

Discoveries in Desert Places #6 - Numbers 12:1-16

**My Desert Place is a Difficult Place,
requiring me to forgive again and again and again**

MOSES THE LEADER BECOMES MOSES THE MEDIATOR

Moses struggled with constant conflict but learned to forgive

Exodus 32 THE GOLDEN CALF - 40 Days Intercession

Deut 9:10-20, 25-29 *God's anger, God's offer, God's answer*

Second 40 days of fasting & prayer!

Moses pleads the *promises* of God & the *character* of God,

Moses was rejected, yet rescued them all

Numbers 12 MIRIAM AND AARON - Family conflict

God's anger, Moses' intercession

Family offenses are the hardest to forgive

How many times must I forgive? 7? 70x7

Matt 18:15-35 Your greater debt forgiven **Luke 17:3-10** Duty

Numbers 14 KADESH BARNEA - Refusal to enter the promised land

Num 14:1-4, 11-20 *God's anger, Moses' intercession*

Luke 23 Jesus' example Father, forgive them

Acts 7 Stephen following Christ's example

1 John 2:1-2 Jesus our Advocate

Our Intercessor is the very One we constantly sin against!

Luke 6:27-28 Your intercession makes a difference – to them and to you!

God hears the heart of those who pray for others

The surest way to secure the assurance that you have forgiven

is to pray for the forgiveness of those who have sinned against you.

Pray for those who misuse you! Be blessed & a blessing!