## Numbers 22 • The Way of Balaam

- 1. (v.1-6) A lack of <u>understanding</u> or lack of <u>belief</u> in God's Word leads to bad <u>decisions</u>.
- 2. (v.7-21) Balaam repeatedly seeks and requests something for which <u>God</u> has already given an <u>answer</u>.
- 3. (v.22-35) Balaam's character is to make <u>choices</u> which are contrary to God's <u>ways</u>.
- 4. (v.35-41) Balaam is ultimately controlled by personal greed.
- 5. (31:16) The "way of Balaam" is to seek personal gain in the name of the Lord which results in harm to God's people.