



# COMPLAINING

## It's All About Your Attitude

Part 1 - Numbers 14:26-30

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### Cost Of Complaining

#### Complaining Offends the heart of God

*Now the people complained about their hardships in the hearing of the LORD, and when he heard them his anger was aroused. Then fire from the LORD burned among them and consumed some of the outskirts of the camp. When the people cried out to Moses, he prayed to the LORD and the fire died down.*

Numbers 11:1-2

#### Complaining Carries significant consequences

*In this desert your bodies will fall—every one of you twenty years old or more who was counted in the census and who has grumbled against me. Not one of you will enter the land I swore with uplifted hand to make your home, except Caleb son of Jephunneh and Joshua son of Nun.*

Numbers 14:29-30

#### Complaining Drives other people away

### Replacing Complaining With Thankfulness

**Admit It is a problem for you**

**Accept Responsibilities for your life**

**Develop The attitude of thankfulness**

*...give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.*

1 Thessalonians 5:18

## **Thankfulness Is a choice**

*Let them give thanks to the LORD ...*

Psalm 107:8a

## **Thankfulness Is a decision based in reality**

*... for his unfailing love...*

Psalm 107:8b

## **Thankfulness Is a life-changing decision**

*... and his wonderful deeds for men,...*

Psalm 107:8c

### **List Five (5) Things To Be Thankful For**

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