

## **Bible in a Year Study Questions – Day 76 - March 17**

### **Today's Readings:**

Numbers 31 & 32

Psalm 35.1-8

Proverbs 12.1

Mark 14.55-72

1. What was the reason for the Lord's command to Moses to exact vengeance on the Midianites in Numbers 31? How can we apply the principles of obedience to God's commands, even when they seem difficult or challenging, in our own lives?
2. What was the specific request made by the tribes of Reuben and Gad to Moses and the leaders of Israel in Numbers 32? What was their reason?
3. What concerns did Moses express about their request, and how did the tribes respond to these concerns?
4. How would you describe the tone of the psalmist in Psalm 35.1-8? Is it one of lament, praise, petition, or something else?
5. What specific requests does the psalmist make to God in verses 1-3?
6. What expressions of confidence in God's deliverance do you find in verses 4-6?

7. What actions does the psalmist ask God to take on their behalf in verses 7-8? How does the psalmist appeal to God's character and reputation as a righteous judge?
8. What does the verse "Whoever loves discipline loves knowledge, but whoever hates correction is stupid" (Proverbs 12:1, NIV) mean to you?
9. What attitudes or responses does the verse highlight towards correction or rebuke? How might one's attitude towards correction impact their growth and maturity?
10. How do you personally respond to discipline and correction in your life? Where do you see a need for change in that area?
11. What events lead up to the passage in Mark 14:55-72?
12. What charges were brought against Jesus by the religious leaders? How did Jesus respond to the accusations?
13. What prediction had Jesus made regarding Peter's denial? Why do you think Peter denied knowing Jesus three times despite his earlier declaration of loyalty?
14. Which passage in today's reading impacted you the most? Is there a verse you would like to memorize and/or meditate on today?