

Exodus Reading Plan

March - April 2024

Our Reading Plan for the coming two months continues to trace God's redemptive story through the family of Abraham. By the end of Genesis, we are told that the family of Jacob (and Joseph) are in Egypt because of famine. They left their home and are now living in a new place, under a new culture, with a new pattern of living. As generations passed, the Israelites grew exceedingly, to the point that they became a threat to the Egyptians. They were thus enslaved, forced to work ruthlessly, and by chapter 2, we read the Israelites were crying out to God for help, asking for His deliverance. The turning point comes when "God heard..and remember His covenant"(2:24), and the rest of Exodus records how God delivers His people out of the bondages and slavery in Egypt (Exodus 1-18), followed by establishing a(nother) covenant with His people at Mount Sinai (Exodus 19-40). To help you with the reading, below are some pointers to guide you:

- **Who is God?** What is the author telling us about God through the stories?
- When we come to the laws (Exodus 19-40), ask this question: **What kind of society is God forming** through these laws? How are these laws shaping Israel's call to be the blessing (Genesis 12) and the light to the nations (Exodus 19) ?
- Keep the **main plot** in mind: God's redemptive intervention in the history of human fallenness by choosing a man and his family.

Redeemed from and Redeemed for

Exodus belongs to the second book of the Torah (also known as the Book of Moses). The main message of Exodus can be summed up in two phrases: Redeemed from and Redeemed for. The people of God are **redeemed from** their bondages and slavery in Egypt by God (Yahweh). Their redemption simultaneously calls for a different lifestyle - one that points the world to whom God is. They are **redeemed for** being the display people of God (Exodus 19:5-6).

Date	Reading	Read?
Exodus: Encountering Yahweh		
Exodus from Egypt (1:1-18:27)		
3/1	Exodus 1:1-22	
3/2	Exodus 2:1-25	
3/3	Exodus 3:1-22	
3/4	Exodus 4:1-17	
3/5	Exodus 4:18-31	
3/6	Exodus 5:1-21	
3/7	Exodus 5:22-6:12	
3/8	Exodus 6:13-27	
3/9	Exodus 6:28-7:7	
3/10	Exodus 7:8-24	
3/11	Exodus 7:25- 8:19	
3/12	Exodus 8:20-32	
3/13	Exodus 9:1-12	
3/14	Exodus 9:13-35	
3/15	Exodus 10:1-20	
3/16	Exodus 10:21-29	
3/17	Exodus 11:1-10	
3/18	Exodus 12:1-30	
3/19	Exodus 12:31-51	
3/20	Exodus 13:1-16	
3/21	Exodus 13:17-14:9	
3/22	Exodus 14:10-31	
3/23	Exodus 15:1-21	
3/24	Exodus 15:22-27	
3/25	Exodus 16:1-18	
3/26	Exodus 16:19-36	
3/27	Exodus 17:1-16	
3/28	Exodus 18:1-27	
Covenant at Mount Sinai (19:1-40:38)		
3/29	Exodus 19:1-25	
3/30	Exodus 20:1-21	
3/31	Exodus 20:22-21:11	

4/1	Exodus 21:12-36	
4/2	Exodus 22:1-15	
4/3	Exodus 22:16-31	
4/4	Exodus 23:1-19	
4/5	Exodus 23:20-33	
4/6	Exodus 24:1-18	
4/7	Exodus 25:1-22	
4/8	Exodus 25:23-40	
4/9	Exodus 26:1-37	
4/10	Exodus 27:1-21	
4/11	Exodus 28:1-14	
4/12	Exodus 28:15-43	
4/13	Exodus 29:1-26	
4/14	Exodus 29:27-46	
4/15	Exodus 30:1-16	
4/16	Exodus 30:17-38	
4/17	Exodus 31:1-18	
4/18	Exodus 32:1-33:6	
4/19	Exodus 33:7-23	
4/20	Exodus 34:1-28	
4/21	Exodus 34:29-35	
4/22	Exodus 35:1-29	
4/23	Exodus 35:30-36:7	
4/24	Exodus 36:8-38	
4/25	Exodus 37:1-29	
4/26	Exodus 38:1-31	
4/27	Exodus 39:1-31	
4/28	Exodus 39:32-43	
4/29	Exodus 40:1-33	
4/30	Exodus 40:34-38	

Additional Resources:

- Bible Project:
"The Book of Exodus Part 2"
<https://bit.ly/319D3pC>