

Sermon Questions

Exodus 35-40

This week we concluded the book of Exodus as we learned how to experience God's glory. God's purpose in delivering Israel out of the bondage of Egypt was not simply to get them to the promised land. God's purpose was so that He could dwell with them. Early in the book He demonstrates His sovereignty and power as He plans and executes the delivery of the nation. As Israel meets at Mt. Sinai, they learn that God has a way that He desires them to live so that He can dwell with them. God's desire has always been to have a relationship with His people and not just be distant. We see the fullness of God's love for us in sending Jesus Christ to the world so that he could "tabernacle" among us. God still wants to dwell with us and live with us as we journey through life. May the conclusion of this series in Exodus help you walk out your relationship with Jesus Christ.

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

Experiencing God's glory

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Experiencing God's glory was predicated upon...

Prioritizing Preeminence perpetually (35:1-3; 40:34-38)

Releasing resources readily (35:4-9)

Showcasing skills specifically (35:10-19)

Imitating instructions intentionally (35:20-40:33)

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 personal study or discuss them with your family and/or friends. If you are not in a CADRE now is a great time to get involved. Please email info@bravechurch.online and we help you take your next step.

Questions

1. What does it mean that we need to prioritize His preeminence perpetually? Why should our focus be on the Lord? Why should our focus on God be so frequent?
2. Why was keeping the Sabbath so important for Israel? Why is it still important? Why does prioritizing one day of the week to worship God mean so much? How difficult is it to prioritize God? What competes for your priorities?

3. What day of the week do you Sabbath? How does your Sabbath prioritize God? How does it prioritize His people? How does a weekly Sabbath draw you closer to God? What are the benefits of a Sabbath?
4. Why does God want His people to release resources readily? How are our resources connected to our heart? Connected to our worship? Why did Israel give resources so willingly? What did they want to experience?
5. Why should we give to God first? How does giving first to God help facilitate our worship of the Living God?
6. What does it mean to be generous? What does it mean to be willing? Why should our giving be both generous and willing? Why should we be cheerful when we give? How does being a cheerful giver grow our faith?
7. What does it mean to showcase our skills specifically? Why does God gift us? If God has gifted us for Him, then how do our daily lives use our giftedness for His glory? How can you best use your gifts for God?
8. Is giving or serving more important? If both are equally important then how is the Lord asking you to grow? How can you serve more in His church? How can you grow more in your giving?
9. Why does God give such specific instructions? Why does God go to such great lengths to describe how he wants to be worshipped? Why should we follow His leading in our lives?
10. What are some specific instructions in God's Word that He wants you to obey? What might you need to do right now in order to live in obedience to Him? What do you need to start doing, stop doing or start doing differently?
11. What has been your biggest take-a-way from this message or this series? What do you need to apply right now in your life?