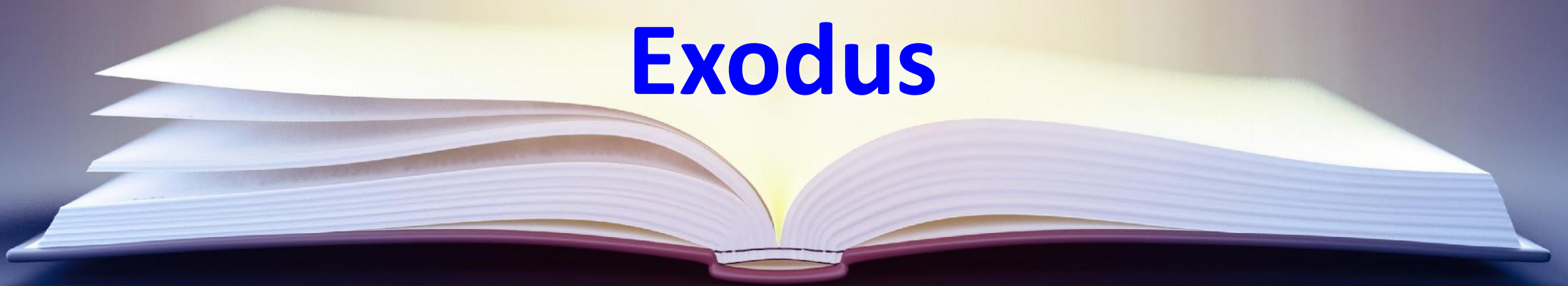


BIBLICAL A STUDY THROUGH THE SCROLLS OF SCRIPTURE REVIEW

Exodus



Notebook



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At A Glance

EXODUS

AT-A-GLANCE



O.T. BOOK #2



AUTHOR: MOSES



WRITTEN: 1400 BC

Covering the time period of 1525 BC through 1400 BC



CLAIMS TO FAME: Contains the stories from the birth of Moses through the 40 years of the Exodus.

FAMOUS STORIES INCLUDED:

- Moses at the Burning Bush
- The Ten Plagues of Egypt
- Moses parts the Red Sea
- The Ten Commandments

MOST FAMOUS VERSES:

"You shall have no other gods before me." *Exodus 20:3*

"God said to Moses, 'I AM WHO I AM. This is what you are to say to the Israelites: I AM has sent me to you.'" *Exodus 3:14*

Important Points about the Book:

- So many exciting Bible stories are found in Exodus! Exodus starts 280 years after the death of Joseph in Egypt with the birth of Moses. Moses was born in 1426 BC. Chapters 1-2 cover events before Moses was called to lead Israel out of Egypt.
- Chapter 3 covers the story of the Burning Bush and Moses' call
- Chapters 7-12 cover the Ten Plagues of Egypt, including the Passover, established with the 10th plague that called for the death of the oldest child of both man and beast.
- Chapters 13 begins the Exodus
- Chapter 20 contains the 10 Commandments.
- The stories are basically over for the remaining 20 chapters, except that chapter 32 contains the story of the Golden Calf. The other chapters contain laws and instructions for the constructing of the first tabernacle. A tabernacle was like a temple, only portable in the desert.

Bible Blueprints

EXODUS

ORDER IN OLD TESTAMENT

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NUMBER OF CHAPTERS

40

TYPE

HISTORY/PENTATEUCH



OVERVIEW

Exodus records the return of the nation of Israel to the Promised Land, having spent nearly 400 years in Egypt as slaves. The people cried out to God, who reminded them that the Israelites are a chosen people and He would help them return to the Promised Land. The book contains the first laws of Israel which Moses recorded, as well as many well-known stories of miracles.



WRITTEN
Around 1400 BC



TIME PERIOD COVERED
1525-1400 BC



AUTHOR
Moses

1 HEBREW HISTORY AND MOSES' BACKGROUND	2 MOSES LEADS THE PEOPLE TO FREEDOM	3 WANDERING IN THE WILDERNESS	4 LAWS GIVEN TO THE PEOPLE	5 GOLDEN CALF IDOL AND REPENTANCE	6 CONSTRUCTING THE TABERNACLE
EXODUS 1-3	EXODUS 4-14	EXODUS 15-19	EXODUS 20-31	EXODUS 32-34	EXODUS 35-40
After over 400 years of the Israelites living in Egypt, a new Pharaoh comes into power and enslaves the Hebrews. Moses is born, sent down the river in a basket by his loving mother, saved by the Pharaoh's daughter from death, and later called by God at the burning bush to deliver the people of Israel out of Egypt.	Moses returns to Egypt and repeatedly asks the Pharaoh to free the Israelites. The Pharaoh refuses, and God sends ten plagues upon Egypt. The Israelites are protected against the plagues, and after the tenth plague the Pharaoh allows them to go. He changes his mind and sends his army to recapture the slaves, but they escape when Moses parts the Red Sea. Moses and his people pass through, the sea falls back, and the Egyptian army perishes.	The Israelites travel in the desert, constantly watched over by God, who provides them with manna (bread from heaven), quail, and water. They often complain about their hardships. Moses ascends Mount Sinai to receive the Ten Commandments from God.	Moses teaches the Israelites God's laws, including the Ten Commandments. Following that, Moses records social and moral laws, instructions for festivals, and explicit instructions for designing the Tabernacle.	Israelites make a golden idol in the shape of a calf and Moses, in anger, breaks the stone tablets that contain the Commandments. The Israelites repent and are forgiven. Moses returns to Mount Sinai, sees God's glory, and receives new stone tablets.	The Tabernacle is built, including the Ark of the Covenant, and rules are given that govern its use. The book does not end with the death of Moses (covered in Deuteronomy).

Purpose of Scripture

- Reveal God

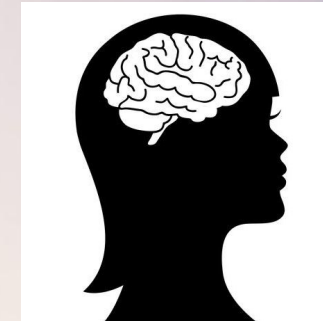


- Point to Jesus



Our Purpose

- Increase Biblical literacy



- Respond in faith and obey



Today's message

→ Review

- Six major segments of Exodus
- Key verse for each segment
- Scarlet thread for each segment

→ Application

→ Children Segment

→ Communion

The Book of Exodus - first segment

Hebrew Captivity - chapters 1-3

- Started as guests, but became slaves
- Israel cried out to God Exodus 2:23
- God called a reluctant Moses to serve Him.

1. Hebrew Captivity - key verse

But Moses protested, “If I go to the people of Israel and tell them, ‘The God of your ancestors has sent me to you,’ they will ask me, ‘What is his name?’ Then what should I tell them?”

God replied to Moses, “**I AM WHO I AM**. Say this to the people of Israel: **I AM** has sent me to you. God also said to Moses, “Say this to the people of Israel: Yahweh, the God of your ancestors—the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob—has sent me to you.”

Exodus 3:13-15

1. Hebrew Captivity - Scarlet Thread

Moses preserved as baby

- Jesus saved from Herod
- Satan's attacks against the seed of the woman
- Columbia Pregnancy Center Appreciation Dinner

The Book of Exodus - second segment

Moses leads his people - chapters 4-14

- Pharaoh's hard heart results in the ten plagues
- Passover applies to all
- Destruction of the Egyptians

2. Moses Leads His People - key verse

And you will reply, 'It is the **Passover** sacrifice to the Lord, for he passed over the houses of the Israelites in Egypt. ... So the people of Israel did just as the Lord had commanded through Moses and Aaron.

And that night at midnight, the Lord struck down all the firstborn sons in the land of Egypt, from the firstborn son of Pharaoh, who sat on his throne, to the firstborn son of the prisoner in the dungeon.

Exodus 12:27-29

2. Moses leads his people - Scarlet Thread

Passover

- Redemption through blood
- Jesus shared Passover with His disciples
- Sacrament of communion

The Book of Exodus - third segment

Wandering in the Wilderness - chapters 15-19

- Israel Grumbled against God
- God Provides for Israel
- God confirms His covenant with Israel

3. Wandering in the Wilderness - key verse

And the next morning the area around the camp was wet with dew. When the dew evaporated, a **flaky substance** as fine as frost blanketed the ground.

The Israelites were puzzled when they saw it. “What is it?” they asked each other. They had no idea what it was. And Moses told them, “It is the food the Lord has given you to eat.

Exodus 16:13-15

3. Wandering in the Wilderness - Scarlet Thread

Manna from Heaven

- **“ I am the bread of life...” John 6:35**
- **“Take, eat, this is my Body...” Matthew 26:26**

The Book of Exodus - fourth segment

The Law is Given - chapter 20-31

- The Ten Commandments
- Ratification of the Covenant
- Specifications for the Tabernacle

4 The Law is Given - key verse

Then he took the Book of the Covenant and read it aloud to the people. Again they all responded, “We will do everything the Lord has commanded. We will obey.”

Then Moses took the **blood from the basins and splattered it over the people**, declaring, “Look, this blood confirms the covenant the Lord has made with you in giving you these instructions.”

Exodus 24:7-8

4. The Law is Given - key verse

Then Moses, Aaron, Nadab, Abihu, and the seventy elders of Israel climbed up the mountain.

There they saw the God of Israel. Under his feet there seemed to be a surface of brilliant blue lapis lazuli, as clear as the sky itself.

And though these nobles of Israel gazed upon God, he did not destroy them. In fact, they ate a covenant meal, eating and drinking in his presence!

Exodus 24:9-11

4. The Law is Given - key verse

Then the Lord said to Moses, “Come up to me on the mountain. Stay there, and I will give you the **tablets of stone** on which I have inscribed the instructions and commands so you can teach the people.

So Moses and his assistant Joshua set out, and Moses climbed up the mountain of God.”

Exodus 24:12-13

4.The Law is Given - Scarlet Thread

Escalation of Ten Commandments

- The escalation of the Sermon on the mount
- Law to be written on our hearts, not just stone
- Prophecy of the Holy Spirit changing us!

The Book of Exodus - fifth segment

Immediate Rebellion - chapters 32-34

- The Golden Calf
- Moses Intercedes for Israel
- God renews His covenant

5. Immediate Rebellion - key verse

When the people saw how long it was taking Moses to come back down the mountain, they gathered around Aaron. “Come on,” they said, “**make us some gods who can lead us.** We don’t know what happened to this fellow Moses, who brought us here from the land of Egypt.” So Aaron said, “Take the gold rings from the ears of your wives and sons and daughters, and bring them to me.”

Exodus 32:1-2

5. Immediate Rebellion - key verse

All the people took the gold rings from their ears and brought them to Aaron. Then Aaron took the gold, melted it down, and molded it into the **shape of a calf**. When the people saw it, they exclaimed, “O Israel, these are the gods who brought you out of the land of Egypt!”

Exodus 32:3-4

5. Immediate Rebellion - Scarlet Thread

Our Sinful Nature

- Immediate rebellion in spite of grace
- “All have sinned...” Romans 3:23
- Moses as intercessor prophecy of Christ as intercessor

The Book of Exodus - sixth segment

Establishment of Sacrificial System - chapters 35-40

- Consecration of Ark, Tabernacle and Priest
- Establishment of sacrificial system
- God's glory fills the Tabernacle
- God's fire and smoke lead them

6. Establishment of Sacrificial System - key verse

The firstborn of every animal belongs to me, including the firstborn males from your herds of cattle and your flocks of sheep and goats. A firstborn donkey may be bought back from the Lord by presenting a lamb or young goat in its place. But if you do not buy it back, you must break its neck. However, you must buy back every firstborn son.

“No one may appear before me without an offering.

Exodus 34:19-20

6. Establishment of the Sacrificial System - Scarlet Thread

New Covenant and Glory

- Jesus is the Great High Priest - Hebrews 4
- Copy and shadow of heavenly things - Hebrews 8-10
- Our bodies are temples..... 1 Corinthians 6:19
- New Jerusalem / Tabernacle - Revelation 21

Bonus Verse! The Glory of God

Then the cloud covered the Tabernacle, and the **glory of the Lord filled the Tabernacle**. Moses could no longer enter the Tabernacle because the cloud had settled down over it, and the glory of the Lord filled the Tabernacle.

Exodus 40:33-35

The Golden Thread

- Genesis 15:17 - Flaming torches seal Covenant
- Exodus 40:34,35 - Tabernacle Consecrated
- 2 Chronicles 5:13,14 - Temple Consecrated
- Matthew 17:2 - Transfiguration of Jesus
- Revelation 21:22-23 - New Jerusalem filled with Glory

Applications from Exodus

- Acknowledge your sin
- Respond to God's call to faith.
- Stay faithful for the long haul
- Remember the end - God's Glory

Children's Segment

Seder /
Passover



Communion

- Description of Seder
- Responsive Reading
- Communion

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Exodus 24:8