

OUTLINE OF EXODUS

I. The Exodus From Egypt (1:1-15:21)

A. Israel Multiplies in Egypt (1:1-7)

- Israel grows in number within Egypt.

B. The People Suffer in Egypt (1:8-22)

- The People are Enslaved (1:8-14)
 - The Israelites become slaves under harsh conditions.
- Pharaoh Orders Male Children Killed (1:15-22)
 - Pharaoh commands the killing of male Israelite children.

C. The Call of Moses (2:1-4:31)

- Moses is Born (2:1-10)
 - Moses is born under challenging circumstances.
- Moses Flees from Egypt (2:11-25)
 - Moses escapes Egypt after a conflict.
- God Speaks to Moses (3:1-12)
 - God communicates with Moses through a burning bush.
- God Gives Signs to Moses (3:13-4:9)
 - God provides signs to convince Moses of his mission.
- God Sends Moses to Egypt (4:10-31)
 - Moses is sent by God to free the Israelites.

D. Pharaoh Refuses to Let the Israelites Go (5:1-7:13)

- Pharaoh Refuses to Listen to Moses (5:1-6:13)
 - Pharaoh ignores Moses' request to release the Israelites.
- The Genealogy of Israel (6:14-30)
 - The family tree of Israel is outlined.
- Moses and Aaron Perform Signs (7:1-13)
 - Moses and Aaron demonstrate God's power through signs.

E. God Pours Out Judgment on Egypt (7:14-11:10)

- Various plagues afflict Egypt as a result of Pharaoh's refusal.

F. The LORD'S Passover (12:1-32)

- The institution of the Passover as a crucial event for Israel.

G. God Delivers the People From Egypt (12:33-51)

- God leads the Israelites out of Egypt.

H. God Claims the Firstborn of Israel (13:1-16)

- God establishes a special claim on the firstborn of Israel.

I. Moses Parts the Red Sea (13:17-14:31)

- Moses miraculously opens a path through the Red Sea.

J. The People Sing to God (15:1-21)

- The Israelites express gratitude and worship after their deliverance.

II. The People are Tested in the Wilderness (15:22-18:27)

A. The Waters of Marah (15:22-27)

- The challenge of bitter water is faced by the Israelites.

B. The Manna and Quail (16:1-36)

- God provides food, manna and quail, for the people.

C. The Waters of Meribah (17:1-7)

- The people face another trial regarding water.

D. The People Defeat the Amalekites (17:8-16)

- The Israelites triumph over their enemies with God's help.

E. Moses Appoints Leaders Over the People (18:1-27)

- Moses appoints leaders to assist in governing the people.

III. The Covenant at Sinai (19:1-24:18)

A. The People Prepare for the Covenant (19:1-25)

- The Israelites prepare for their covenant with God.

B. God Proclaims His Covenant (20:1-23:33)

- God delivers the Ten Commandments and various laws.

C. Israel Affirms the Covenant (24:1-18)

- Detailed instructions for the construction of the tabernacle and priestly duties.

B. The People Commit Idolatry (32:1-34:35)

- Israel engages in idolatry, prompting consequences and eventual renewal of the covenant.

C. The People Build the Tabernacle (35:1-40:38)

- The meticulous construction of the tabernacle according to God's instructions.
- Moses miraculously opens a path through the Red Sea.

