



DISCUSSION GUIDE

EXODUS - The Song of Deliverance

GETTING STARTED

How has music, or singing been important in your walk with God? What is your favorite Christian worship song/hymn? Why?

QUICK REACTIONS FROM THE MESSAGE

How would you summarize/paraphrase the message in your own words?
What point/idea resonated most with you? Why?

1. Take a moment (individually or as a group) to walk through the events of the Exodus (slavery, plagues, passover, red sea crossing etc...) In what ways do these events point us forward to what Christ has done and fulfilled for us?
2. Dave pointed out three themes in the song of deliverance: worship is our response to rescue, with God there is no equal, and that God sees, will respond and judges evil/injustice. In what way is this our song too?
3. What is the purpose of singing/worship in our lives and in our church?

EXPLORE THE PASSAGE [Exodus 15:1-21]

(Yes, these questions can seem silly, however, good discussion and interpretation of the Bible begins with having a proper understanding of the basic facts; who, what, when, and where in the text.) Work through this quickly, the answers are fairly obvious.

How did Moses and the Israelites respond to the victory God gave them? (15:1-5)

What are some of the attributes of God described by the Israelites? (15:6-13)

What are significant differences between the people of Israel and surrounding nations? (15:14-18)

How did Moses' sister, Miriam, respond to God's deliverance of Israel from the Egyptians? (15:19-21)

APPLY THE PASSAGE

What do we learn about God and about ourselves in this passage?

What do you need to stop, start or do differently as a result of reading this passage?

How can we pray for each other?