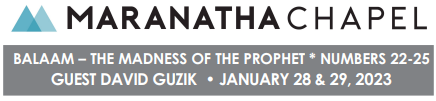
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Today’s Guest speech David Guzik: BALAAM – THE MADNESS OF THE PROPHET

Explanation:



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Who is Balaam?

**Balaam** is a bible character. According to the [Book of Revelation](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Book_of_Revelation) ([Revelation 2:14](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Revelation+2%3A14&version=NRSV)), Balaam was asked by King Balak how to curse the Israel people but Balaam follows god command to bless Israel people.

# Today’s Topic: Numbers 22-25

# **New International Version**

### Balak Summons Balaam

**22**Then the Israelites traveled to the plains of Moab and camped along the Jordan across from Jericho.

**2**Now Balak son of Zippor saw all that Israel had done to the Amorites, **3**and Moab was terrified because there were so many people. Indeed, Moab was filled with dread because of the Israelites.

**4**The Moabites said to the elders of Midian, “This horde is going to lick up everything around us, as an ox licks up the grass of the field.”

So Balak son of Zippor, who was king of Moab at that time, **5**sent messengers to summon Balaam son of Beor, who was at Pethor, near the Euphrates River, in his native land. Balak said:

“A people has come out of Egypt; they cover the face of the land and have settled next to me. **6**Now come and put a curse on these people, because they are too powerful for me. Perhaps then I will be able to defeat them and drive them out of the land. For I know that whoever you bless is blessed, and whoever you curse is cursed.”

**7**The elders of Moab and Midian left, taking with them the fee for divination. When they came to Balaam, they told him what Balak had said.

**8**“Spend the night here,” Balaam said to them, “and I will report back to you with the answer the Lord gives me.” So the Moabite officials stayed with him.

**9**God came to Balaam and asked, “Who are these men with you?”

**10**Balaam said to God, “Balak son of Zippor, king of Moab, sent me this message: **11**‘A people that has come out of Egypt covers the face of the land. Now come and put a curse on them for me. Perhaps then I will be able to fight them and drive them away.’”

**12**But God said to Balaam, “Do not go with them. You must not put a curse on those people, because they are blessed.”

**13**The next morning Balaam got up and said to Balak’s officials, “Go back to your own country, for the Lord has refused to let me go with you.”

**14**So the Moabite officials returned to Balak and said, “Balaam refused to come with us.”

**15**Then Balak sent other officials, more numerous and more distinguished than the first. **16**They came to Balaam and said:

“This is what Balak son of Zippor says: Do not let anything keep you from coming to me, **17**because I will reward you handsomely and do whatever you say. Come and put a curse on these people for me.”

**18**But Balaam answered them, “Even if Balak gave me all the silver and gold in his palace, I could not do anything great or small to go beyond the command of the Lord my God. **19**Now spend the night here so that I can find out what else the Lord will tell me.”

**20**That night God came to Balaam and said, “Since these men have come to summon you, go with them, but do only what I tell you.”

### Balaam’s Donkey

**21**Balaam got up in the morning, saddled his donkey and went with the Moabite officials. **22**But God was very angry when he went, and the angel of the Lord stood in the road to oppose him. Balaam was riding on his donkey, and his two servants were with him. **23**When the donkey saw the angel of the Lord standing in the road with a drawn sword in his hand, it turned off the road into a field. Balaam beat it to get it back on the road.

**24**Then the angel of the Lord stood in a narrow path through the vineyards, with walls on both sides. **25**When the donkey saw the angel of the Lord, it pressed close to the wall, crushing Balaam’s foot against it. So he beat the donkey again.

**26**Then the angel of the Lord moved on ahead and stood in a narrow place where there was no room to turn, either to the right or to the left. **27**When the donkey saw the angel of the Lord, it lay down under Balaam, and he was angry and beat it with his staff. **28**Then the Lord opened the donkey’s mouth, and it said to Balaam, “What have I done to you to make you beat me these three times?”

**29**Balaam answered the donkey, “You have made a fool of me! If only I had a sword in my hand, I would kill you right now.”

**30**The donkey said to Balaam, “Am I not your own donkey, which you have always ridden, to this day? Have I been in the habit of doing this to you?”

“No,” he said.

**31**Then the Lord opened Balaam’s eyes, and he saw the angel of the Lord standing in the road with his sword drawn. So he bowed low and fell facedown.

**32**The angel of the Lord asked him, “Why have you beaten your donkey these three times? I have come here to oppose you because your path is a reckless one before me.[[a](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Numbers%2022-25&version=NIV#fen-NIV-4408a)] **33**The donkey saw me and turned away from me these three times. If it had not turned away, I would certainly have killed you by now, but I would have spared it.”

**34**Balaam said to the angel of the Lord, “I have sinned. I did not realize you were standing in the road to oppose me. Now if you are displeased, I will go back.”

**35**The angel of the Lord said to Balaam, “Go with the men, but speak only what I tell you.” So Balaam went with Balak’s officials.

**36**When Balak heard that Balaam was coming, he went out to meet him at the Moabite town on the Arnon border, at the edge of his territory. **37**Balak said to Balaam, “Did I not send you an urgent summons? Why didn’t you come to me? Am I really not able to reward you?”

**38**“Well, I have come to you now,” Balaam replied. “But I can’t say whatever I please. I must speak only what God puts in my mouth.”

**39**Then Balaam went with Balak to Kiriath Huzoth. **40**Balak sacrificed cattle and sheep, and gave some to Balaam and the officials who were with him. **41**The next morning Balak took Balaam up to Bamoth Baal, and from there he could see the outskirts of the Israelite camp.

### Balaam’s First Message

**23**Balaam said, “Build me seven altars here, and prepare seven bulls and seven rams for me.” **2**Balak did as Balaam said, and the two of them offered a bull and a ram on each altar.

**3**Then Balaam said to Balak, “Stay here beside your offering while I go aside. Perhaps the Lord will come to meet with me. Whatever he reveals to me I will tell you.” Then he went off to a barren height.

**4**God met with him, and Balaam said, “I have prepared seven altars, and on each altar I have offered a bull and a ram.”

**5**The Lord put a word in Balaam’s mouth and said, “Go back to Balak and give him this word.”

**6**So he went back to him and found him standing beside his offering, with all the Moabite officials. **7**Then Balaam spoke his message:

“Balak brought me from Aram,  
    the king of Moab from the eastern mountains.  
‘Come,’ he said, ‘curse Jacob for me;  
    come, denounce Israel.’  
**8**How can I curse  
    those whom God has not cursed?  
How can I denounce  
    those whom the Lord has not denounced?  
**9**From the rocky peaks I see them,  
    from the heights I view them.  
I see a people who live apart  
    and do not consider themselves one of the nations.  
**10**Who can count the dust of Jacob  
    or number even a fourth of Israel?  
Let me die the death of the righteous,  
    and may my final end be like theirs!”

**11**Balak said to Balaam, “What have you done to me? I brought you to curse my enemies, but you have done nothing but bless them!”

**12**He answered, “Must I not speak what the Lord puts in my mouth?”

### Balaam’s Second Message

**13**Then Balak said to him, “Come with me to another place where you can see them; you will not see them all but only the outskirts of their camp. And from there, curse them for me.” **14**So he took him to the field of Zophim on the top of Pisgah, and there he built seven altars and offered a bull and a ram on each altar.

**15**Balaam said to Balak, “Stay here beside your offering while I meet with him over there.”

**16**The Lord met with Balaam and put a word in his mouth and said, “Go back to Balak and give him this word.”

**17**So he went to him and found him standing beside his offering, with the Moabite officials. Balak asked him, “What did the Lord say?”

**18**Then he spoke his message:

“Arise, Balak, and listen;  
    hear me, son of Zippor.  
**19**God is not human, that he should lie,  
    not a human being, that he should change his mind.  
Does he speak and then not act?  
    Does he promise and not fulfill?  
**20**I have received a command to bless;  
    he has blessed, and I cannot change it.

**21**“No misfortune is seen in Jacob,  
    no misery observed[[b](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Numbers%2022-25&version=NIV#fen-NIV-4438b)] in Israel.  
The Lord their God is with them;  
    the shout of the King is among them.  
**22**God brought them out of Egypt;  
    they have the strength of a wild ox.  
**23**There is no divination against[[c](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Numbers%2022-25&version=NIV#fen-NIV-4440c)] Jacob,  
    no evil omens against[[d](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Numbers%2022-25&version=NIV#fen-NIV-4440d)] Israel.  
It will now be said of Jacob  
    and of Israel, ‘See what God has done!’  
**24**The people rise like a lioness;  
    they rouse themselves like a lion  
that does not rest till it devours its prey  
    and drinks the blood of its victims.”

**25**Then Balak said to Balaam, “Neither curse them at all nor bless them at all!”

**26**Balaam answered, “Did I not tell you I must do whatever the Lord says?”

### Balaam’s Third Message

**27**Then Balak said to Balaam, “Come, let me take you to another place. Perhaps it will please God to let you curse them for me from there.” **28**And Balak took Balaam to the top of Peor, overlooking the wasteland.

**29**Balaam said, “Build me seven altars here, and prepare seven bulls and seven rams for me.” **30**Balak did as Balaam had said, and offered a bull and a ram on each altar.

**24**Now when Balaam saw that it pleased the Lord to bless Israel, he did not resort to divination as at other times, but turned his face toward the wilderness. **2**When Balaam looked out and saw Israel encamped tribe by tribe, the Spirit of God came on him **3**and he spoke his message:

“The prophecy of Balaam son of Beor,  
    the prophecy of one whose eye sees clearly,  
**4**the prophecy of one who hears the words of God,  
    who sees a vision from the Almighty,[[e](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Numbers%2022-25&version=NIV#fen-NIV-4451e)]  
    who falls prostrate, and whose eyes are opened:

**5**“How beautiful are your tents, Jacob,  
    your dwelling places, Israel!

**6**“Like valleys they spread out,  
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like aloes planted by the Lord,  
    like cedars beside the waters.  
**7**Water will flow from their buckets;  
    their seed will have abundant water.

“Their king will be greater than Agag;  
    their kingdom will be exalted.

**8**“God brought them out of Egypt;  
    they have the strength of a wild ox.  
They devour hostile nations  
    and break their bones in pieces;  
    with their arrows they pierce them.  
**9**Like a lion they crouch and lie down,  
    like a lioness—who dares to rouse them?

“May those who bless you be blessed  
    and those who curse you be cursed!”

**10**Then Balak’s anger burned against Balaam. He struck his hands together and said to him, “I summoned you to curse my enemies, but you have blessed them these three times. **11**Now leave at once and go home! I said I would reward you handsomely, but the Lord has kept you from being rewarded.”

**12**Balaam answered Balak, “Did I not tell the messengers you sent me, **13**‘Even if Balak gave me all the silver and gold in his palace, I could not do anything of my own accord, good or bad, to go beyond the command of the Lord—and I must say only what the Lord says’? **14**Now I am going back to my people, but come, let me warn you of what this people will do to your people in days to come.”

### Balaam’s Fourth Message

**15**Then he spoke his message:

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    the prophecy of one whose eye sees clearly,  
**16**the prophecy of one who hears the words of God,  
    who has knowledge from the Most High,  
who sees a vision from the Almighty,  
    who falls prostrate, and whose eyes are opened:

**17**“I see him, but not now;  
    I behold him, but not near.  
A star will come out of Jacob;  
    a scepter will rise out of Israel.  
He will crush the foreheads of Moab,  
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**18**Edom will be conquered;  
    Seir, his enemy, will be conquered,  
    but Israel will grow strong.  
**19**A ruler will come out of Jacob  
    and destroy the survivors of the city.”

### Balaam’s Fifth Message

**20**Then Balaam saw Amalek and spoke his message:

“Amalek was first among the nations,  
    but their end will be utter destruction.”

### Balaam’s Sixth Message

**21**Then he saw the Kenites and spoke his message:

“Your dwelling place is secure,  
    your nest is set in a rock;  
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    when Ashur takes you captive.”

### Balaam’s Seventh Message

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“Alas! Who can live when God does this?[[i](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Numbers%2022-25&version=NIV#fen-NIV-4470i)]  
**24**    Ships will come from the shores of Cyprus;  
they will subdue Ashur and Eber,  
    but they too will come to ruin.”

**25**Then Balaam got up and returned home, and Balak went his own way.

### Moab Seduces Israel

**25**While Israel was staying in Shittim, the men began to indulge in sexual immorality with Moabite women, **2**who invited them to the sacrifices to their gods. The people ate the sacrificial meal and bowed down before these gods. **3**So Israel yoked themselves to the Baal of Peor. And the Lord’s anger burned against them.

**4**The Lord said to Moses, “Take all the leaders of these people, kill them and expose them in broad daylight before the Lord, so that the Lord’s fierce anger may turn away from Israel.”

**5**So Moses said to Israel’s judges, “Each of you must put to death those of your people who have yoked themselves to the Baal of Peor.”

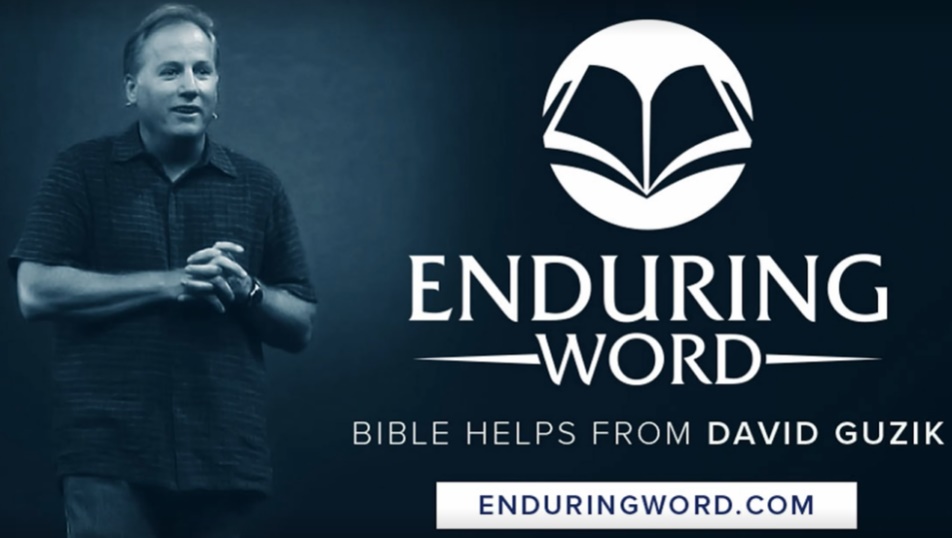
**6**Then an Israelite man brought into the camp a Midianite woman right before the eyes of Moses and the whole assembly of Israel while they were weeping at the entrance to the tent of meeting. **7**When Phinehas son of Eleazar, the son of Aaron, the priest, saw this, he left the assembly, took a spear in his hand **8**and followed the Israelite into the tent. He drove the spear into both of them, right through the Israelite man and into the woman’s stomach. Then the plague against the Israelites was stopped; **9**but those who died in the plague numbered 24,000.

**10**The Lord said to Moses, **11**“Phinehas son of Eleazar, the son of Aaron, the priest, has turned my anger away from the Israelites. Since he was as zealous for my honor among them as I am, I did not put an end to them in my zeal. **12**Therefore tell him I am making my covenant of peace with him. **13**He and his descendants will have a covenant of a lasting priesthood, because he was zealous for the honor of his God and made atonement for the Israelites.”

**14**The name of the Israelite who was killed with the Midianite woman was Zimri son of Salu, the leader of a Simeonite family. **15**And the name of the Midianite woman who was put to death was Kozbi daughter of Zur, a tribal chief of a Midianite family.

**16**The Lord said to Moses, **17**“Treat the Midianites as enemies and kill them. **18**They treated you as enemies when they deceived you in the Peor incident involving their sister Kozbi, the daughter of a Midianite leader, the woman who was killed when the plague came as a result of that incident.”





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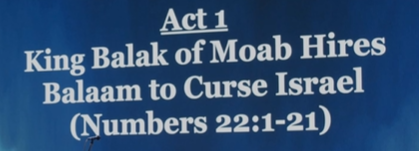
This morning we will talk about Numbers 22-25, Balaam, and the talking donkey.

There are four acts in the topics.



# **ACT 1: KING BALAK OF MOAB HIRES BALAAM TO CURSE ISRAEL**

# Explanation:



Moab: In Bible, Moab is a ancient people live in Jordan.

Balak ask Balaam come and curse to Israel people.

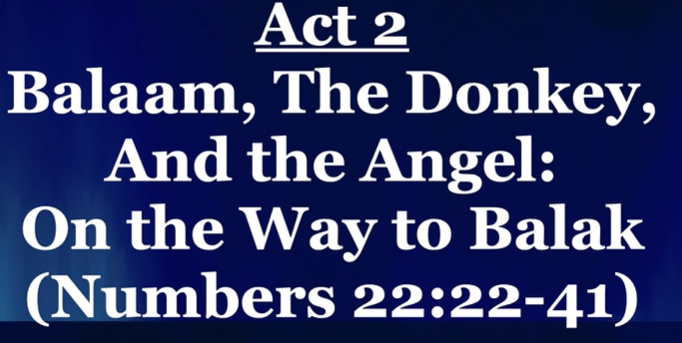
God tell Balaam.

1. Do not go to that man and

2. Do not curse to Israel people.

# **ACT 2: BALAAM, THE DONKEY, AND THE ANGEL: ON THE WAY TO BALAK**

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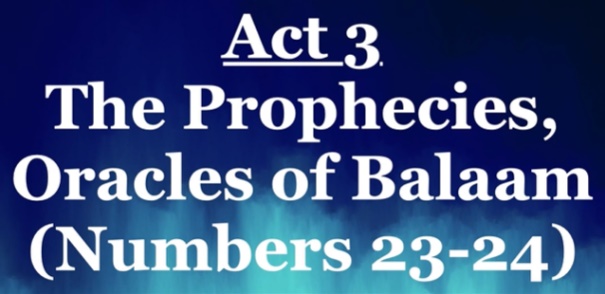


God is very mad that Balaam went to there.

Your pass is reckless.

# **ACT 3: THE PROPHECIES, ORACLES OF BALAAM PROPHECY ONE (23:1-12)**

# Explanation:



Altar: A Table in Christian church at which bread and wine for religious ritual.

Balak “I hire you to curse Israel but you bless Israel”.

# **PROPHECY ONE (23:1-12)**

# Explanation:

**23**Balaam said, “Build me seven altars here, and prepare seven bulls and seven rams for me.” **2**Balak did as Balaam said, and the two of them offered a bull and a ram on each altar.

# Explanation:

Balaam said the star will light for someone to come. Jesus Christ is our star.

**PROPHECY TWO (23:13-26)**

# Explanation:

**13**Then Balak said to him, “Come with me to another place where you can see them; you will not see them all but only the outskirts of their camp. And from there, curse them for me.” **14**So he took him to the field of Zophim on the top of Pisgah, and there he built seven altars and offered a bull and a ram on each altar.

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Explanation:

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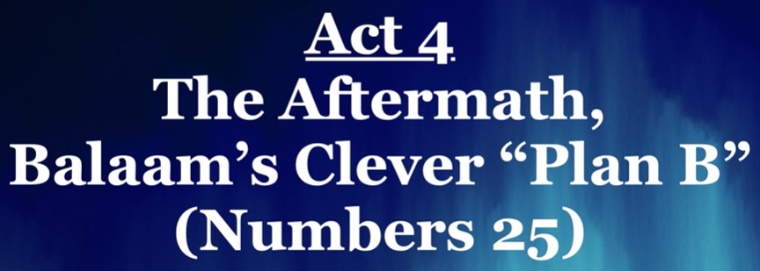
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**ACT 4: THE AFTERMATH, BALAAM’S CLEVER “PLAN B”**

# Explanation:



Aftermath: consequence

Explanation:

### Moab Seduces Israel

**25**While Israel was staying in Shittim, the men began to indulge in sexual immorality with Moabite women, **2**who invited them to the sacrifices to their gods. The people ate the sacrificial meal and bowed down before these gods. **3**So Israel yoked themselves to the Baal of Peor. And the Lord’s anger burned against them.

**4**The Lord said to Moses, “Take all the leaders of these people, kill them and expose them in broad daylight before the Lord, so that the Lord’s fierce anger may turn away from Israel.”

**5**So Moses said to Israel’s judges, “Each of you must put to death those of your people who have yoked themselves to the Baal of Peor.”

**6**Then an Israelite man brought into the camp a Midianite woman right before the eyes of Moses and the whole assembly of Israel while they were weeping at the entrance to the tent of meeting. **7**When Phinehas son of Eleazar, the son of Aaron, the priest, saw this, he left the assembly, took a spear in his hand **8**and followed the Israelite into the tent. He drove the spear into both of them, right through the Israelite man and into the woman’s stomach. Then the plague against the Israelites was stopped; **9**but those who died in the plague numbered 24,000.

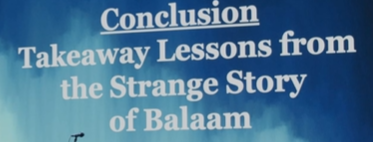
**10**The Lord said to Moses, **11**“Phinehas son of Eleazar, the son of Aaron, the priest, has turned my anger away from the Israelites. Since he was as zealous for my honor among them as I am, I did not put an end to them in my zeal. **12**Therefore tell him I am making my covenant of peace with him. **13**He and his descendants will have a covenant of a lasting priesthood, because he was zealous for the honor of his God and made atonement for the Israelites.”

**14**The name of the Israelite who was killed with the Midianite woman was Zimri son of Salu, the leader of a Simeonite family. **15**And the name of the Midianite woman who was put to death was Kozbi daughter of Zur, a tribal chief of a Midianite family.

**16**The Lord said to Moses, **17**“Treat the Midianites as enemies and kill them. **18**They treated you as enemies when they deceived you in the Peor incident involving their sister Kozbi, the daughter of a Midianite leader, the woman who was killed when the plague came as a result of that incident.”

**CONCLUSION:**

**Takeaway Lessons from the Strange Story of Balaam**

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**• God may use you, and you still end in ruin.**

**• God is for His people – yet our disobedience may invite His discipline.**

**• Despite himself, Balaam ended up prophesying beautifully of Jesus Christ.**

# Explanation:

Prophesy: prediction

Balaam point out Jesus is the star of the scepter.

Jesus Christ is the star of your life.

Summary of Today topics: Balaam in Number 22-25 of Bible

There is 4 Acts in Number 22-25 of Bible:

1. King Balak hire Balaam to curse Israel people.

2. God told Balaam not to go. Balaam did not follow God’s saying and ride a donkey to see Balak (King of Moab).

3. Balaam made four prophecies:

a. Jesus is the star will come.

b. Balaam follows God word blessed Israel people.

c. God will bring Israel people out of Egypt.

d. A star will come out of Jacob; a scepter will rise out of Israel.

4. Balaam made plan B for aftermath: God told Moses to have 10 commands.