

# THE LIKENESS OF ENTERING THE DOOR OF CHRIST & THE RED SEA EXODUS



Exodus 14:16-27

Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea, and all that night the Lord drove the sea back with a strong east wind and turned it into dry land.

Some speak as if God's doctrine and His name are not the v foundation laid firmly under our feet. As if the beginning of our walk matters less than where we find ourselves at today. Yet I believe it all matters: bc we could be running a race we're not even yet qualified for! Br Paul admonished the brethren to look to see if whether or not we're even in the faith. Our Lord Jesus also warned the churches of Ephesus, Pergamos, Thyatira, Sardis, and the Laodiceans of the v same thing.

■ 2 CORINTHIANS 13:5

"Examine yourselves, whether ye be in the faith; PROVE YOUR OWN SELVES. Know ye not your own selves, how that JESUS CHRIST IS IN YOU, except ye be reprobates?"

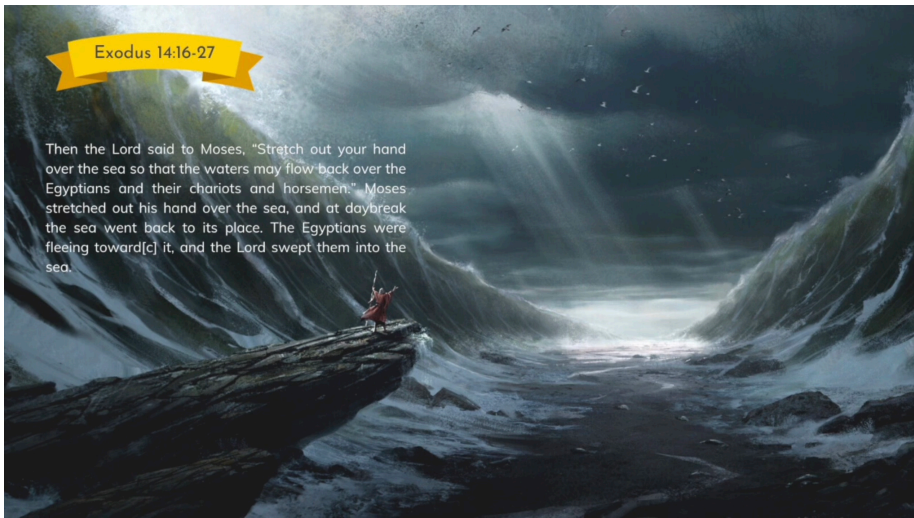
■ ROMANS 8:9-10

"But ye are not in the flesh, but in the Spirit, if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you. Now if any man have not the Spirit of CHRIST, he is none of His. And IF CHRIST BE IN YOU, THE BODY IS DEAD BECAUSE OF SIN; but the Spirit is life because of RIGHTEOUSNESS."

■ 2 TIMOTHY 2:11-13

"It is a faithful saying: for IF WE BE DEAD WITH HIM, we shall also LIVE WITH HIM: if we suffer, we shall also reign with him: if we deny him, he also will deny us: if we believe not, yet he abideth faithful: HE CANNOT DENY HIMSELF."

That's bc He knows His identity just as His Father, and His apostles, and His prophets of old (OT), and His brethren do — even satan and his constituents know the true identity of the Son of man. It's christendom today, that seems to skew His faithful and true witness, branching off into cliques and posses and groups and sects w all sorts of extra-biblical, strange, vain imaginations and foreign doctrines, twisting and mixing God and His Son's Word and testimony. Christendom is divisive, partial and respecters of men; comfortable



and confident in representing and aligning to their denominational creed vs simply standing firm in full allegiance w our Messiah, His Father, His apostles and prophets of old (OT), alone. I pray those that fearlessly believe, shamelessly confess, truthfully teach, and boldly preach on the name of God's Son, be unified together in Spirit and in Truth (John 17:9-12). A brother summed it up like this [my additions are in brackets],

*"...when Satan met the only begotten Son of God face to face on earth [in the wilderness],*

*the v first thing Satan said, is what? "If thou be the Son of God". You can tell this is the point [satan] is bitter about. This is what he has a problem with [Christ's literal and divine Sonship]. That was his battle cry in heaven [as well as on earth, even til this day and now he exacts war against His offspring/Body]. This is why satan has a v special hatred for the human race [or if I may further clarify: satan has a v special hatred for Covenant Marriage], bc they [Adam & Eve] were God's answer to [satan's] rebellion."*

#### ■ JOHN 10:36

"Say ye of him, whom the Father hath sanctified, and sent into the world, Thou blasphemest; because I SAID, I AM THE SON OF GOD?"

#### ■ JOHN 8:42-47

"Jesus said unto them, If God were your Father, ye would love me: for I PROCEEDED FORTH AND CAME FROM GOD [Micah 5:2, John 3:16, Prov 8:22-25, 30]; neither came I of myself, but he sent me. Why DO YOU NOT UNDERSTAND MY SPEECH? Even because ye cannot hear my word. ... He that is of God heareth God's words: ye therefore hear them not, because ye are not of God."

#### ■ JOHN 16:27-31

"For the Father himself loveth you, because ye have loved me, and have believed that I came out from God. I came forth from the Father, and am come into the world: again, I leave the world, and go to the Father... Jesus answered them, do ye now believe?"

#### ■ JOHN 17:8

"For I have given unto them the words which thou gavest me; and they have received them, and have known surely that —> I came out from thee, and THEY HAVE BELIEVED that thou didst send me."

Jesus is concerned w primarily one thing: that we believe His literal and divine Sonship and understand His Father's sovereignty. Authority was paramount in everything He testified to and now all of that authority and power was given to Him, by His Father. Jesus inherited from His Father, all the fullness of it and thus Jesus gives that same fullness to His own. So I believe we ought to go back often and remember and keep track of ALL the wonderful mighty acts and miraculous works that Abba has done and is doing in us, thru His beloved Son, so that an evil heart of unbelief doesn't just spring up and we depart from the living God.

#### ■ PSALMS 106

"Our fathers understood not thy wonders in Egypt; they remembered the multitude of thy mercies; but PROVOKED HIM AT THE SEA, EVEN AT THE RED SEA. Nevertheless he saved them FOR HIS NAME'S SAKE —> that HE MIGHT MAKE HIS MIGHTY POWER TO BE KNOWN. He rebuked the Red sea also, and it was dried up: so HE LED THEM THROUGH THE DEPTHS, as through the wilderness. And HE SAVED THEM from the hand of him that hated them, and REDEEMED THEM from the hand of the enemy. And the WATERS COVERED THEIR ENEMIES there was not one of them left. Then believed they his words; they sang his praise. They soon FORGAT HIS WORKS; they waited NOT FOR HIS COUNSEL: but lusted exceedingly in the wilderness, and tempted God in the desert..."

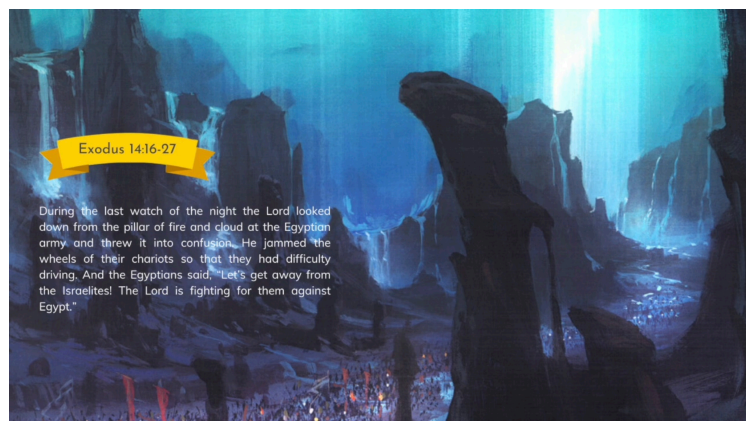
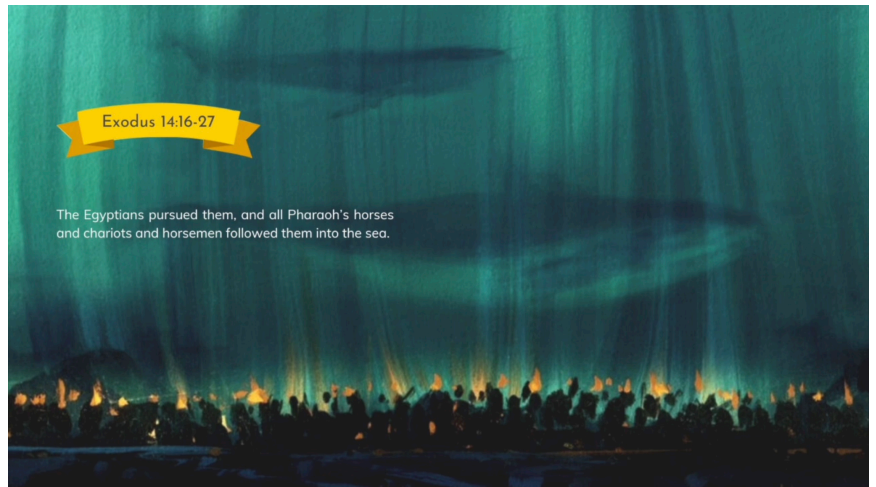


## HEBREWS 3:7-19

"Wherefore (as the Holy Ghost saith, To day if ye will hear his voice, Harden not your hearts, as in the provocation, in the day of temptation in the wilderness: When your fathers tempted me, proved me, and SAW MY WORKS forty years. Wherefore I WAS GRIEVED WITH THAT GENERATION, and said, They do ALWAYS ERR IN THEIR HEART; and they have not known my ways. So I swear in my wrath, They shall not enter into my rest.) take heed, brethren, lest there be in any of you an evil heart of unbelief, in departing from the living God. But exhort one another daily, while it is called To day; lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin. For WE ARE MADE PARTAKERS of Christ, IF WE HOLD THE BEGINNING of our confidence stedfast unto the end."

THE STRAIGHT GATE AND THE NARROW WAY IS, IN HIS NAME. He is our only way that leads to Life.

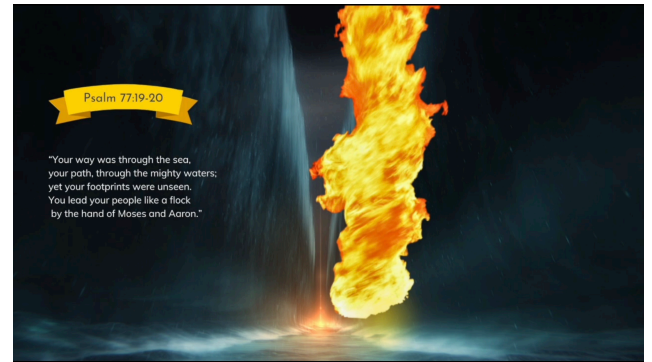
Are we holding the beginning of our confidence steadfast? Are we truly being transformed by the renewing of our minds, by the washing of the water of the Word? Can we testify to the fact that He is the Christ, the divine Son of God, that gladly received His witness and doctrine and was baptized into His Name [some may be "re-baptized" as the 12 disciples were on the upper coast of Ephesus w br Paul, in Acts 19]? Did we enter into Christ and His death, burial and resurrection, as lil children (meek and teachable w the love of the Truth)? Are we buried w Him in His baptism, now dead to sin? — not continuing in our ways and traditions justifying it by the counsels of men and premeditating on sins that Jesus said, go and sin no more from. Do we hate what Abba hates and love those things which Abba loves? Are we clean? Washing our garments of salvation, making them white in the blood of the Lamb (belief and a love of the Truth is when God begins His mighty work of salvation in us, Philip 2:13, Who also grants us repentance and we justify God, not rejecting the counsel of God against ourselves, but we are declaring God righteous being water baptized calling on His Son's Name — in whom we are circumcised w the circumcision made w/o hands; in whom we have our hearts sprinkled w blood from an evil conscience, or plainly put, our conscience purged from dead works, 1 Cor 6:11, 1 Pet 3:21)? Has the King of kings covered us in His robe of righteousness? Are we ready for Him, properly dressed for the Marriage Supper of the Lamb? (Matt 22:1-14).



Deliverance thru water has always been God's incredible signature-watermark since the days of Noah, but the Exodus of Egypt w the Israelites is where we should glean from. To say water baptism (or any thing God accomplishes in us after we choose to believe and confess His Son and His name, setting to our seal that God is true) is a "work"...that we can do? Is simply error (ref. 1 John 4:6, 2 Pet 3:2, 1 Cor 14:37). And to minimize or diminish this glorious and miraculous starting point of His salvation, is sadly deception to say the least. Israel often forgot many of God's mind-blowing, mighty acts of salvation too: may this not be said of

any of us, bc the grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all (Titus 2:11-15).

God has made known His majestic and miraculous and exquisite power and workmanship, having prepared each incredible act of deliverance for Israel then, and now for us today in an even BETTER, and by a NEW AND LIVING way: why? That the Father may be glorified in His Son — so we ought to know who that Pillar of Fire and Cloud by Day was (yea, you know it, His only begotten Son!). The history of ancient Israel is truly a schoolmaster that sheds light on how God's Grace thru His Son's Faith, saves or delivers us today from all our enemies: sin and death. May we genuinely and sincerely trust and obey (believe) the Commander in Chief: Abba has both anointed and highly exalted Him to sit at His right hand, high above all powers and principalities, and has given Him a Name above every other name: to save His flock from their sins. That at the **Name of Jesus every knee should bow**, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; And that **every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord**, —> to the glory of God the Father." (Phillip 2:5-11). Remember, the Great Commission, where our Great Commander in Chief, gave us His mandate,



"He that **believeth and is baptized shall be saved**, but he that believeth not shall be damned." And also in another place He said, "Thus it is written, and thus it **behoved Christ to suffer, and rise from the dead** the third day: and that **repentance and remission of sins should be preached in His name among all nations**, beginning at Jerusalem." And as it is written, "And many other signs truly did Jesus in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book: But these are written, **that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God**; and **that believing ye might have life through his name**."

To further edify the meek and reverent young ladies who prayerfully seek Truth w sincerity in God's Word:

- Pillar of Cloud & Fire (beautiful picturesque show'n'tell) - <https://youtu.be/Nhwd0jI--mg?si=IUB6p...>
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