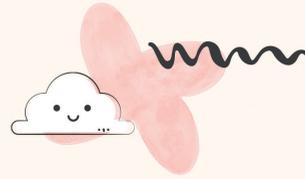




## EXODUS 11



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# THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF GOD

Because Pharaoh's stubborn heart did not want to set the Israelites free, God decided to send plagues\* onto the land of Egypt.

The plagues came in the following order: Water turned into blood, frogs, lice or gnats, flies, death of the livestock, boils, hail, locusts, darkness and death of the firstborn.

At the last plague, every firstborn in Egypt died. Every family in Egypt suffered the loss of someone they loved, even Pharaoh's oldest son died. The plagues did not touch the Israelites at all. God instructed them to put the blood of a one-year old unblemished lamb on their doorframes. When God moved through Egypt, He would see the blood on the doorframe and the firstborn in that house would not be killed.

Just like the Israelites who were saved by the pure lamb's blood, you and I are also saved by Jesus' blood when He died on the cross. The difference is that you do not put Jesus' blood on the doorframe, but you believe in Jesus and put Him in your heart.

\*a plague = a disaster

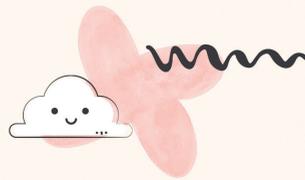
### Key verse:

*Ephesians 1:7  
In Christ we are  
set free by the  
blood of His  
death.*

### Prayer

*Dear Jesus, thank  
you for Your  
precious blood  
that has saved  
me. I bless Your  
Holy Name. Amen*





EXODUS 12:31-51

## AMAZING GRACE

Only after God sent the tenth plague did Pharaoh repent and agree to let the Israelites go. When God passed over the Israelites' homes in the night when the Egyptians' firstborns died, the Israelites were saved from the plague and that's why they called it the Passover.

The Passover is to celebrate the freedom of the Israelites from slavery in ancient Egypt. Passover becomes a celebration of God's amazing grace. The Israelites still remember this special day that they celebrate it by having a Passover meal from generation to generation.

The next time you are having a happy meal from McDonald, take a moment to thank God for your food and for His blessings and remember His amazing grace. You also need to celebrate God's amazing grace regularly to always be reminded of what He has done for you.

### Key verse:

*Titus 2:11  
That is the way we should live, because God's grace has come. That grace can save every person.*

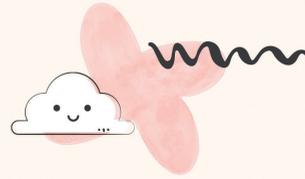
### Prayer

*Dear God, thank You for saving me. Help me to always remember and celebrate Your amazing grace in my daily life. Amen.*





**EXODUS 14:5-31**



## KEEP CALM

After Moses had taken the Israelites out of Egypt, Pharaoh began to regret his decision. He was thinking, who would do all the hard labor? So, Pharaoh took his best men and chariots to chase after the Israelites.

When the Israelites saw that the Egyptian were chasing after them, they were scared. But Moses told them, "Don't be afraid...The Lord Himself will fight for you... Just stay calm."

God fought for them and showed His power. God split the Red Sea into two sides so they could walk on dry ground across the sea. The Egyptians tried to go after them but the wheels of their chariots were stuck and it was really difficult for them to drive. When the Israelites had safely crossed the Red Sea, the water went back to normal, and it swallowed up Pharaoh and his army

If you are in the midst of a "battle" right now, just stay calm and remember that God cares about you. Please be assured that He will fight the "battle" for you so you will see His power and you will be a winner.

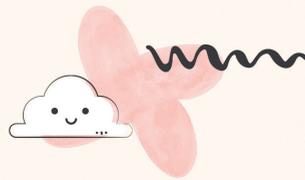
### **Key verse:**

*Joshua 1:9  
So don't be afraid. The Lord your God will be with you everywhere you go.*

### **Prayer**

*Dear God, thank You for always taking care of me and helping me when I need help. Amen.*





**EXODUS 16:1-18**

## GOD PROVIDES EVEN WHEN YOU GRUMBLE

During their journey in the wilderness, the Israelites grumbled that they didn't have enough food and water. They had seen Him do countless amazing work yet they still grumbled. Although the Israelites grumbled instead of thanking God, God graciously provided for them instead of punishing them. That is truly who our God is. He is merciful. God provided bread from heaven which was called manna. Every single day, they would collect enough for a day. God ensured that they would not starve.

When you grumble, it shows that your heart is not grateful for the things you have received from God. God wants you to come to Him with your requests rather than grumbling. That doesn't mean that God will always give you exactly what you want, but you can trust God to give you exactly what you need.

If you continually remember how God has helped you and blessed you, you will never grumble.

### **Key verse:**

*Philippians 4:19  
My God will use  
His wonderful  
riches in Christ  
Jesus to give you  
everything you  
need*

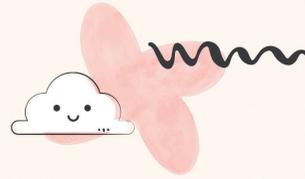
### **Prayer**

*Dear God, thank  
You for providing  
for me even when  
I grumble. Please  
forgive me for  
being ungrateful  
and give me a  
heart that loves  
You more each  
day. Amen.*





**EXODUS 20-1-17**



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## GOD'S GOOD RULES

After wandering around for 3 months, the Israelites arrived at Mount Sinai for a temporary stay before continuing their journey to Canaan. One day, God asked Moses to come up to the top of Mount Sinai as God wanted to give him the Ten Commandments for the Israelites.

The Ten Commandments are as follows:

1. Do not have other gods beside the One true God;
2. Worship only God;
3. Use His name with respect;
4. Keep the Sabbath holy;
5. Honour your parents;
6. Do not murder;
7. Always be faithful to your husband or wife;
8. Do not steal;
9. Always tell the truth;
10. Be happy with what you have, do not be jealous.

God gave rules so that they knew how to live and to differentiate right and wrong. It was God's way to protect His people. Likewise, your parents have rules at home because they love you and want what is best for you.

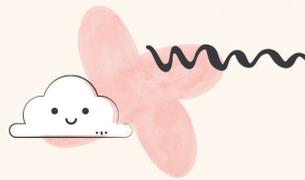
### **Key verse:**

*Psalm 119:105  
Your word is  
a lamp for my  
feet, a light for  
my path*

### **Prayer**

*Dear God, thank  
You for Your word  
and for showing  
me who You are. I  
want to obey You  
wholeheartedly.  
Amen.*





EXODUS 25:1-22

## DWELL IN GOD'S PRESENCE

God wanted to dwell among the Israelites so He instructed Moses to build a place for the people to worship Him. This place is called Tabernacle. The reason God wanted them to build a Tabernacle was because God wanted a place to meet with His people.

During that time, the Tabernacle was a place of many sacrifice offerings. The offerings were like flour, oil or innocent animals. The purpose of the sacrifice was to show clearly that sin was very serious and destructive in the relationship between God and His people.

During our time now, we no longer need to make sacrifices because the one truly priceless sacrifice has been made. That priceless sacrifice is Jesus. How blessed you are to live in a time where you can openly go to church. You can praise and worship Him to dwell in His presence. You can also listen to His word to know Him more by reading the bible.

### Key verse:

*Exodus 25:8  
The people must  
build a holy  
place for Me.  
Then I can live  
among them.*

### Prayer

*Dear God, thank  
You for giving me  
Jesus so that I  
can dwell in Your  
presence anytime  
and anywhere. I  
open my heart  
for You to dwell  
in my heart daily.  
Amen.*





**EXODUS 32**



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## GOD FIRST!

When Moses was on the mountain to receive the 10 commandments, the Israelites asked Aaron to give them a new god. Aaron listened to their requests and made a golden calf. It was a sad thing because God was the One who had set them free from slavery and given them plenty of water and unlimited food, and yet, they easily forgot about God and worshipped the golden calf which was made by humans and not even alive!

Do you also have a golden calf in your life? Do you spend too much time on games or on social media till you do not even have time to read the bible and pray?

Anything that keeps you from placing God first in your heart is wrong. Sometimes people let hobbies or having a good time become more important than God. There is nothing wrong with enjoying all of these blessings, but they may not become more important than God.

### **Key verse:**

*Colossians 3:5  
So put all evil things out of your life*

### **Prayer**

*Dear God, help me to always put You first above anything else. Thank You for everything that You have done to me. Amen.*

