**Aaron**

**Aaron’s Family**

Aaron was born to Amram and Jochebed of the tribe of Levi.

Exodus 6:16-20

He was the brother of Moses and Miriam. Exodus 7:1, Exodus 15:20

He was the husband of Elisheba. Exodus 6:23

He was the father of Nadab, Abihu, Eleazar and Ithamar.

Exodus 6:23

**Aaron’s position among the Israelites**

The helper of Moses. Exodus 14:13-31

He became prophet to Moses. Exodus 7:1-2

Aaron was appointed as a priest to God. Exodus 28:1, Hebrews 5:4

**Strong qualities of Aaron’s character**

He was a proficient speaker. Exodus 4:14

He was willing to admit when he was wrong. Numbers 12:11

He was willing to be submissive. Leviticus 10:1-7

**Weaknesses in Aaron’s character**

He tried to be a people pleaser. Exodus 32:1-24

He could be a little jealous at times. Numbers 12:1-2

**The Levitical priesthood**

He was chosen by God. Exodus 7:1

His sons were given the office of priest. Leviticus 8:1-36

There were anointed with oil. Exodus 30:25,30

They were given specific jobs. Exodus 30:7-10

They were given special clothes. Exodus 39:1-31

They were ordained to teach. Leviticus 10:8-11

They were set apart to offer sacrifices. Leviticus 9:1-24,

Hebrews 5:1-4

They were to intercede for the people. Numbers 16:46-48

They were confirmed by God. Numbers 17:8-10

It was inferior to the Priesthood of Melchizedek. Hebrews 7:11-19, Hebrews 3:1, Hebrews 4:14, Hebrews 6:20