



Reflection Questions

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Sign #10 – Death of the Firstborn

Exodus 12:29-42

The long-awaited redemption of God's firstborn son (Israel) has finally been achieved. Proving again that God's promises cannot be annulled. What lessons are there for us upon the realization that all that God has promised will come to pass? Perhaps the most important question for us is, what side of God's promises are we on?

Reflection Questions:

1. What first comes to mind when you think of God's promises?
2. Do you think it is important for Christians to remember not only God's promises of salvation, but also His judgment? Why or why not?
3. How important is it for us to remember God's immutability (unchanging nature) when considering His promises?
4. How do the broken promises of the people in our lives challenge us when it comes to God's promises?
5. How should passages like this instill a reverent fear of God's judgment? How should they impact our sense of urgency about reaching the lost with the gospel?
6. What lessons can we learn from the outcome of Pharaoh's resistance to God's will in this passage?
7. What is the difference between battling the sin in our lives, and trying to justify our sin?
8. How should Psalm 2:1-4 cause evil rulers to fear, and God's people to hope?
9. What lessons can we learn from Israel's readiness to leave Egypt?
10. What encouragement is there for believers today in God's provision of everything needed for Israel's departure?

Prayer Points:

1. Ask God to open your eyes to the truth and beauty of what He has done for you.
2. Ask God for a discerning spirit that you may be alert to Satan's attacks.
3. Pray and ask God for faith in times of challenge.
4. Pray and thank God for His sure promises and for a spirit that is more willing to rely on Him.