 18:1)
- 3 Whom had Moses previously sent to stay with his father-in-law? Moses had sent his \_\_\_\_\_, Zipporah, and also their two \_\_\_\_\_, to stay with Jethro. (Ex. 18:2–3)
- 4 What were the names of Moses and Zipporah's two sons? Their names were \_\_\_\_\_, which means "an \_\_\_\_\_ in a strange land," and \_\_\_\_\_, which means "God is my **h er**." (Ex. 18:3–4)
- 5 Who came to Moses while he and the Israelites were staying in the desert? Moses' father-in-law, \_\_\_\_\_, came to Moses. He brought with him Moses' \_\_\_\_\_, Zipporah, and Moses and Zipporah's two \_\_\_\_\_, Gershom and Eliezer. (Ex. 18:5)
- 6 Where was Moses camped? Moses was camped near the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (another name for Mount Sinai, which is also called Mount Horeb). (Ex. 18:5)
- 7 How did Moses greet his father-in-law? Moses \_\_\_\_\_ down and \_\_\_\_\_ him. (Ex. 18:7)
- 8 What reason did the Lord have for doing all the things He did to Pharaoh and the Egyptians? God did all those things because of how \_\_\_\_\_ He \_\_\_\_\_ Israel. (Ex. 18:8)



God loves you that much too!

## Ephesians 2:4

*God loves us deeply. He is full of mercy.*

- 9 Whom can you always trust to save you? I can always trust \_\_\_\_\_ to save me, because of how much He loves me.
- 10 How did Jethro respond when he heard about all the good things the Lord had done for Israel? He **p**\_\_\_\_\_ the Lord, brought a burnt \_\_\_\_\_ and other \_\_\_\_\_ to God, and, in the sight of \_\_\_\_\_, ate a \_\_\_\_\_ with Moses, \_\_\_\_\_, and all the elders of Israel. (Ex. 18:10–12)
- 11 What did Moses do the next day? Moses took his seat to serve the people as their \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 18:13)
- 12 How long did Moses have to serve the people as their judge? Moses had to work from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 18:13)



Remember, Moses was 80 years old at this time.

- 13 What did Jethro think about everything he saw Moses doing for the people of Israel? Jethro thought Moses was trying to do \_\_\_\_\_ for the people. (Ex. 18:14)
- 14 What was Jethro worried about? Jethro was worried that Moses would get \_\_\_\_\_ out, because there was just \_\_\_\_\_ much work for Moses to do. (Ex. 18:17–18)
- 15 What did Jethro do to help Moses not get worn out? Jethro gave Moses some \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 18:19)
- 16 What was Jethro's advice to Moses? Jethro told Moses to choose from among the people \_\_\_\_\_ who had \_\_\_\_\_, who had \_\_\_\_\_ for God, who could be **t**\_\_\_\_\_, and who would never try to get \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ others. Moses should \_\_\_\_\_ these men as \_\_\_\_\_ over \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_, to serve the people as \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 18:21–22)
- 17 What were these men to do about the hard cases and problems? They were to bring every hard case or problem to **M**\_\_\_\_\_, but decide the \_\_\_\_\_ ones for themselves. (Ex. 18:22)
- 18 Did Moses listen to his father-in-law, Jethro? (Yes/No) \_\_\_\_\_. Moses did \_\_\_\_\_. Jethro said. (Ex. 18:24)

## Israel Comes to Mount Sinai

Read Exodus 19:1–25 (New International Reader’s Version)

- 19) When did the people of Israel arrive at the Desert of Sinai? Exactly \_\_\_\_\_ months after the people of Israel \_\_\_\_\_ Egypt, they came to the Desert of Sinai. (Ex. 19:1)
- 20) Where in the Desert of Sinai did they set up camp? They camped in front of the \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 19:2)
- 21) Who climbed up the mountain to talk to God? Why? Moses climbed up the mountain, because the Lord \_\_\_\_\_ out to him from the mountain. (Ex. 19:3)
- 22) How did the Lord describe what He had done for His people? The Lord said He had \_\_\_\_\_ them on the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ and had \_\_\_\_\_ them to Himself. (Ex. 19:4)



Such a beautiful way for God to describe what He had done!

- 23) What did the Lord say He wanted the people of Israel to do? The Lord told Moses to tell the Israelites to \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord completely and to keep His \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 19:5)
- 24) What would be Israel’s blessings if they obeyed God and kept His covenant? They would be a kingdom of \_\_\_\_\_ to serve Him. They would be His \_\_\_\_\_ nation. (Ex. 19:6)
- 25) What was the response of the people when they were told what the Lord had said? The people promised they would do \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord had said. (Ex. 19:7–8)
- 26) When Moses went back up the mountain, how did the Lord say He would come to Moses? The Lord said He would come to Moses in a \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 19:9)
- 27) Could the people of Israel hear God speaking to Moses when the Lord came in a thick cloud? (Yes/No) \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 19:9)
- 28) What did the Lord want Moses to tell the people to do before the Lord came down on Mount Sinai on the third day? The Lord wanted the people to be set \_\_\_\_\_ for Him for two days before so that they would be \_\_\_\_\_ for Him on the third day. They were to \_\_\_\_\_ their clothes, not go \_\_\_\_\_ the mountain, and not have \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 19:10–12, 15)
- 29) What if a person or animal went near the mountain during those days? They had to be put to death

with \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_. No one could lay a \_\_\_\_\_ on or touch any of them.  
(Ex. 19:12–13)

- 30 When could the people go near the mountain? They could only go near the mountain on the third day when the ram's \_\_\_\_\_ gave out a long \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 19:13)
- 31 What happened on the morning of the third day? On the morning of the third day, there was \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, a thick cloud \_\_\_\_\_ the mountain, and a trumpet gave out a \_\_\_\_\_ blast. (Ex. 19:16)
- 32 What was the response of the people when they heard and saw all of this? The people \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 19:16)
- 33 What did Moses have to do to get the people to meet with God? Moses had to \_\_\_\_\_ the people out of the camp to meet with God at the \_\_\_\_\_ of the mountain. (Ex. 19:17)
- 34 Why was there smoke covering the mountain? There was smoke because the Lord came down on the mountain in fire. The smoke \_\_\_\_\_ up from it like smoke from a \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 19:18)
- 35 What did the mountain do? The mountain \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 19:18)
- 36 Did the sound of the trumpet get louder and louder (even though it was already very loud)? (Yes/No) \_\_\_\_\_. (Ex. 19:19)



It is interesting that John, the author of Revelation, describes the voice of Jesus as similarly loud and sounding like a trumpet.

#### Revelation 1:10b–18a

*I heard a loud voice behind me that sounded like a trumpet.... I turned around to see who was speaking to me. When I turned, I saw ... someone who looked "like a son of man." ... When I saw Him, I fell at His feet as if I were dead. Then He put His right hand on me and said, "Do not be afraid. I [Jesus] am the First and the Last. I am the Living One. I was dead. But now look! I am alive for ever and ever!"*

- 37 Who were the only people who could go up to the top of the mountain? \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ were the only people who could go up to the top of the mountain. (Ex. 19:20, 24)

How did the Holy Spirit speak to you this week as you studied these Bible verses? In other words, what did you learn this week from reading God's Word?

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