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Alma 34-63

## Alma 34 AMULEK TESTIFIES OF CHRIST

1. What did Amulek say was the real question in the minds?
2. In addition to the three prophets, what testimony does Amulek give?
3. What kind of atonement did Amulek say was expedient to be made?
4. What example does Amulek use to show the need of an infinite atonement?
5. What was the great and last sacrifice of the law of Moses?
6. What was the intent of this last sacrifice?
7. Through the law of sacrifice what can be satisfied?
8. To whom is the whole law of the demands of justice exposed?
9. How does Amulek say a person can get the mercy of Christ?
10. When one does not cry out to the Lord, what should he do?
11. What does Alma say will make one's prayer vain?
12. What is this life, according to Amulek
13. What will happen if we do not improve our time while in this life?
14. What spirit will have power to possess our body in the eternal world?
15. What tow spirits are the alternatives?
16. Where does the spirit of the Lord not dwell?
17. How does Amulek suggest we work out our salvation?
  - a.
  - b.
  - c.
  - d.
18. What was Alma's final admontion?

## Alma 35 THE ZORAMITE BELIEVERS COME TO THE LAND OF JERSHON

1. Why were the more part of the Zoramites angry with the word?
2. What happened to those who were in favor of the words spoken of by Alma and his brethren?
3. Who began making preparations for war against the people of Ammon and the Nephites?
4. What is said about Alma, Ammon, and their brethren and the two sons of Alma?
5. Why did Alma gather his sons together?

## Alma 36 ALMA RECOUNTS HIS REBIRTH TO HELAMAN

1. What does Alma swear to Helaman?
2. Who was able to deliver “our Fathers” from bondage?
3. What two promises does Alma give to those who put their trust in God?
  - a.
  - b.
1. What experience enabled Alma to know of spiritual things?
2. What statement of the angel shows the principle of agency?
3. What kind of torment did Alma suffer? (Compare D&C 19:4-12)
4. What does Alma equate with murder?
5. As Alma cried for mercy, what could he no more remember?
6. With what was Alma filled? To what extent?
7. What did Alma think he saw as did Lehi?
8. What had Alma done since he was born of God?
9. With what was Alma filled?
10. What did Alma say he knew?
11. What does Alma say that Helaman ought to know?

## Alma 37 ALMA INSTRUCTS HELAMAN REGARDING THE RECORDS

1. What does Alma command Helaman?
2. What had been prophesied about the plates of brass?
3. How are great things brought to pass?
4. What had the plates of brass already accomplished?
5. What does Alma tell Helaman by the spirit of prophecy?
6. What was Helaman to keep? Why?
7. For whom was the stone (interpreters) prepared? See D&C 78:9 Why?
8. What was Helaman to retain? Why?
9. What was Helaman to teach this people?
10. What was Helaman to learn in his youth?
11. What direction was Helaman given concerning God?
12. What is the name of the ball or director? It's interpretation?
13. How did the director work?
14. Of what shadow or type was the ball or director?
15. Why was Helaman admonished to not be slothful?

## Alma 38 ALMA INSTRUCTS SHIBLON

1. Why was Shiblon encouraged to continue to keep the commandments?
2. What two things which Alma told Helaman was repeated to Shiblon?
  - a.
  - b.
3. What was the wisdom which Alma wished Shiblon to learn?
4. What guidelines for teaching does Alma give Shiblon?
5. Like whom was Shiblon warned against praying?

## Alma 39 THE THREE MOST SERIOUS SINS

1. Whose example had Corianton not followed?
2. What did Alma have against Corianton?
  - a.
  - b.
3. What did Alma say was no excuse for Corianton?
4. What two things did Alma say was worse than chasing after harlots?
  - a.
  - b.
5. What is an unpardonable sin?
6. For what sin is forgiveness not easy to obtain? (Compare D&C 42:18, 79)
7. Why does Alma dwell upon Corianton's crime or sin?
8. What does Alma say must be done before Corianton can inherit the kingdom of God?
9. With whom does Alma say Corianton should counsel?
10. Why would the Zoramites not believe Alma's words? What was the result?
11. Why did Alma command Corianton to refrain from his inequities?
12. How was Corianton instructed to turn to the Lord?
13. What was Corianton to do in regards to the Zoramites?
14. Why did Alma tell Corianton to not seek after riches and vain things of the world?
15. What was the ministry to which Corianton was called?
16. Why was the coming of Christ known so long before He came?

## Alma 40 CORIANTON'S QUESTION ABOUT THE RESURRECTION

1. Alma says there was to be no resurrection until when?
2. What did Alma say was sufficient to know concerning the time of the resurrection?
3. Why does Alma say that it matterth not whether there is more than one time appointed for men to rise?
4. What was the thing which Alma did know?
5. When will people know that God knoweth all the times which are appointed unto man?
6. Who had told Alma about the state of the soul between death and the resurrection?
7. Where are the spirits of all men taken when they depart from the mortal body?
8. Where are the spirits of the righteous received?
9. What will happen to the spirits of the wicked? Why?
10. How long do the wicked and the righteous remain in the above states?
11. What is the meaning of the first resurrection?
12. What does Alma say about the wicked, as well as the righteous, being resurrected at once?
13. What opinion does Alma give?
14. What restoration does the resurrection and appearance before the judgment bar of God bring about?
15. What shall be restored at the time of the resurrection?
16. How does Alma define the awful death which comes upon the wicked?



## Alma 41 THE MEANING OF RESTORATION

1. With what is the plan of restoration requisite?
2. What is requisite and just according to the power and resurrection of Christ?
3. What is requisite and just about man being judged by their works?
4. How are men their own judges?
5. What does Alma warn Corianton against risking?
6. What does Alma say Corianton should not suppose? Why?
7. What does Alma equate with a state of nature?
8. What does Alma say about all men in a state of nature or carnal state?
9. What is the meaning of the word restoration?
10. Why should Corianton be merciful to his brethren, deal justly, etc?
11. What does the word restoration more fully do?

## Alma 42 THE JUSTICE OF GOD AND THE SINNER

1. What does Alma say he will explain to Coriantor?
2. Why did the Lord God place Cherubim and a flaming sword at the east end of the garden of Eden?
3. What was granted unto man? Why?
4. What did man become as they were cut off from the tree of life?
5. How were our first parents cut off?
6. What did our first parents become?
7. What became expedient since all mankind were cut off?
8. Why did this probationary state become a preparatory state?
9. According to justice, what only could bring about the plan of redemption?
10. What would happen if the work of justice was destroyed?
11. As all mankind were fallen, whose grasp were they in?
12. How could the plan of mercy be brought about?
13. Why was the atonement made?
14. What was required for repentance to come unto man?
15. What would have been the result if there was no law given?
16. What is the result if mercy does not claim the creature?
17. Who inflicts the punishment? If not, what would be the result?
18. What does justice do? Mercy do?
19. What does Alma tell Coriantor to let trouble him?
20. What is Coriantor called to do?

## Alma 43 THE LAW OF WAR

1. How did Alma and his sons preach the word and the truth?
2. Who did Zarahemnah appoint as chief captains of the Lamanites?  
Way?
3. What were the designs of Zarahemnah?  
The Nephites?
3. What two groups did the Nephites know the Lamanites would destroy?
4. What did the people of Ammon give unto the Nephites?
5. What peoples constituted the Lamanites at this time? How large were they?
6. Who was the chief captain of the Nephites? How old was he?
7. How did Moroni know the travels and intents of the Lamainte army?
  - a.
  - b.
9. How did Moroni justify his actions of stratagem?
10. Who inspired the Lamanites to fight with exceeding great strength and courage?
11. What better cause inspired the Nephites?
12. What words of the Lord were the Nephites following?
13. Whom did the Nephites call upon for freedom?
14. Who inspired them to do it?

## Alma 44 MORONI DEFEATS ZARAHEMNAH

1. Of what did Moroni bear testimony to Zarahemnah concerning?
  - a.
  - b.
  - c.
  - d.
2. Although Zarahemnah delivered up his arms, unto what did he attribute Moroni's victory?
3. Why did Moroni return the weapons of war?
4. By whom were the Lamanites soldier stirred up to anger?
5. Why did Moroni cease the work of death among the Lamanites?

## Alma 45 ALMA'S PROPHECY AND DEPARTURE

1. What three questions does Alma ask Helaman?
  - a.
  - b.
  - c.
2. When was the prophecy made by Alma to Helaman to be made known?
3. What was the prophecy of Alma?
4. Who did Alma say would be numbered among the Lamanites? Who would not?
5. What did Alma prophecy about this land (America)? Why?
6. What did Alma do before he departed out of the land?
7. What saying went abroad in the church?
8. Why did Helaman go forth among the people to declare the work unto thee?

## Alma 46 MORONI'S TITLE OF LIBERTY

1. How did Amalickiah obtain support to gather against their brethren?
2. What two things does Mormon want us to learn from the previous account?
  - a.
  - b.
3. What was the 'title of liberty'?
4. What were all the true believers of Christ called? Why?
5. What part of the land did Moroni name "A chosen land, and a land of liberty?"
6. Why did the people rend their garments?
7. Whom did Moroni declare these people were?
8. What words of Jacob did Moroni ask his people to remember?
9. How did Moroni apply Jacob's words?
10. What happened to those followers of Amalickiah who were captured?
11. Why did some die at this time? How were some healed?

## Alma 47 THE DECEIT OF AMLICKIAH

1. To where did Amalickiah flee and what did he do?
2. How did Amalickiah become leader of the Lamanite army?
3. How did the king of the Lamanites meet his death?
4. Who was blamed for the king's death? By whom?
5. Who did Amalickiah marry?
6. How did the dissenters from the Nephites become?
7. Who did they entirely forget?

## Alma 48 THE CHARACTER OF GENERAL MORONI

1. After Amalickiah had obtained the kingdom, what did he appoint men to do?
2. While Amalickiah was obtaining power by fraud, what was Moroni doing?
3. List the characteristic of Moroni as given by Mormon
  - a.
  - b.
  - c.
4. What had the Nephites been taught concerning war?
5. What was the Nephites and Mormon's faith?
  - a.
  - b.
6. If all men had been and were and ever would be like Moroni, what would be the result?
7. With whom was Moroni compared?
8. Why were Nephites sorry to take up arms against the Lamanites?

## Alma 49 THE LAMANITES ARE DEFEATED

1. Why did the Lamanites leave Ammonihah to attack the city of Noah?
2. What was Amalickiah's reaction to the Lamanite defeat?
3. What was the Nephite reaction to their victory?
4. Why was there continual peace in the end of the 19<sup>th</sup> year?

## Alma 50 THE CAUSE OF WAR

1. What did Moroni do in the commencement of the 20<sup>th</sup> year?
2. What words of the Lord does Mormon remind us are again verified?
3. What was the cause of war among the Nephites?
4. How happy were the people at this time in the days of General Moroni?
5. How did General Moroni learn of the contention in the land of Morianton?
6. What had inspired the people of Morianton to their stubbornness?
7. What did the oath and sacred ordinance of Nephihah include?
  - a.
  - b.
  - c.
  - d.
  - e.

## Alma 51 THE KINGMEN AND THE FREEMEN

1. What did a part of the people desire?
2. What was the desire of the kingmen?
3. What was the desire of the freemen?
4. Who were in support of the kings?
5. What did the kingmen refuse to do when they heard the Lamanites were coming to battle?
6. What did General Moroni propose to do to counter the kingmen dissenters?
7. Why were the leaders of the kingmen placed in prison? What did others do?
8. How did Teancum celebrate New Year's Eve?

## Alma 52 RETAKING THE CITY OF MULEK

1. Who replace Almalickiah as king?
2. For what did General Moroni intend to use the Lamanite prisoners?
3. For how long were Moroni's men to fall upon the Lamanites?
4. How many Lamanites chose to give up their weapons and surrender?

## Alma 53 THE SONS OF THE PEOPLE OF AMMON

1. What did Moroni cause the Lamanite prisoners to do?
2. Why were the Lamanites able to gain some ground on the west sea south?
3. Why did the people of Ammon not take up arms to defend their country?
4. Why did the 2,000 sons of the people of Ammon take up arms?
5. How were the 2,000 sons of the people of Ammon described?
6. What did these sons call themselves?
7. Who did they want for their leader?

## Alma 54 THE OFFER TO EXCHANGE PRISONERS

1. What did General Moroni tell Ammoron concerning?
2. What conditions did Moroni give to Ammoron for the exchange of prisoners?
3. What did Moroni threaten if they would not exchange prisoners? Why?
4. What was Ammoron reply to Moroni? His excuses?



## Alma 55 LAMANITES TAKE WINE

1. Why was General Moroni angry over Ammoron's epistle?
2. How was General Moroni able to take the city of Gid without bloodshed?
3. How were the Nephites able to keep from being poisoned or drunken?

## Alma 56 THE FIRST BATTLE OF THE SONS OF HELAMAN

1. What is "that quarter of the land" from where Helaman wrote? (See Alma 53:22)
2. Why would Helaman not allow the people of Ammon to break their covenant?
3. What does Helaman say concerning those who were slain?
4. Who did the Lamanites retain as prisoners? What did they do with others?
5. Why did Helaman say his army had been favored of the Lord?
6. What did the sons of Helaman tell Helaman in response to going to battle?
7. From whose and what teachings had the sons obtained their courage?
8. How did the courage and faith of the sons of Helaman pay off?

## Alma 57 THE FAITH OF THE SONS OF HELAMAN

1. How did they capture the city of Cumeni?
2. Why did they take their prisoners to Zarahemla?
3. What kind of soldiers were the sons of Helaman?
4. To what was the fact that none of the sons were killed ascribed?
5. In what did Helaman trust for those who were slain?

## Alma 58 MANTI CAPTURED WITHOUT SHEDDING OF BLOOD

1. How was Helaman's army strengthened in spite of lack of food?
2. To whom did Helaman give credit and trust in their victories and battles?
3. Now of Helaman's sons were killed but many were wounded. Nevertheless, what did they do?
4. In what was the sons of Helaman's faith strong?

## Alma 59 MORONI'S FIRST EPISTLE TO PAHORAH

1. What did General Moroni know was easier
2. Why did Moroni and his chief captains begin to doubt

## Alma 60 MARONI'S SCATHING EPISTLE TO PAHORAN

1. Who does General Moroni say was responsible for the suffering and slain of the Nephites?
2. Why does the Lord allow the righteous to be slain?
3. Why had the Lamanites (their enemies) gained power over the Nephites?
4. What does General Moroni say the Lord expects of them?
5. What does God say concerning cleansing? (Compare D&C 112:25-56)
6. What did General Moroni threaten to do if help was not soon forthcoming?
7. Whom did General Moroni fear?
8. What does the Lord say concerning governors who are in sin and iniquity?
9. What did General Moroni seek?

## Alma 61 PAHORAN'S PATRIOTIC REPLY

1. For what did Pahoran seek?
2. How does Pahoran say evil should be resisted?
3. What instructions did Pahoran tell Moroni to give to Lehi and Teancum?

## Alma 62 PEACE ESTABLISHED ON BOTH FRONTS

1. Following their trial, why were some of the men of Pachus put to death?
2. How did Teancum meet his death? What tribute is paid Teancum?
3. How many years had they been at war: (see 43:3)
4. To what does Mormon attribute the sparing of the Nephites?
5. Name two contrasting results of the exceeding great length of war?
  - a.
  - b.
6. What were the results of the preaching of Helaman and his brethren?

## Alma 63 HAGOTH, THE SHIP BUILDER

1. Who took over the sacred things upon the death of Helaman?
2. What other prominent person died at this time?
3. Who built ships at this time and what happened to them?
4. Why did Shiblom give the records to Helaman, the son of Helaman?