

The Greatest Hits – Principles from the Plagues

Exodus - The Greatest Journey!

Exodus 9:1-7

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"Then the Lord said to Moses, 'Rise early in the morning and stand before Pharaoh, and say to him, 'Thus says the Lord God of the Hebrews: 'Let My people go, that they may serve Me, for at this time I will send all My plagues to your very heart, and on your servants and on your people, that you may know that there is none like Me in all the earth. Now if I had stretched out My hand and struck you and your people with pestilence, then you would have been cut off from the earth. But indeed for this purpose I have raised you up, that I may show My power in you, and that My name may be declared in all the earth. As yet you exalt yourself against My people in that you will not let them go. Behold, tomorrow about this time I will cause very heavy hail to rain down, such as has not been in Egypt since its founding until now...."' (Exodus 9:13-35; NKJ)

(Matthew 24:21-22; Psalm 18:7-15)

V. Discover the Principles in the Plagues.

"... that you may know that there is none like Me in all the earth..." (v14)

"... that you may know that the earth is the Lord's..." (v 29)

Do you know God as the One who...

1. ... has _____ Himself, yet graciously He does! (vv 13-18)

"He does great things past finding out, Yes, wonders without number. If He goes by me, I do not see Him; If He moves past, I do not perceive Him; If He takes away, who can hinder Him? Who can say to Him, 'What are You doing?' ... For He is not a man, as I am, That I may answer Him, And that we should go to court together. Nor is there any mediator between us, Who may lay his hand on us both." (Job 9:10-12; 32-33; NKJ)

"Surely the Lord God does nothing, unless He reveals His secret to His servants the prophets." (Amos 3:7; NKJ)

"But as it is written: 'Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, Nor have entered into the heart of man the things which God has prepared for those who love Him.' But God has revealed them to us through His Spirit. For the Spirit searches all things, yes, the deep things of God." (1 Corinthians 2:9-10; NKJ)

"No longer do I call you servants, for a servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all things that I heard from My Father I have made known to you." (John 15:15; NKJ)

2. demands your _____ and affection? (14-16, 30, 35)

"And God spoke all these words, saying: 'I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage. 'You shall have no other gods before Me. You shall not make for yourself a carved image—any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth; you shall not bow down to them nor serve them. For I, the Lord your God, am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children to the third and fourth generations of those who hate Me, but showing mercy to thousands, to those who love Me and keep My commandments.'" (Exodus 20:1-6; NKJ)

"But in your hearts set Christ apart [as holy—acknowledging Him, giving Him first place in your lives] as Lord." (1 Peter 3:15; AMP)

3. is as great in unfathomable _____ as He is in terrifying _____ and _____? (15, 19, 31-32)

4. will be _____ to the ends of the _____?!

"of the Father and of Christ, in whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge." (Colossian 2:2-3; NKJ)

And Pharaoh sent and called for Moses and Aaron, and said to them, 'I have sinned this time. The Lord is righteous, and my people and I are wicked. Entreat the Lord, that there may be no more mighty thundering and hail, for it is enough. I will let you go, and you shall stay no longer.'" (vv 27-28)