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Numbers 34:1-29



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## Using energy



After looking back in chapter 33, a look into the future follows. God had promised the people to bring them into the land of Canaan. After 40 years – instead of 11 days – they would now enter the Promised Land and take possession of its blessings.

As a Christian you are blessed with every spiritual blessing in Christ (Ephesians 1:3): You have eternal life, you possess the Holy Spirit, are a child of God ... And yet you must do something: Get an understanding of what God has given you, so that you can enjoy it and live your life in accord with it. That means battles! It demands energy! It's a challenge!



143. What is the salt sea (v3) called today?

144. What is the great sea (v6)?



The four directions (north, east, south, west) were of great importance to the Israelites with regard to their enemies: From the north came the king of the North (Assyria, today especially Iraq/Syria). From the south came the king of the South (Egypt). From the west, there will one day come supposed help (Europe). And from the east comes the real help, the returning Messiah.



**Be occupied with the blessings of the word of God. And live in them!**



143. The dead sea.  
144. The Mediterranean sea.