

DISCUSSION GUIDE

Part 5 of Sunday School

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God revealed as the Redeemer who delivers His people from bondage, provides for them in the wilderness, and leads them toward His eternal promises.

1. **Dead** (*Exodus 1:13–14; 2:23; Ephesians 2:1–3; John 8:34*)

- Israel lived in slavery under Pharaoh, unable to free themselves. Their physical bondage points to the spiritual reality that all people are born enslaved to sin and in need of a Savior.

Discuss:

- What similarities do you see between Israel's slavery in Egypt and our spiritual condition apart from Christ?
- How has Jesus brought freedom into an area of your life where you once felt bound?

2. **Deliverer** (*Exodus 2:23–25; 3:7–10; 6:6–7; Galatians 4:4–5; Luke 4:18*)

- God saw His people's suffering, heard their cries, remembered His covenant, and sent a deliverer. Ultimately, Jesus became the man greater Deliverer who came to redeem humanity from sin.

Discuss:

- How does knowing that God sees, hears, and remembers His people encourage you today?
- What areas of your life do you need to trust Jesus to deliver you from?

3. **Departure** (*Exodus 12; Exodus 14:13–14, 30–31; 1 Corinthians 5:7; 1 Peter 1:18–19; Ephesians 1:7; Romans 5:9; 1 Corinthians 10:1–4*)

- God rescued Israel through the blood of the Passover lamb and led them through the Red Sea into freedom. Both events point to Jesus, whose sacrifice redeems us and whose salvation brings us into new life.

Discuss:

- How does the Passover deepen your understanding of Jesus as the Lamb of God?
- What "Egypt" has God called you to leave behind as you follow Him?



4. Dependence (*Exodus 16:15; Exodus 25:8; John 1:14; John 6:32–35; John 7:37–39; 1 Corinthians 10:3–4*)

- After delivering Israel, God faithfully provided bread, water, and His presence. He didn't simply rescue His people—He sustained them. Jesus fulfills each of these pictures as the Bread of Life, the Living Water, and God dwelling among us.

Discuss:

- Why is learning to depend on God daily just as important as experiencing His deliverance?
- In what ways have you experienced Jesus as your source of strength, provision, or peace?

5. Destination (*Exodus 3:8; Exodus 6:8; Hebrews 11:13–16; 1 Peter 1:3–4; John 14:2–3*)

- God's goal was never simply to bring Israel out of Egypt, but to bring them into the Promised Land. Likewise, our redemption points beyond this life to the eternal inheritance God has prepared for His people.

Discuss:

- Why is it important to remember that this world is not our ultimate home?
- How does the promise of eternity shape the way you live today?

