

1 Cor. 10 Reference	OT Text	Consequence -Salvation
(v.7) "Do not be idolaters as some of them were"	Ex 32. The golden calf is formed while Moses is on the mountain	Moses and Levites enact judgment – Moses intercedes
(v.8) "We must not indulge in sexual immorality as some of them did"	Num 25. They join their Moabite neighbors in idolatrous worship and sexual union, thus "yoking themselves" to the pagan god Baal	Plague - The "zeal of Phineas" ends the plague when he kills a chief offender
(v.9) "We must not put Christ to the test as some of them did"	The people became impatient when their journey in the wilderness and "speak against the Lord" and complain of their deliverance from Egypt	Fiery serpents invade the camps - Moses places a bronze serpent on a pole and all who look to it are saved
(v.10) "Nor grumble, as some of them did" <i>*There are a lot of grumbling stories in the OT, and none are a perfect fit, but Num 14 seems likely</i>	*Num 14. Israel is overwhelmed by a frighten report from scouts who looked at the promised land and they claim preference for Egypt	Plague, and unfaithful scouts are killed, then the people are defeated in battle, they wander 40 years in the wilderness – but God continues to sustain them

Israel in the Wilderness as an example for the Corinthian Church (1 Cor. 10:1-13)