



Hebrews 11 – Red Sea

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Hebrews 11:29 “By faith the people passed through the Red Sea as on dry land; but when the Egyptians tried to do so, they were drowned.”

Exodus 13 – Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy.

2 1/2 million Israelites

San Joaquin: population 800,000

Lodi, Stockton, Manteca, Lathrop, Ripon, Escalon

Stanislaus: population 500,000

Modesto, Turlock, Oakdale, Ceres, Riverbank, Patterson

Sacramento: population 1.500,000

Sacramento, Folsom, Elk Grove, Rancho Cordova, Folsom Lake, Citrus Heights, Carmichael

True character is revealed in hard times.

“God whispers to us in our pleasures. He shouts to us in our pain. Pain is God’s megaphone to rouse a deaf world.” --**C. S. Lewis**

But Moses told the people, “Do not be afraid.

Stand firm and you will see the LORD’s salvation, which He will accomplish for you today; for the Egyptians you see today, you will never see again.

The LORD will fight for you; you need only to be still.”

Song of praise. Exodus 15

“I will sing to the LORD,
for He is highly exalted.

The horse and rider

He has thrown into the sea.

The LORD is my strength and my song,
and He has become my salvation.
He is my God, and I will praise Him,
my father's God, and I will exalt Him.
The LORD is a warrior,
the LORD is His name.
Pharaoh's chariots and army He has cast into the sea; the finest of his officers are
drowned in the Red Sea.
The depths have covered them; they sank there like a stone.
Your right hand, O LORD,
is majestic in power;
Your right hand, O LORD,
has shattered the enemy.

You blew with Your breath, and the sea covered them. They sank like lead in the
mighty waters.
Who among the gods is like You, O LORD?
Who is like You—majestic in holiness, revered with praises, performing wonders?
With loving devotion, You will lead the people You have redeemed; with Your strength
You will guide them to Your holy dwelling.

Four-day journey to the promised land.

**They voted on God's will.
10 said no. 2 said yes.**

Fear and Faith are mutually exclusive.

Believers suffer when unbelievers lead.

The unbelievers never saw the promised land.

I. God wants to Redeem and Lead.

II. When things get hard. Don't forget God's goodness.

"10,000 mercies are forgotten in the presence of a single,
trifling moment." -- **C. H. Macintosh**

When times get hard many will fall way. (They don't trust God. They listen to other
voices and ideas.)

III. Those that remain faithful will see the promise land.

Joshua and Caleb the blessing 40 years later.