## Women of the Bible - Miriam



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General References: Exodus 2:1-9, Reprint 3987, Exodus 15:20-21, Reprint 5278, Exodus 15:1-19, Reprint 5307, Numbers 12:1-16, Deuteronomy 24:8-9, Micah 6:3-4, Reprint 1549:3-4.

## **Miriam the Big Sister:**

- 1) What can we determine about Miriam's character from the events with Moses in the basket? Exodus 2:1-9, Reprint 3987:6
- 2) Do you think Miriam had an understanding of the prophecies concerning the deliverer? Exodus 2:11, Hebrews 11:23-24 (see also comments for these verses) Reprint 2902, Reprint 5251

## **Miriam the Prophetess**

- 3) How did Miriam show her leadership after the Lord delivered the Israelites across the Red Sea and destroyed the Egyptians? Exodus 15:20-21, Reprint 5278, Exodus 15:1-19, Reprint 5307
- 4) Micah tells us that Miriam was given, by God, as a prophetess to the Israelites. What do you suppose she prophesied and how did she assist Moses? Micah 6:3-4,

## Miriam's jealousy

- 5) Numbers 12 tells us that Miriam spoke against Moses. Explain the events and what happened to Miriam. Reprint 5307, Numbers 12:1-16 (see bible comments Numbers 12), Deuteronomy 24:8-9, 1 Cor.13:4-5
- 6) Why were Miriam's and Aaron's actions so wrong? What did Moses' actions show about his feelings for Miriam? Numbers 12: 5-9, Reprint 4037, Numbers 12:13
- 7) We know that Aaron, Moses and Miriam did not enter the Promised Land. When did Miriam die and why do you think Miriam was not allowed to enter the Land? Numbers 20:1
- 8) What can we learn from Miriam's life and service that we can apply in our consecrated walk?