

PROMISED LAND

Part 9: Final Act | Text: Exodus 11

Review:

1. Egyptians and Israelites received the first three plagues.
2. Israel was not saved from the other plagues because of their commitment to the Lord. Leviticus 17:7; Joshua 24:14; Ezekiel 20:6-9; 1 John 2:15
3. Israel was delivered from the plagues because of the promise given to Abraham many years before. Genesis 12:2,3; Genesis 13:14-16; Genesis 15:16
4. We are saved, favored and delivered because we are in Christ. 2 Cor. 5:17; Galatians 1:4; Ephesians 1:13; Colossians 1:12-14 and 2:9-12
5. Our land of Goshen is "In Christ." Psalm 91

Genesis 15:16 (NLT) After four generations your descendants will return here to this land, for the sins of the Amorites do not yet warrant their destruction.

Ephesians 1:13 And you also were included in Christ when you heard the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation. When you believed, you were marked in him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit...

Exodus 11:1-3

Four hundred years of back pay was now being _____ to the children of Israel.

Proverbs 6:30, 31 | Ecclesiastes 2:26 | Zechariah 14:14

Proverbs 13:22 (NKJV) A good man leaves an inheritance to his children's children, but the wealth of the sinner is stored up for the righteous.

Exodus 11:4-7

Death is the final result for _____ of the Lord's direction.

Romans 6:23 | Exodus 4:22, 23 | Deuteronomy 30: 15-18
Ezekiel 38:22, 23 | Ephesians 5:6

Why the Firstborn?

Exodus 13:2, 12-16 | Deuteronomy 24:7 | Luke 2:23

Exodus 21:16 (NLT) Kidnappers must be put to death, whether they are caught in possession of their victims or have already sold them as slaves.

Christ is the firstborn who gave His life for us, so that we could be thrust out of the kingdom of darkness into the Kingdom of Light.

1 Corinthians 15:22, 23 | Colossians 1:15-18 | Hebrews 12:23 | Rev. 1:5

The "Good News" is that we have been saved from the _____ of God and we are covered in the blood of His Grace.

1 Thessalonians 1:10 | 1 Thessalonians 5:9

Romans 5:9 Since we have now been justified by his blood, how much more shall we be saved from God's wrath through him!

Death brought a way of escape.

Romans 5:17 | Hebrews 2:14, 15 | John 5:24

Romans 6:6-8 (NLT) We know that our old sinful selves were crucified with Christ so that sin might lose its power in our lives. We are no longer slaves to sin. (7) For when we died with Christ we were set free from the power of sin. (8) And since we died with Christ, we know we will also live with him.

Exodus 11:8

"All these officials of yours will come to me, bowing down before me and saying, 'Go, you and all the people who follow you!' After that I will leave." Then Moses, hot with anger, left Pharaoh.

D12 Discussion Points

1. Pray the Jeremiah 33 scriptures (below) during your meeting.
2. Discuss why we need to keep in mind that we are receiving from the Lord not because of works, but grace.
3. Give examples of how you have missed out on destruction because of the Grace of God.
4. Talk about the importance of the firstborn.

Prayer Agreement

Agree that VBS will be a place of salvation for all the kids that attend. Also, be in agreement for 500 kids to participate.

Jeremiah 33

Call to me and I will answer you and will tell you great and hidden things that you have not known...for thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the houses of this city...Behold I will bring health and healing, and I will heal them and reveal to them abundance of prosperity and security. I will restore the fortunes...and rebuild them as they were at first. I will cleanse them from all the guilt of their sin and rebellion against me. And the city shall be to me a name of joy, a praise and a glory before all the nations of the earth who shall hear of all the good that I do for them. They shall fear and tremble because of all the good and all the prosperity I provide for it.... as they bring thank offerings to the house of the LORD: Give thanks to the LORD of hosts for the LORD is good, for his steadfast love endures forever. For I will restore the fortunes of the land as at first, says the LORD.