

Exodus
Chapter 32
Student

Contents: The broken law; Israel worships a golden calf. Intercession of Moses.

Characters: **GOD**, Moses, Aaron, Joshua.

Conclusion: It is a great sin to use gold, or anything else to take the place of GOD in our lives. This behavior is not new. It is the ultimate action of one who practices secular humanism.

Key Word: Great Sin, 30.

Strong Verses: 1, 26, 29, 32.

Striking Facts: Moses typified **CHRIST**, who went above (Acts 1:9) telling the people to tarry. In **HIS** absence, some forget his promised return (John 14:3; Acts 1:11) and make themselves gods (2 Timothy 3:1-4; 3-4; Matthew 24:12) denying His return (2 Peter 3:3-4; Matthew 24:48-49). **JESUS** will come unexpectedly (Matthew 25:13) punishing evil doers (2 Thessalonians 2:7-8) who are naked (Revelations 6:16-17) and gathering the true to **HIMSELF** (1 Thessalonians 4:13-18).

Questions:

1. Who did Aaron blame for their idolatry?
2. How many people were killed? Who killed them?
3. Why were the people to be blessed?
4. What did GOD offer Moses that he refused?
5. What logic did Moses use to sway GOD's intention to kill the people?
6. What did Moses offer to atone for the people?

Discussion Questions:

1. What can we learn about GOD's character which respect to sin?
2. What can we learn about Moses' character?