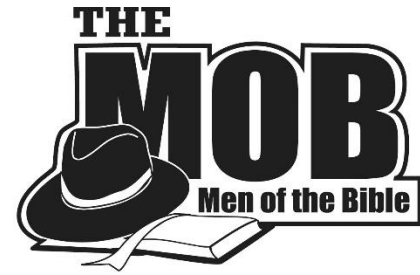


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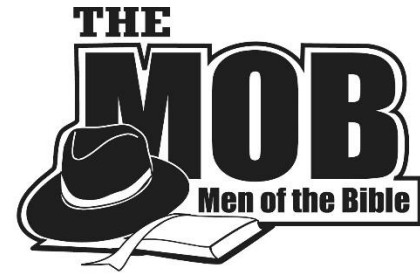
2 Timothy 3:16-17

Announcements



- Welcome to the MOB! Happy New Year!
- Website: www.ibcmob.net
- Meeting Location: The MOB will continue to meet via Zoom until IBC leaders reassess the COVID-19 situation and determine when we will resume meetings at IBC.
- Immanuel Bible Institute (IBI) classes Sunday mornings. Rod Turk will teach “Christian Worldview and Culture.” Get info and register on the [IBC website, IBI webpage](#).
- Pray for Pastor Bob’s, Ric’s, and Joel’s health.
- Continue to pray for our nation.
- Sanctity of Life Month (January) & Sunday (January 17th)

Memory Verse



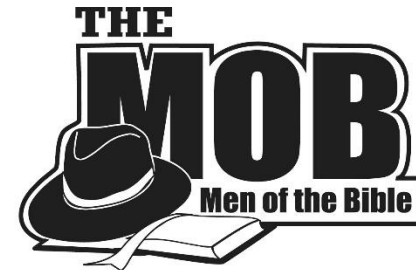
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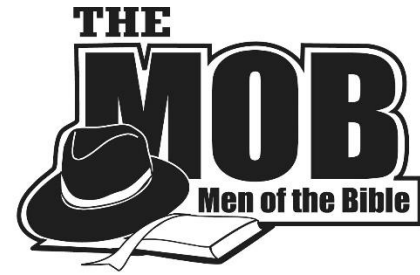
Exodus Schedule



Bible Study Schedule for Fall 2020 – Spring 2021

<u>Date</u>	<u>Meeting No.</u>	<u>The Gospel According to Matthew – Readings & Topics</u>	<u>Host Sm Grp</u>
Nov 24	11	<u>Exodus 12:1-42</u> The Passover, Plague 10: Death of the Firstborn, The Exodus <i>Dr. Constable's Notes on Exodus, 2020 Edition, pages 103-120</i>	
Dec 1	12	<u>Exodus 12:43 – 13:16</u> , <u>Matthew 26:17–30</u> ; <u>Mark 14:12–26</u> ; <u>Luke 22:7–30</u> ; <u>1 Corinthians 5:7, 11:23–33</u> ; Institution of the Passover, Consecration of the Firstborn, Feast of Unleavened Bread, <u>Jews for Jesus "Christ in the Passover"</u> Presentation with Q&A <i>Dr. Constable's Notes on Exodus, 2020 Edition, pages 120-124</i>	
Dec 8	13	<u>Exodus 13:17 – 14:31</u> Pillars of Cloud and Fire, Crossing the Red Sea <i>Dr. Constable's Notes on Exodus, 2020 Edition, pages 125-136</i>	
Dec 15	14	<u>Exodus 15:1-21</u> The Song of Moses <i>Dr. Constable's Notes on Exodus, 2020 Edition, pages 136-142</i>	
Dec 22 & 29		Christmas & New Year's Break – No MOB	
Jan 5	15	<u>Exodus 15:22-27</u> Review of Exodus so far, Bitter Water Made Sweet <i>Dr. Constable's Notes on Exodus, 2020 Edition, pages 142-146</i>	E
Jan 12	16	<u>Exodus 16:1-36</u> Bread from Heaven <i>Dr. Constable's Notes on Exodus, 2020 Edition, pages 146-151</i>	F
Jan 19	17	<u>Exodus 17:1-16</u> Water from the Rock, Israel Defeats Amalek <i>Dr. Constable's Notes on Exodus, 2020 Edition, pages 151-161</i>	A
Jan 26	18	<u>Exodus 18:1-27</u> Jethro's Advice <i>Dr. Constable's Notes on Exodus, 2020 Edition, pages 161-166</i>	B

Our Study of Exodus



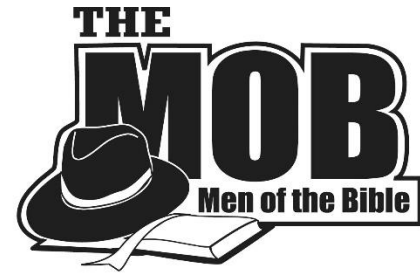
Last Week:

- [Exodus 15:1-21](#) The Song of Moses
- Memory Verse: [Exodus 15:2](#)
- [*Dr. Constable's Notes on Exodus, 2020 Ed., pp. 136-142*](#)

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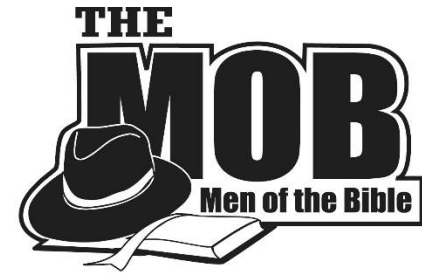
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Brief Review



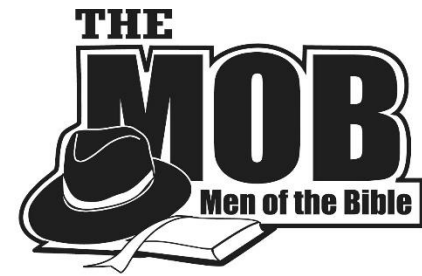
- Genesis 1 – 2 The Creation
- Genesis 3 The Fall, Judgement, and Promise (Protoevangelium)
- Genesis 4 God accepts (chooses) Abel, but rejects Cain
- Genesis 5 God chooses Seth and his descendants (the Godly line)
- Genesis 6 – 11 God chooses Noah and then Shem (Godly line continues)
- Genesis 12 – 26 God chooses Abraham and then Isaac
 - Genesis 15 God establishes Covenant with Abraham, prophesies slavery
 - Genesis 17 God establishes the Covenant of Circumcision
 - Genesis 23 & 25 Sarah dies & Abraham marries Keturah who bears son Midian
- Genesis 27 – 36 God chooses Jacob over Esau and blesses him (Israel)
- Genesis 37 – 45 God chooses Joseph (and Judah – the Godly line continues)
- Genesis 46 – 50 Israel moves to Egypt
- 400 years pass [Egyptian Pharaoh Ahmose I](#) drives out [Hyksos](#) (Semite) rulers

Genesis Overview



Focus	Four Events				Four People			
Reference	1:1 – 2:25	3:1 – 5:32	6:1 – 9:29	10:1 – 11:9	11:10 – 25:18	25:19 – 26:35	27:1 – 36:43	37:1 – 50:26
Division	Creation	Fall	Flood	Nations	Abraham	Isaac	Jacob	Joseph
Topic	The Human Race				The Chosen Race (Hebrews)			
	Primeval History / Historical				Patriarchal History / Biographical			
Location	Fertile Crescent (Eden – Haran)				Canaan (Haran – Canaan)			
Time	cir. 2,000 years (cir. 4004 – 2090 B.C.)				193 years (2090 – 1897 B.C.)			

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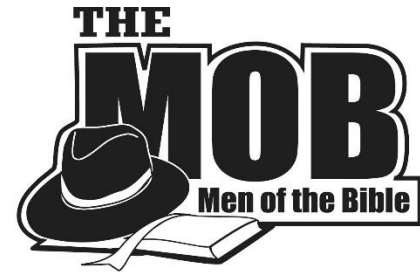
- Exodus 1 Israel increases in Egypt (Gen 12), Pharaoh oppresses (Gen 15)
- Exodus 2 Moses born, saved, flees to [Midian](#), marries; God hears Israel
- Exodus 3 God calls Moses to lead Israel out of Egypt
- Exodus 4 Moses accepts and returns to Egypt; Circumcision; Israel accepts
- Exodus 5 Moses confronts Pharaoh by word, Pharaoh and Israel Reject
- Exodus 6 God reassures Moses, reassures Israel, confronts Pharaoh with signs
- Exodus 7 God reassures Moses, Aaron's rod, Plague 1: Nile => Blood
- Exodus 8 Plague 2: Frogs, Plague 3: Gnats, Plague 4: Flies
- Exodus 9 Plague 5: Disease on Beasts, Plague 6: Boils, Plague 7: Hail & Fire
- Exodus 10 Plague 8: Locusts, Plague 9: Darkness
- Exodus 11 Plague 10: Death of Firstborn announced
- Exodus 12 Israel redeemed by blood through the Passover
- Exodus 13 Sanctification of the Firstborn, God leads Israel out of Egypt
- Exodus 14 Pharaoh pursues, Israel panics (rebels), God saves (Red Sea parted)
- Exodus 15 Israel praises God, then...

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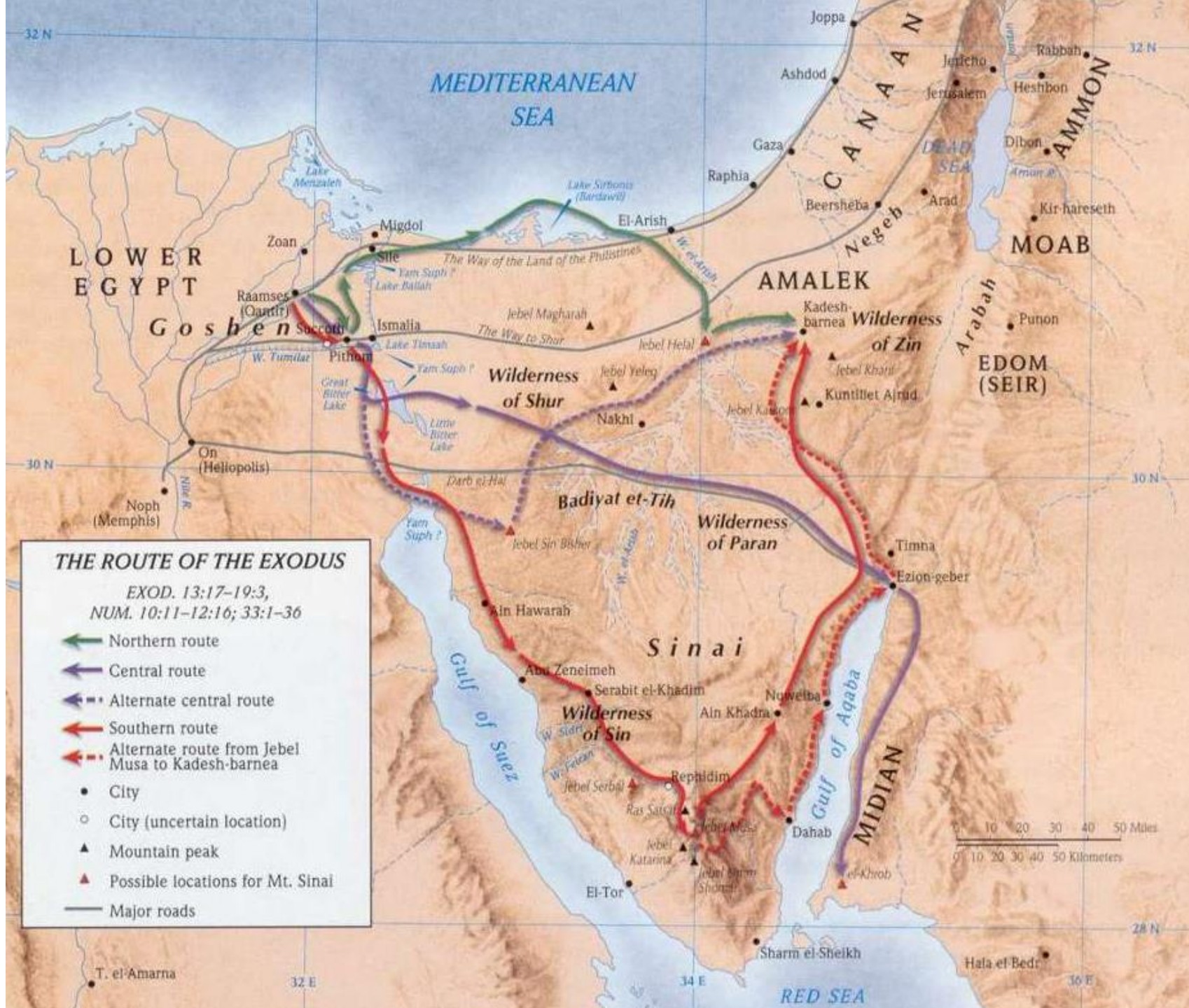
Focus	Redemption from Egypt				Revelation from God	
Reference	1:1 – 1:22	2:1 – 4:31	5:1 – 15:21	15:22 – 18:27	19:1 – 31:18	32:1 – 40:38
Division	Need for Redemption	Preparation for Redemption	Redemption of Israel	Preservation of Israel	Revelation of the Covenant	Response of Israel to the Covenant
Topic	Narration				Legislation	
	Subjugation		Redemption		Instruction	
Location	Egypt			Wilderness	Mount Sinai	
Time	430 Years (c. 1875 – 1445 B.C.)			2 Months (c. 1445 B.C.)	10 Months (c. 1445 B.C.)	



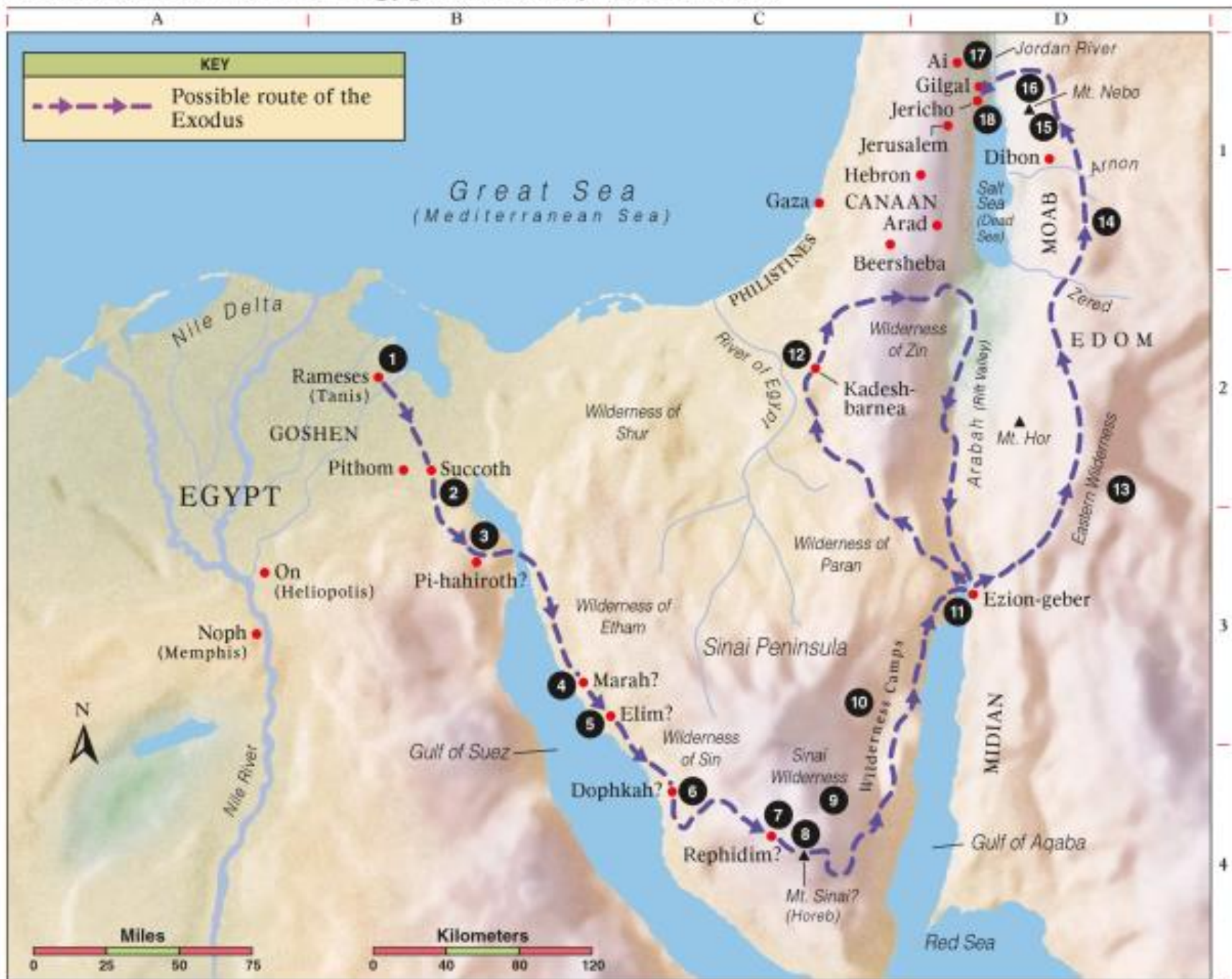
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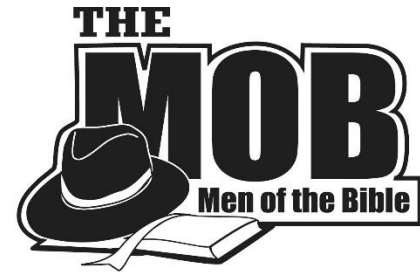
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2. Israel's Exodus from Egypt and Entry into Canaan



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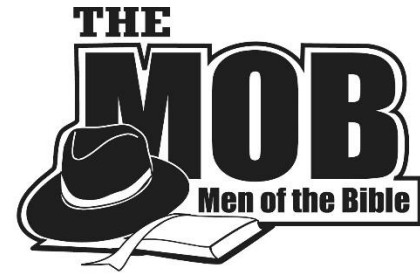
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Observations & Interpretation:

- **Survival Rule of 3's:** 3 minutes without air, 3 days without water, 3 weeks without food, 3 months without shelter – Israel was in bad shape!
- marah = bitter
- grumbled = complained – Israel very unhappy with Moses (i.e., God!)
- When in trouble, Moses cried out to God – a good course of action!
- No known log can do this – God’s sign of His provision for His people
- God turned something bitter into something sweet
- Romans 8:28 And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose.

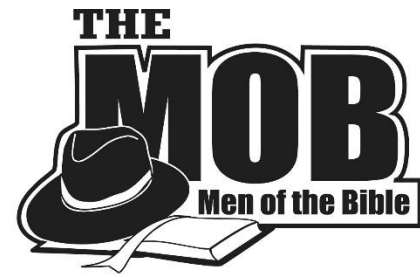


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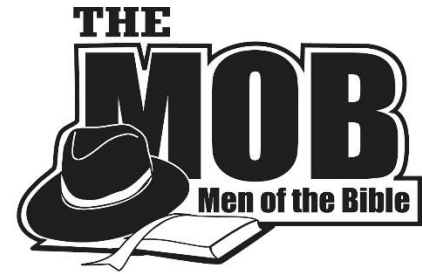
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Observations & Interpretation:

- God establishes a test for Israel in the form of “If..., then...”
- God set the terms and conditions of the contract and informed Israel of the consequences of breach of contract + His credentials (Healer)

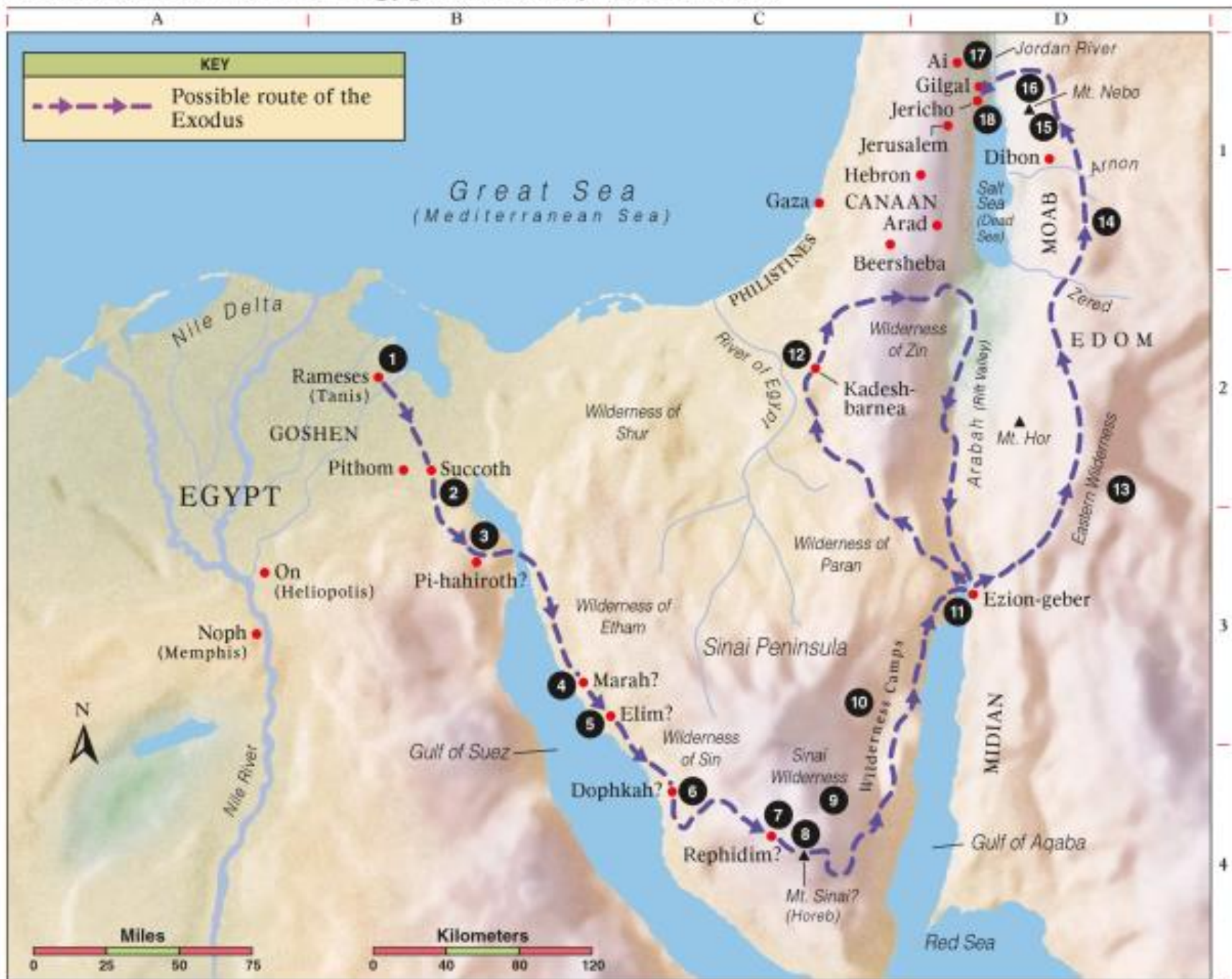


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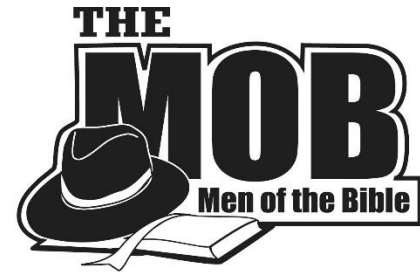


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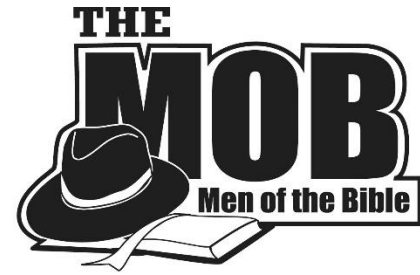


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Observations & Interpretation:

- God then led His people to place of refreshment, a beautiful desert oasis!
- 12 springs of water, 12 tribes of Israel – coincidence?
- God is working on His people (training; preparing)
- More testing to come in Exodus 16 – 18 (hunger, thirst, combat, chaos)
- Philippians 1:6 And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ.

Next Meeting



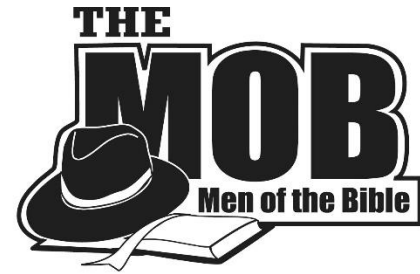
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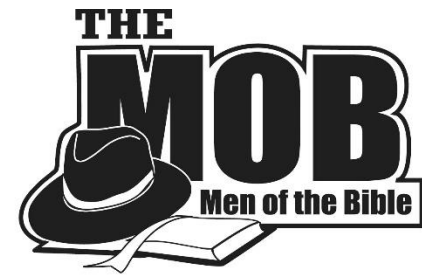
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Questions (1 of 2)



1. How would you summarize, outline, or otherwise describe the major events and what you've learned so far from our study of Exodus?
2. How would you entitle tonight's text and summarize it?
3. How did the Children of Israel respond to the "first test" in their wilderness journey? Have you had a similar experience in your life?
4. How can you explain the quick turnaround that occurred in the hearts and minds of the Children of Israel in tonight's lesson?
5. How would you compare Marah with Elim in terms of God's plan?
6. What was Moses' response to the people's outcry and what does it say about his character and relationship with the LORD at this point?
7. What can we learn from this lesson about how and why God tests His children? Can you cite other verses in the Bible to support your understanding?

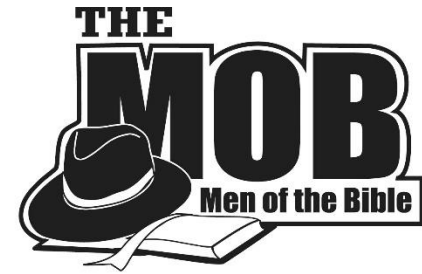
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7. How did God respond to the outcry of both the people and Moses? What does this tell us about God's ways of dealing with His people?
8. What is your understanding of God's promise to put "none of these diseases" on the children of Israel? Was it temporary or permanent? Conditional or unconditional? Comprehensive or limited? Projecting ahead, what is your understanding of how it all "panned out"?
9. What does this text tell us about God's control over diseases in general and can we relate this to what is happening in our world today with the coronavirus pandemic?
10. More specifically, do you think the coronavirus could be related in some way to God judging sin in our world? Could this be a sign of the "last days" described in [Luke 21:11](#) or simply the result of our living in a fallen world? Can you cite Scripture to support your opinion?
11. What is your biggest "take-away" from this lesson?



Closing



- Questions
- Benediction

