

HEBREWS



Heb 3:7-9

OUTLINE

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| I. Superiority of Christ | 1:1-10:18 |
| A. Over OT Prophets | 1:1-4 |
| B. Over OT Personalities | 1:5-7:28 |
| 1. Superior over Angels | 1:5-2:18 |
| 2. Superior over Moses | 3-4 |
| a. Superiority in faithfulness | 3:1-6 |
| b. 2nd Warning | 3:7-4:11 |
| 1) Historical Illustration | 3:7-11 |

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INSPIRATION

“God superintended the human authors so that they recorded His message to man in the words of the original authors.”

Ryrie

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Ps 95

- **Call to Worship - 95:1-7**
- **Warning from Past - 95:7-11**

**Mountains of Sinai
from Jebel Musa**

ON WAY to REST

1. Egypt - bondage
2. Red Sea - Exodus



Mediterranean Sea

LOWER EGYPT

GOSHEN

SINAI

MIDIAN

EASTERN DESERT

covered by water in ancient times

ancient coastline

ancient canal

Alternate Israelite Route

The Way to the Land of the Philistines

The Way to Shur

Alternate Israelite Route

(Darb-el-Hajj)

WILDERNESS OF ZIN

WILDERNESS OF PARAN

WILDERNESS OF SIN

- city
- city (uncertain location)
- city (modern name)
- enemy fortress
- ▲ mountain peak
- route of Israelites from Egypt to Mt. Sinai
- - - route of Israelites from Mt. Sinai to Kadesh-barnea
- ⋯ route of Israelites from Kadesh-barnea to Shittim
- established roadways or possible alternate routes

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KM. 0 20 40 60

Akhetaton (Amarna)

Hala-el-Bedr



**603,550 =
2-3.5 million people**

Suez Canal

ON WAY to REST

- 1. Egypt - bondage**
- 2. Red Sea - Exodus**
- 3. Sinai - Law**

Ex 19:1-8

Jebel Musa





View north from Jebel Musa

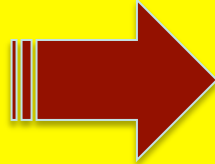
ON WAY to REST

- 1. Egypt - bondage**
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- 3. Sinai - Law**
- 4. Wilderness - rebellion**

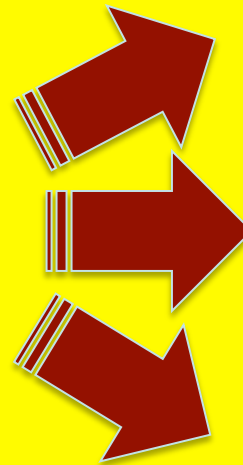
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STRUCTURE

Heb
3:7-11



Ps
95:7-11



Ex 17

40 yrs

Num 14

REBELLION

➤ **3:8 ->**

95:8 ->

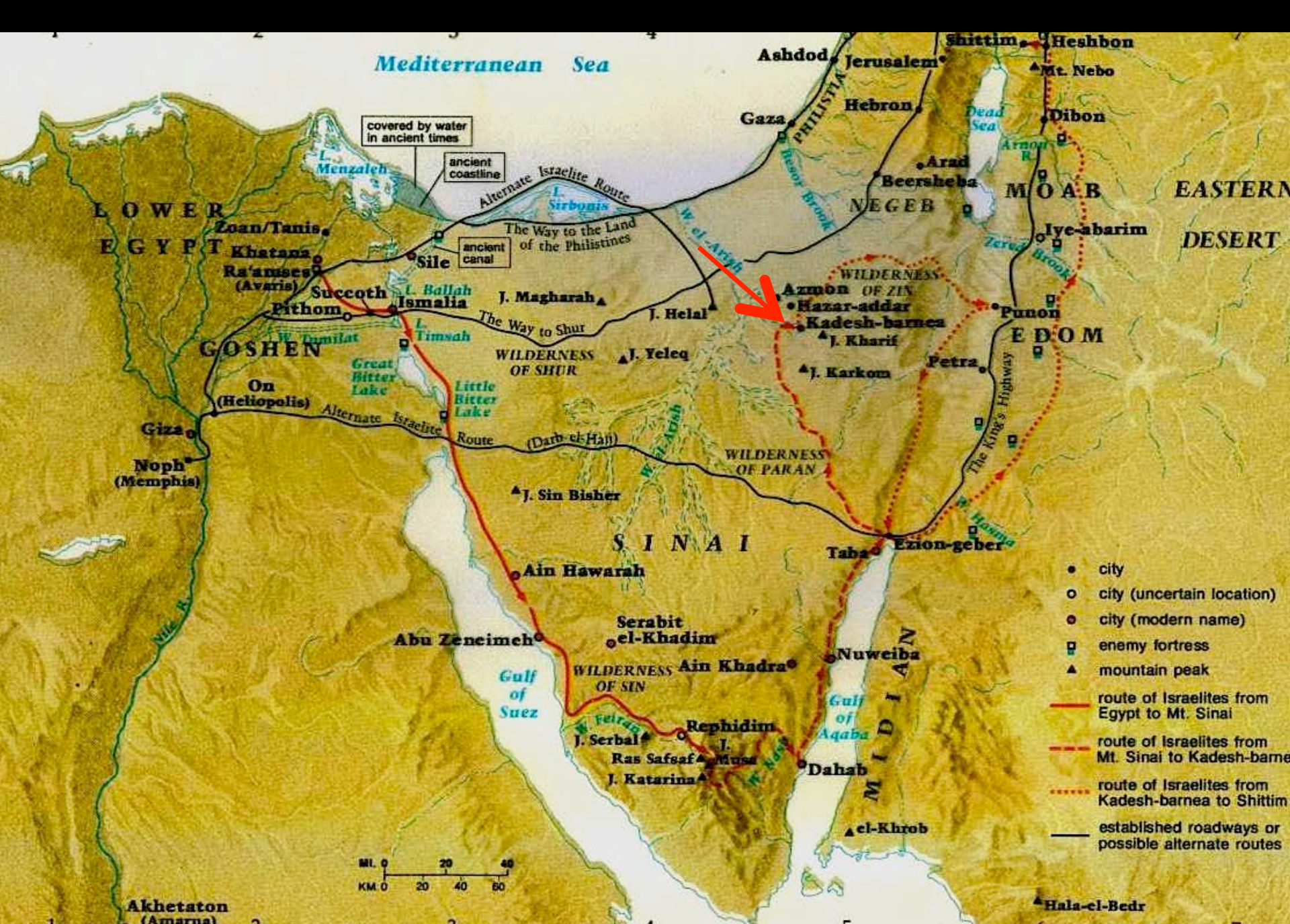
Ex 17

provoked & trial -> Meribah & Massah

➤ **3:9 ->**

95:9-10 ->

40 years





**Mountains of Sinai
from Jebel Musa**



Nahal Zin



Machtesh Ramon

**3:9 WHERE YOUR FATHERS
TRIED Me BY TESTING Me,
AND SAW MY WORKS FOR
FORTY YEARS.**

REBELLION

- **3:8 -> 95:8 -> Ex 17**
provoked & trial -> Meribah & Massah
- **3:9 -> 95:9-10 -> 40 years**
tried & saw -> grumbling & miracles

WILDERNESS

1. Israel's rebellion - Ex 15:22-24, 16:2-4, Num 11:1, 4-6, 16:41, 17:12

**Bull statue
in Cairo Museum**





445:446

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**Amenhotep II
beneath Hathor Cow
18th Dynasty**

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2. God's Miracles - plagues, Red Sea, pillars of cloud, manna, water

**3:10 “THEREFORE I WAS
ANGRY WITH THIS
GENERATION, AND SAID,
'THEY ALWAYS GO ASTRAY
IN THEIR HEART, AND THEY
DID NOT KNOW MY WAYS ’; 11
AS I SWORE IN MY WRATH,
'THEY SHALL NOT ENTER MY
REST.’ ”**