

Shalach Lecha 2020 Notes

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In the ancient world, when a king gave a gift, it was irrevocable

- But you can reject it

The gift of a king is connected with an oath

We're to behave according to God's character

When we return to the land, God's name is exalted because He promised it

- It is a gift
 - Therefore, connected with His oath

Sanctification of His name is not just about pronunciation. It's also about...

- Behaving according to God's character
- Practicing righteousness and justice
- Embracing the promises God has given us
- Embracing the gifts that God has given us
 - Including Torah
 - Not rejecting them

The rebellion was the problem, due to fear

- This is rooted in doubt

They rejected the leaders

- Moses and Aaron
- This then became a problem with God
 - Because God chose them to lead

When Moses and Aaron fall to their faces, judgment is coming

- Because the issue is no longer their own

Jerusalem is still where God wants to place His name

We are supposed to be the image of God

Caleb was not a natural born Israelite - he grafted into Judah

- Caleb also means "dog"