

SERMON SERIES
EXODUS, PART 2:
“OUR GUIDE THROUGH THE WILDERNESS”
“THE LORD IS A GLORIOUS WARRIOR”
Exodus 15:1-21
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I. God’s weak people worship the glorious Warrior. (vv. 1-3, 13, 20-21)

“Moses and the people ... sang this song to the LORD”

“my strength and my song → my salvation”

“The LORD is a man of war”

“in Your steadfast love”.

“Miriam the prophetess ... took a tambourine ... dancing ... sang”

If Jesus has set you free, joyfully worship Him as glorious Warrior with His people.

Deuteronomy 7:7-8; 9:4, 6

Judges 5

2 Samuel 22

Psalms 40

Isaiah 12:2; 51:11

1 Corinthians 1:26-29

2 Corinthians 12:9-10

Colossians 3:16

James 3:9-10

1 Peter 2:9

Revelation 5; 19:1-5

“Salvation is what put the song into Israel’s heart.”

-Philip Ryken

“Even the sucklings dropped their mothers’ breasts to join the singing, yea, even the embryos in the womb joined the melody, and the angels’ voice swelled the song.”

-Rabbinical writing

II. The LORD is a glorious warrior who fought for us. (vv. 1-12, 16- 18)

"triumphed gloriously"

"water piled up ... in a heap ... congealed" "blew with your wind" "earth swallowed"

"thrown into ...cast them into the sea" ☒ "sunk" "down like a stone" "sank like lead"

"glorious in power ... shatters the enemy"

"redeemed" and "purchased"

"your fury ... consumes them like stubble" "Blast of your nostrils"

"Who is like you among the gods?"

"Who is like you, majestic in holiness, awesome in glorious deeds, doing wonders?"

"will bring them in and plant them on your own mountain"

If you trusted Jesus to pardon you, trust Him to finish the job and bring you Home.

"Divine wrath is holy hatred of sin and its perpetrators."

-Philip Ryken

III. The glorious Warrior overthrows the proud & powerful. (vv. 9, 13-16)

"I will pursue ... overtake ... I will draw my sword."

"my hand shall destroy them."

"have heard; they tremble... dismayed... trembling seizes → melted away"

Revelation 19:11-21

"We are saved so that we might enjoy the presence of God and dwell with him."

-Tim Chester

Digging Deeper:

1. How is your weakness revealed in your life?
2. How can you remember God's glorious strength that saves you?
3. Which of the things about God found in this text do you struggle most to believe? Why?
4. How does knowing that God wins help in a chaotic world?