

Biography: Miriam

“As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God’s varied grace.” 1 Peter 4:10, ESV

Were there any founding _____ of the _____ nation?

What The Bible Reveals About Miriam

- A. Numbers 26:59; 1 Chronicles 6:3 – She was the daughter of _____ and Jochebed, sister of _____ and _____.
- B. Miriam’s early role in God’s plan for Israel:
 - 1. Exodus 2:3-4,7-8 – She was the one who brought’s Moses’ _____ to be his _____.
 - 2. Was this a _____ - or God’s _____?
- C. Miriam’s later role in the exodus:
 - 1. Exodus 15:20,21 – She is called a _____, and leads Israel’s _____ in singing.
 - 2. Micah 6:4 - _____ used her to bring Israel out of _____.
- D. Numbers 12 – Miriam’s tragic mistake:
 - 1. 12:1,2 – She and _____ criticized Moses’ _____, but they were really _____ of his standing.
 - 2. 12:4-10 – God’s _____ was kindled, and He _____ them; but only Miriam was struck with _____.
- E. Deuteronomy 24:9 – Her example was to be _____.

Principles Illustrated From Miriam’s Life

- A. **God gives different gifts to different individuals:**
 - 1. 1 Peter 4:10 – _____ has been given a gift; _____ them!
 - 2. 1 Corinthians 12:14-20 – No one’s gift is _____; the healthy functioning of the _____ relies on them all.
- B. **Support is always superior to criticism:**
 - 1. Exodus 17:11,12 – These men _____ Moses.
 - 2. Hebrews 13:17 - _____ and _____ to your leaders.
- C. **Be in a position to serve:**
 - 1. Matthew 25:35,36 – Jesus _____ those who met the _____ of His people.