



## Introduction

*Two sons of Aaron decide to worship God in their own way.*



## Questions

1. What did Nadab and Abihu do that was wrong?
2. What were the priests told not to do before entering the Tent of Meeting?
3. What two specific types of meat were the priests and their families given to eat in a holy place?



## Summary Points

- **v 1 to 3** Nadab and Abihu are killed making an offering different from what God asked (see theme)
- **v 4 to 7** Their corpses are removed from the sanctuary. Aaron and his sons are told not to let their hair go loose or tear their clothes and to stay in the Tent of Meeting
- **v 8 to 11** God forbids them to have wine or strong drink before they enter the Tent of Meeting. They must distinguish between holy and common things
- **v 12 to 15** Moses gives Aaron and his surviving sons regulations about eating of the sacrifices:
  - what remains of the meal offering is to be eaten by Aaron and his sons beside the altar (v 12 and 13)
  - the waved breast and heaved thigh are to be eaten by them and their families in a clean place (v 14 and 15)
- **v 16 to 20** Moses is angry that Aaron and his sons haven't eaten their portion of the goat of the sin offering. Moses accepts Aaron's explanation that it would have been wrong after all that had just happened

**Timeline** 1500 BC (see below)



## Theme

### **Disobedience to God brings problems and death**

*A selection of verses showing that this theme runs consistently through the Bible.*

The apostle Paul makes it clear that the result of sin (missing the mark of God's commands) is death:

*Romans 6 verse 23*

He makes it equally clear that we are all sinners:

*Romans 3 verse 23*

The book of Proverbs tells us that relying on our own thinking will result in our death:

*Proverbs 16 verse 25*



## Week 22 Day 5 Leviticus 10 Understand your Bible reading plan

The apostle Paul tells the Roman and Galatian believers that if they rely on their natural (fleshly) thinking they will have no long-term future:

*Romans 8 verse 13*

*Galatians 6 verses 7 and 8*

Paul says that the problem starts with our first parents who decide to ignore what God says:

*Romans 5 verse 12*

God tells our first parents the consequences of ignoring his command:

*Genesis 2 verses 16 and 17*

Unfortunately for us, they do ignore God's command:

*Genesis 3 verse 6*

God spells out the consequences of their disobedience which we still live with today:

*Genesis 3 verse 17*

### Questions & Answers

Verses which answer the questions:

Q 1: v 1, Q 2: v 9, Q 3: v 14



## Bible timeline

