

April 19, 2020- Exodus 5:1-21

Miniseries: Exodus

Title: Who is Lord?

Outline

1. Command (1)
2. Challenge (2-4)
3. Captivity (5-9)
4. Crush (10-19)
5. Crestfallen (20-23)

Questions:

1. Considering who Pharaoh was, how might Moses and Aaron have felt approaching him? Why do you think this? Why was Moses and Aaron's demand outrageous for the Pharaoh?
2. Why do you think Moses started with the demand to go sacrifice in the desert instead of outright freedom for the Israelites? What does Pharaoh's response indicate regarding the willingness of his heart to allow this small request for the Hebrews? How do you think Pharaoh will respond when Moses begins to ask for actual freedom for the Israelites? Why do you think that?
3. What instructions did Pharaoh give to his overseers after Moses and Aaron met with him? What was the physical effect of Pharaoh's decree on the Hebrews? How did Pharaoh's decree affect the morale of the Hebrews?
4. When certain events or aspects of your life don't go as planned, how is your morale affected? How is your relationship with God affected?
5. How did the Israelites respond to Moses and Aaron? Have you ever responded like this to God in a time of trial and tribulation? What was the effect?