



The Journey

God in the Wilderness



**To build a foundation of  
knowledge and wisdom  
to understand our past  
and our future.**

**Psalm 23:1 The Lord is my shepherd; I have all that I need. 2 He lets me rest in green meadows; he leads me beside peaceful streams. 3 He renews my strength. He guides me along right paths, bringing honor to his name. 4 Even when I walk through the darkest valley, I will not be afraid, for you are close beside me.**

**Your rod and your staff protect and comfort me.**

**5 You prepare a feast for me  
in the presence of my enemies.  
You honor me by anointing my head with oil.  
My cup overflows with blessings.**

**6 Surely your goodness and unfailing love will  
pursue me all the days of my life,  
and I will live in the house of the Lord  
forever. (NLT)**

**How and why did they get there?**

**I. Satan deceived the Lord's perfect  
creations in the Garden.**

**The Lord judged but poured out grace.**

**II. Satan believes since he was clever enough to deceive heart of the two, in God's Garden, imagine what he could do in the flesh.**

**So Satan sets out to corrupt them all.**

**The Lord judges humanity, demons and their offspring but again pours out His grace on the remnant -Noah.**

**We continue to see the Lord's will and  
satan's rebellion through time and humanity.**

**III. While Satan is busy building his nations  
such as Egypt through Pharaohs, power,  
wealth, and idolatry.**



**LIBYA**

**EGYPTIAN**

**THEBES**

**SINAI**

**CANAAN**

**SYRIA**

**MESOPOTAMIA**

**ASSYRIA**

**ARABIA**

*Mediterranean Sea*

*Red Sea*

*Persian Gulf*

*Nile*

Mycenae

Carchemish

Nineveh

Assur

Citium

Byblos

Sidon

Tyre

Kadesh

Damascus

Gaza

Tanis

Avaris

Memphis

Heliopolis

Herakleopolis

Abydos

Aswan

Elephantine

Abu Simbel

Babylon

Nippur

Ur

**IV. God chooses a man and asks him to leave all that he knows and follow Him into a land that he has never seen.**



Euphrate

Tigre

Golfe

Tell Mozan  
Tell Beydar

Tell Leilan

Tell Brak

Ninive

*SUBARTU*

Assur

Gasur

Mari

Eshnunna

*AWAN*

Sippar

*Akkad ?*

Kish

*AKKAD*

Suse

Nippur

Girsu

*ELAM*

Umma

Lagash

Uruk

*SUMER*

Ur

Eridu

Anshan

*MARHASHI ?*

Ebla

Tuttul



**The Lord builds His nation through faith,  
humility, and love.**

**Egypt takes the Hebrews who saved them through Joseph and turns them into slaves and abuses them for 400 years.**

**Humanity and creation is still under the curse and the Lord needs teach us the difference between the worlds lies and treachery and His goodness.**

**V. The Lord raises up Moses, a common Hebrew baby, right in the middle of the Egyptian hierarchies infanticide.**

**Moses thinks he himself is supposed to deliver  
the Hebrews in the might of his knowledge and  
Egyptian training.**

**VI. The Lord has to introduce Himself and retrain Moses in His ways.**

**Exodus 3:1 Now Moses was keeping the flock of his father-in-law, Jethro, the priest of Midian, and he led his flock to the west side of the wilderness and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. 2 And the angel of the Lord appeared to him in a flame of fire out of the midst of a bush. He looked, and behold, the bush was burning, yet it was not consumed. 3 And Moses said, "I will turn aside to see this great sight, why the bush is not burned."**

**4 When the Lord saw that he turned aside to see, God called to him out of the bush, “Moses, Moses!” And he said, “Here I am.”**

**5 Then he said, “Do not come near; take your sandals off your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground.”** 6 And he said, “I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob.” And Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God.

**Psalm 121:1 I lift up my eyes to the hills.**

**From where does my help come?**

**2 My help comes from the Lord,  
who made heaven and earth.**

**3 He will not let your foot be moved;  
he who keeps you will not slumber.**

**4 Behold, he who keeps Israel  
will neither slumber nor sleep.**

**5 The Lord is your keeper;  
the Lord is your shade on your right hand.**

**6 The sun shall not strike you by day,  
nor the moon by night.**

**7 The Lord will keep you from all evil;  
he will keep your life.**

**8 The Lord will keep  
your going out and your coming in  
from this time forth and forevermore.**



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