# REDEMPTION THROUGH THE WILDERNESS

# God’s Glory in Salvation

Exodus 13:17-15:21

**Overview**

The Lord leads Israel out of Egypt….and into a dead end. It looks like a mistake that will result in their destruction. But it is really God’s design to get glory over Pharaoh by delivering his people in the most impossible and unexpected way. The Red Sea miracle foreshadows the greater salvation of God’s people to come in Jesus. Through Moses, God saved his people from physical slavery in Egypt. Through Jesus, God saves his people from spiritual slavery to sin and death. God gets glory by saving his people.

**Notes**

**What Happened? The Story**

* Act 1: Israel’s Path (13:17-4:4)
* Act 2: Pharaoh’s Pursuit (14:5-18)
* Act 3: God’s Power (14:19-31)
* Act 4: Israel’s Praise (15:1-21)

**Why Does It Matter? The Significance**

1. Old Testament Significance
2. New Testament Significance
3. Personal Significance

**How Should I Respond? The Relevance**

1. See
2. Fear
3. Believe
4. Sing

**Reflection Questions**

1. What is the Spirit convicting you about from this passage?
2. Where are you tempted, like the Israelites, to give up and go back to slavery (to fear, bitterness, cynicism, etc.) instead of trusting God to bring you through?
3. Have you experienced a “Red Sea moment” when things looked hopeless, but God rescued you?
4. How is salvation in Jesus the ultimate “Red Sea moment” demonstrating God’s power to save?
5. If God went to such lengths for his people at the Red Sea, what does that mean for us today?