

West Towne Circles Discussion Guide

Out of Darkness

Week Two: The Wilderness

Overview

Exodus is the story of God's saving work in freeing his people from Egypt. It's also the story of God's work in our own lives, freeing us from the power of sin and death – and freeing us to new life in his Kingdom.

This week – we discussed Exodus 2. We discussed the early days of Moses' life, his salvation from the Nile River, his killing of an Egyptian, and his fleeing to Midian. We saw the parallels between Moses' life and our own. Moses was saved from death in the river. We are saved from sin and death through Christ.

Dean finished his sermon by giving us four action steps. Use this graphic to reflect and pray upon as you discuss.

-Find your wilderness & go to it!
-Meet God there.
Ask this question:
“What is it that I am most anxious about?”
-Lay it at His feet.

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Reading and Discussion

1. As an icebreaker, ask this question: “Where have you seen God in your life in the past week?”
2. What space or place in your life do you consider a type of “wilderness?” A place where you can meet and interact with God?

3. What thing in your life are you the most anxious about? Share, if you feel comfortable.
4. Have you tried to lay the thing that makes you anxious at God's feet? Why or why not? Is it easy or difficult for you to do so?
5. As you close, pray for each other's anxieties, and for the peace of God to move in these circumstances. Pray that God would use these spaces and moments of "being in the wilderness" to form us more and more into his image.