

Sermon Questions

Exodus 15

This week we studied the *Victory Song* that Moses and the Sons of Israel sang after God crushed Pharaoh and his men. Once the battle was complete, the men sang praise to God for delivering them from their enemies. Understanding what took place in chapter 15 is essential for us to understand why God asks us to praise Him and why praise should be so natural. Everyone was created in the image of God and God has designed everyone to be a worshipper of Him. When we don't praise the Lord, we will find something less worthy to devote our praise. Praise is so natural and yet we often associate it with the type or style of music rather than the Person of Christ whom we are worshipping. As we looked at Exodus 15 this week, we also recognized that one of the reasons praise may be difficult is that we are not truly saved. May the Lord bless the proclamation of His Word and may He speak directly through your heart through this timeless song.

Here are some notes to review from this week's sermon...

Praise the Lord

Exodus 15

Praise the Lord for His...

- **Unparalleled attributes (1-3)**

- **Incomprehensible power (4-13)**

- **Omnipotent authority (14-18)**

Contagious goodness (19-21)

Hearing the Word of God and responding to Him is extremely important. If you haven't had the chance to listen to the message from this week you can now watch it [HERE](#). After watching, please use the following questions (if you find them helpful) in your BRAVE groups (now online every weekday) or discuss them with your family and/or friends. If you are not in a BRAVE Group now is a great time to get involved. Please email info@bravechurch.online and we will get you connected with a community that will work for you.

Questions

1. How is praise a natural response to what we witness? Why is praise essential for the believer? What difference does praise make in a person's life? What happens if we do not praise the Lord in our lives? What else might we praise?

2. Why is God worthy of our praise? What are some attributes of our God that are worthy of praise? What are some of God's qualities that have personally been important to you lately?
3. How is our God a warrior? How is God's Name (reputation) a warrior? How did He demonstrate being a warrior in Exodus 14? What difference does it make to know that our God fights for us?
4. What kind of incomprehensible power did God demonstrate in the story of the Red Sea crossing? In our familiarity with the story what aspects of that story should shock and surprise us?
5. How powerful is our God? How capable is He of handling our enemies? Why then do we frequently feel the need to live in fear?
6. What kind of authority does God have? What is His jurisdiction? What is His ability? How should this encourage us with our next steps of faith?
7. What comfort can we receive knowing that our God has all power and authority and is completely for us? How would we live differently if we understood that God can defeat all the challenges in our life?
8. Who starts the worship in Exodus 15? What is the significance of the men initiating and leading worship? Why does God call men to lead spiritually? If God has ordained for men to lead in the church, in what ways can the men grow? What difference would it make in a church if the men truly led God's people in worship?
9. How does Miriam respond to Moses worshipping? What does she do? Who does she invite to worship with her? How do the women respond to hearing the men worship God?
10. How contagious is our praise? Why should we keep our focus on the Lord and praise Him for everything good?
11. What is your greatest take-a-way from the message? What do you need to apply right now in your life?