

June 8, 2013 – Korach

We asked why the people Israel kept rebelling. What were Korach's motives? Did Dathan and Abiram rebel with Korach, or was this a second thread of narrative woven into Korach's rebellion by the redactors of the text? This led to a long discussion of the characteristics of leadership, and which of them Moses manifested, as opposed to those found in Korach. Finally, we looked at the fate of the rebels and what the entire incident told us about God.