## **Leaving Egypt**

## The Destructiveness of Personal Comfort | Numbers 14:34-45 Pastor Paul Bauman

**Question 1** – What has changed since they told God no?

❖ What they feared most. (vs. 39)

Question 2 – What is the same since they told God no?

- They are still worshipping the idol of personal comfort. (vs. 40-44)
- a) There is no evidence of repentance.

Sin is running from God to get control of our lives. Repentance is turning back to God and yielding control to Him.

- b) They were not convinced of their inability to do what only God was able to do.
- c) They were still the object of their own trust.

## Final Thoughts

- 1. God will always stiff arm us when we operate from pride, even if we are doing "godly things."
- 2. We have control over what we choose to magnify.
- 3. Are there any commands of Jesus that I am disobeying for the sake of my personal comfort?



## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Sunday, January 28, 2024

**Baptism Class:** Sunday, February 18th at 9:45 AM - This class is for individuals who have been considering baptism or have questions about it. If you want to participate in the class, please connect with Pastor Paul via text, email, or in person. Text - (308) 991-5730 / Email - pastorpaul@hillcrestefc.org.

**Baptism Service:** Sunday, March 24th in both services. If interested, please contact one of the pastors (402) 643-2316.

**High School Mission Trip:** June 23rd-29th, our high school students are going on a mission trip to Louisville, Kentucky! Learn more and register at hillcrestefc.org/YWAM.

**New Members:** Join us in welcoming the newest members of Hillcrest Church: Justin Baldinger, Kevin Dutra, Colby & Rebekah Frey, Hailey Harp, Ryan & Amanda Hinds, James Hood, Jason & Heather Ladman, Sarah LeDoux, Tim & Bambi Rands & Trudy Super.

**Giving Statements** for 2023 were emailed or mailed the week of January 14th. If you did not receive your statement, please call or text the church office (402) 643-2316 to update your contact information. Thank you!



Ways to Give: Offering collection boxes are located by the sanctuary doors. You can also give online at hillcrestefc.org/give or scan the QR to download and give using the Hillcrest Church app.

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