

## Mistakes Of Korah

*Jude 5-16; Numbers 16:1-40; 26:9-11*  
*"Gainsaying Of Korah"*

## The Gainsaying Of Korah!

- Korah Greatly Blessed!
- Served In The Tabernacle.
- Ministered To The People.
- Offered To Help.
- **Pride -- Thought he could lead as well as Moses!**
- Pride is always disastrous. Ps. 10:4; Prov. 13:10; 11:2; 16:18; 8:13
- Avenue used by Satan. 1 Jno. 2:15-16
- Humility pleases God. Mt. 18:4; 1 Pet. 5:6

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- **Disrespect For God's Order. Num. 16:3,7,10**
- God's Order Then:
  - Moses as leader.
  - Aaron as high priest.
  - Korah service before the people.

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  - One church. Eph. 4:4; 1:22-23; Mt. 16:18
  - N.T. Authority. 2 Tim. 3:16-17; 2 Pet. 1:3
  - Vocal Music in Worship. Eph. 5:19; Col. 3:16
  - Baptism for Remission of Sins. Acts 2:38; Mk. 16:15-16
  - Lord's Supper -- First Day Of The Week. Acts 20:7; 1 Cor. 11:23
  - Gospel the means of Edification. Eph. 4:11ff

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  - Local Church -- Organization through which Local Church's work is done. Acts 2,4,6,11; Phil. 4:15; 2 Cor. 11:8-9
  - God's people must be different. Rom. 12:1-2; 1 Pet. 2:9
- When one becomes disgusted with God's order, he goes on to other sins!

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- **Presumption. Num. 16:7**
  - One church as good as another.
  - Human creeds.
  - Mechanical instruments in worship.
  - Saved without baptism.
  - Lord's Supper anytime or not at all.
  - Social Gospel.
  - Presumption is still a sin! Deut. 18:20; 2 Jno. 9

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- **Rebellion. Num. 16:12ff**
  - Would not tolerate God's way. Isa. 55:8-9; Jer. 10:23
  - When we reject God's way, open rebellion follows. Acts 20:28; 2 Tim. 4:2

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- **Divine Condemnation. Num. 16:20-35**
- Memorial a warning. Num. 16:40
- "Woe unto them! For they ...perished in the gainsaying of Korah." Jude 11
- Judgment is forever. Cf. Lk. 16:19; Mt. 25:41; Rev. 14:9-11; 21:8

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- **Influence Caused Others To Sin... Consequences. Num. 16:41-50**
- Responsible for influence. Mt. 5:12-16

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- **Deviated From God's Order**
- Ended as a rebellious, presumptuous leader of death & destruction.
- Resulting in his own death as well as the destruction of 250 men of renown.
- Resulting in the death of 14,700 who murmured.

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- **Influence Caused Others To Be Destroyed.**

**The Gainsaying Of Korah... His name lives in infamy and shame.**

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