



THE PROMISE

Sunday, January 10
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Part 8 - The Journey, Water and Manna

1. The people's fear of getting away from Pharaoh's army led to God's unique provision of _____.

¹⁰As Pharaoh approached, the Israelites looked up and saw the Egyptians coming after them. Then the Israelites were terrified and cried out to the Lord for help. ¹¹They said to Moses: "Is it because there are no graves in Egypt that you took us to die in the wilderness? What have you done to us by bringing us out of Egypt? ¹²Isn't this what we told you in Egypt: Leave us alone so that we may serve the Egyptians? It would have been better for us to serve the Egyptians than to die in the wilderness." ¹³But Moses said to the people, "Don't be afraid. Stand firm and see the Lord's salvation He will provide for you today; for the Egyptians you see today, you will never see again. ¹⁴The Lord will fight for you; you must be quiet."
Exodus 14:10-14

²⁹But the Israelites had walked through the sea on dry ground, with the waters like a wall to them on their right and their left. ³⁰That day the Lord saved Israel from the power of the Egyptians, and Israel saw the Egyptians dead on the seashore. ³¹When Israel saw the great power that the Lord used against the Egyptians, the people feared the Lord and believed in Him and in His servant Moses.
Exodus 14:29-31

2. The people's fear of not having something to drink led to God's unique provision of _____.

²²Then Moses led Israel on from the Red Sea, and they went out to the Wilderness of Shur. They journeyed for three days in the wilderness without finding water. ²³They came to Marah, but they could not drink the water at Marah because it was bitter—that is why it was named Marah. ²⁴The people grumbled to Moses, "What are we going to drink?" ²⁵So he cried out to the Lord, and the Lord showed him a tree. When he threw it into the water, the water became drinkable. He made a statute and ordinance for them at Marah and He tested them there. ²⁶He said, "If you will carefully obey the Lord your God, do what is right in His eyes, pay attention to His commands, and keep all His statutes, I will not inflict any illnesses on you that I inflicted on the Egyptians. For I am Yahweh who heals you." ²⁷Then they came to Elim, where there were 12 springs of water and 70 date palms, and they camped there by the waters.
Exodus 15:22-27

3. The people's fear of not having something to eat led to God's unique provision of _____.

²The entire Israelite community grumbled against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness. ³The Israelites said to them, "If only we had died by the Lord's hand in the land of Egypt, when we sat by pots of meat and ate all the bread we wanted. Instead, you brought us into this wilderness to make this whole assembly die of hunger!"
Exodus 16:2-3

¹¹The Lord spoke to Moses, ¹²"I have heard the complaints of the Israelites. Tell them: At twilight you will eat meat, and in the morning you will eat bread until you are full. Then you will know that I am Yahweh your God."
Exodus 16:11-12

The Israelites ate manna for 40 years, until they came to an inhabited land. They ate manna until they reached the border of the land of Canaan.
Exodus 16:35

4. In Christ, we are _____, _____ and _____.

Christ has liberated us to be free. Stand firm then and don't submit again to a yoke of slavery.

Galatians 5:1

For you were called to be free, brothers; only don't use this freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but serve one another through love.

Galatians 5:13

Jesus said, "Everyone who drinks from this water will get thirsty again. ¹⁴But whoever drinks from the water that I will give him will never get thirsty again—ever! In fact, the water I will give him will become a well of water springing up within him for eternal life."

John 4:13-14

"I am the bread of life," Jesus told them. "No one who comes to Me will ever be hungry, and no one who believes in Me will ever be thirsty again."

John 6:35

You will lead the people You have redeemed with Your faithful love; You will guide them to Your holy dwelling with Your strength.

Exodus 15:13