

# An Outline of Deuteronomy

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## *\*Introduction (1:1–4)*

- I. The Sermons of Moses (1:5–30:20)
  - A. First Discourse (1:5–4:49)
    - 1. Looking Back (1:5–3:29)
    - 2. Looking Ahead (4:1–49)
  - B. Second Discourse (5–28)
    - 1. Repetition of the 10 Commandments given to the assembly (5)
    - 2. Expansion of the law given to Moses for Israel (6–25)
      - a. About having no other gods (6–11)
      - b. About having no idols (12–13)
      - c. About holiness to the Lord (14)
      - d. About the Sabbath (15–16)
      - e. About submitting to authorities (17–18)
      - f. About murder (19–21)
      - g. About adultery (22)
      - h. About uncleanness and theft (23–25)
      - i. About truthfulness and integrity (24–25:4)
      - j. About coveting (25:5–19)
    - 3. Conclusion of sermon (26–28)
      - a. Giving when they inherit the land (26)
      - b. Memorials when they inherit the land (27:1–8)
      - c. Curses and blessings when they inherit the land (27:9–28:68)
  - C. Third Discourse (29–30)
    - 1. Renewal of the covenant with this generation (29)
    - 2. Promise of a new heart after a time of failure and exile (30:1–10)
    - 3. Final challenge to make the right choice regarding the future (30:11–20)
- II. The Farewell of Moses (31–34)
  - A. Moses writes the law for the people (31:1–13)
  - B. Moses writes a song (“the national anthem of Israel”) for the people (31:14–32:47)
  - C. Moses’ final blessings and death (32:48–34:12)
    - 1. The death of Moses foretold (32:48–52)
    - 2. The blessing of Moses (33)
    - 3. The death of Moses (34)

