

From Captivity to the Wilderness: “God’s Presence with His People”
Exodus 40:34-38
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I. God is still present when we are faithless.

1. God is faithful to His covenants.
2. God displays His grace.
3. We need to seek to have an obedient heart.

II. God is present with us from the beginning to the end, and beyond.

1. Present through His chosen leader
2. Present as He guides
3. Present in the place of worship
4. Revealed through His Word
5. Present through the Holy Spirit
6. Visible through His people to the world
7. As His people we need to be present.

LET’S GO DEEPER:

1. Why was it so important that the people follow God's instructions in the construction of the tabernacle and its components?
2. How was God's grace (God's unmerited favor) revealed in Exodus, and why is it important to understand this truth?
3. What does Psalm 139 teach us about God's presence in the universe and in our lives?
4. What does John 16:1-15 teach us about God's presence through the Holy Spirit?
5. What are some ways we can be present for the people in our lives?