
Journey Through the Bible- Week 4

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MESSAGE NOTES

Moses - **Passover**

Obedience = Acceptance

Religion left to itself will leave little room for grace.

What God wants FOR us

What God wants FROM us

Passover was not just about God leading us, it was about God LOVING us

Then Joseph died, and all his brothers and all that generation. But the people of Israel were fruitful and increased greatly; they multiplied and grew exceedingly strong, so that the land was filled with them. Now there arose a **new king over Egypt, who did not know Joseph**. And he said to his people, "Behold, the people of Israel are too many and too mighty for us. Come, **let us deal shrewdly with them**, lest they multiply, and if war breaks out, they join our enemies and fight against us and escape from the land." Exodus 1:6-10

Now Moses was keeping the flock of his father-in-law, Jethro, the priest of Midian, and he led his flock to the west side of the wilderness and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. And the angel of the Lord appeared to him in a flame of fire out of the midst of a bush. He looked, and behold, the bush was burning, yet it was not consumed. And Moses said, "I will turn aside to see this great sight, why the bush is not burned." When the Lord saw that he turned aside to see, God called to him out of the bush, "Moses, Moses!" And he said, "Here I am." Then he said, "Do not come near; take your sandals off your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground." Exodus 3:1-5

Come, I will send you to Pharaoh that you may bring my people, the children of Israel, out of Egypt." But Moses said to God, "Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh and bring the children of Israel out of Egypt?" He said, "But I will be with you, and this shall be the sign for you, that I have set you: when you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall serve God on this mountain." Then Moses said to God, "If I come to the people of Israel and say to them, 'The God of your fathers has sent me to you,' and they ask me, 'What is his name?' What shall I say to them?" God said to Moses, "I am who I am." And he said, "Say this to the people of Israel: 'I am has sent me to you.'" Exodus 3:10-14

Afterward Moses and Aaron went and said to Pharaoh, "Thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, 'Let my people go.'" Exodus 5:1

Ten Plagues:

The Nile to Blood

The Invasion of Frogs

Gnats From the Dust

Teems of Flies

A Plague on Livestock

The Infection of Boils

The Storm of Hail

The Swarms of Locusts

Three Days of Darkness

Death of the Firstborn

Tell all the congregation of Israel that on the tenth day of the month every man shall take a lamb according to their fathers' houses, a lamb according to their fathers' houses, a lamb for a household. And if the household is too small for a lamb, then he and his nearest neighbor shall take according to the number of persons; according to what each can eat you shall make your count for the lamb. Your lamb shall be without blemish, a male a year old. You may take it from the sheep or from the goats, and you shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month, when the whole assembly of the congregation of Israel shall kill their lambs at twilight. Then they shall take some of the blood and put it on the two doorposts and the lintel of the houses in which they eat it. Exodus 12:3-7

For I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, both man and beast; and on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgments: I am the Lord. The blood shall be a sign for you, on the houses where you are. And when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague will befall you to destroy you, when I strike the land of Egypt. Exodus 12:12-13

Salvation only comes through a substitute

Indeed, under the law almost everything is purified with blood, and without the shedding of blood there is no forgiveness of sins. Hebrews 9:22

"Behold, the **Lamb of God** who takes away the sin of the world! This is he..." John 1:29

God saves FIRST - then gives the law

And God spoke all these words, saying, "I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery. Exodus 20:1-2

Our obedience always flows from His love

The commandments were never given in order to gain a relationship, they were given because of the relationship

Why, then, was the law given? It was given alongside the promise **to show people their sins**. But the law was designed to last only until the coming of the child who was **promised**. God gave his law through angels to Moses, who was the mediator between God and the people. Let me put it another way. The law was our guardian until Christ came; it protected us until we could be made right with God through faith. And now that the way of faith has come, we no longer need the law as our guardian. Galatians 3:19-25 (NLT)

And he took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." And likewise the cup after they had eaten, saying, "This cup that is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood. Luke 22:19-20

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