Captive By Our Thoughts Sun AM 3/20/22

Exodus 14:11 NKJV

11Then they said to Moses, “Because *there were* no graves in Egypt, have you taken us away to die in the wilderness? Why have you so dealt with us, to bring us up out of Egypt?

# Numbers 21:5 NKJV

# 5And the people spoke against God and against Moses: “Why have you brought us up out of Egypt to die in the wilderness? For *there is* no food and no water, and our soul loathes this worthless bread.”

# Numbers 13:33 NKJV

# 33There we saw the giants (the descendants of Anak came from the giants); and we were like grasshoppers in our own sight, and so we were in their sight.”

# Numbers 14:1-9 NKJV

# 14 So all the congregation lifted up their voices and cried, and the people wept that night.

# 2And all the children of Israel complained against Moses and Aaron, and the whole congregation said to them, “If only we had died in the land of Egypt! Or if only we had died in this wilderness!

# 3Why has the Lord brought us to this land to fall by the sword, that our wives and children should become victims? Would it not be better for us to return to Egypt?”

# 4So they said to one another, “Let us select a leader and return to Egypt.”

# 5Then Moses and Aaron fell on their faces before all the assembly of the congregation of the children of Israel.

# 6But Joshua the son of Nun and Caleb the son of Jephunneh, *who were* among those who had spied out the land, tore their clothes;

# 7and they spoke to all the congregation of the children of Israel, saying: “The land we passed through to spy out *is* an exceedingly good land.

# 8If the Lord delights in us, then He will bring us into this land and give it to us, ‘a land which flows with milk and honey.’

# 9Only do not rebel against the Lord, nor fear the people of the land, for they *are* our bread; their protection has departed from them, and the Lord *is* with us. Do not fear them.”

# Numbers 14:26-31 NKJV

# 26And the Lord spoke to Moses and Aaron, saying,

# 27“How long *shall I bear with* this evil congregation who complain against Me? I have heard the complaints which the children of Israel make against Me.

# 28Say to them, ‘As I live,’ says the Lord, ‘just as you have spoken in My hearing, so I will do to you:

# 29The carcasses of you who have complained against Me shall fall in this wilderness, all of you who were numbered, according to your entire number, from twenty years old and above.

# 30Except for Caleb the son of Jephunneh and Joshua the son of Nun, you shall by no means enter the land which I swore I would make you dwell in.

# 31But your little ones, whom you said would be victims, I will bring in, and they shall know the land which you have despised.

# Proverbs 23:7 NKJV

# 7For as he thinks in his heart, so *is* he. “Eat and drink!” he says to you, But his heart is not with you.

# Matthew 15:11 NKJV

# 11Not what goes into the mouth defiles a man; but what comes out of the mouth, this defiles a man.”

# Proverbs 13:2-3 NKJV

# 2A man shall eat well by the fruit of *his* mouth, But the soul of the unfaithful feeds on violence.3He who guards his mouth preserves his life, *But* he who opens wide his lips shall have destruction.

# Proverbs 18:21 NKJV

# 21Death and life *are* in the power of the tongue, And those who love it will eat its fruit.

#  *You say what you have been thinking on.*

# Matthew 12:34-37 NKJV

# 34Brood of vipers! How can you, being evil, speak good things? For out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks.

# 35A good man out of the good treasure of his heart brings forth good things, and an evil man out of the evil treasure brings forth evil things.

# 36But I say to you that for every idle word men may speak, they will give account of it in the day of judgment.

# 37For by your words you will be justified, and by your words you will be condemned.”

# Philippians 4:8 NKJV

# 8Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things *are* noble, whatever things *are* just, whatever things *are* pure, whatever things *are* lovely, whatever things *are* of good report, if *there is* any virtue and if *there is* anything praiseworthy—meditate on these things.