

# Numbers

## Chapter 1

### Student

**Contents:** Moses commanded to take a census of **GOD's** army.

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

**Conclusion:** The **LORD** knows all those that are **HIS** (2 Timothy 2:19) by name (Philippians 4:3) and even the hairs of their heads are numbered. To all others **HE** will say "I never knew you."

**Key Word:** Numbered, 2.

**Strong Verses:** 54.

**Striking Facts:** None under 20 years old were listed for military service. In compassion for their tender years **GOD** would not have them to bear arms. Nor were any to be numbered who were physically disabled.

### Questions:

1. How did GOD refer to the eligible men who were counted in the census?
2. How long had it been since Israel had left Egypt?
3. What was the total size of the army?

Reuben	_____	Simeon	_____	Gad	_____
Judah	_____	Issachar	_____	Zebulun	_____
Ephraim	_____	Manasseh	_____	Benjamin	_____
Dan	_____	Asher	_____	Naphtali	_____
<b>Grand Total</b>	_____				

4. Why were the Levites not required to serve in the army?
5. Where did the Levites camp?

**Bonus Question: Should women serve in combat today? Should males younger than 20 years old serve in combat today?**

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