



From Slavery To Sinai

EXODUS 14:15-21 [NIV]

CHAPTER 14 **15** Then the Lord said to Moses, “Why are you crying out to me? Tell the Israelites to move on. **16** Raise your staff and stretch out your hand over the sea to divide the water so that the Israelites can go through the sea on dry ground. **17** I will harden the hearts of the Egyptians so that they will go in after them. And I will gain glory through Pharaoh and all his army, through his chariots and his horsemen. **18** The Egyptians will know that I am the Lord when I gain glory through Pharaoh, his chariots and his horsemen.”

19 Then the angel of God, who had been traveling in front of Israel’s army, withdrew and went behind them. The pillar of cloud also moved from in front and stood behind them, **20** coming between the armies of Egypt and Israel. Throughout the night the cloud brought darkness to the one side and light to the other side; so neither went near the other all night long.

21 Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea, and all that night the Lord drove the sea back with a strong east wind and turned it into dry land. The waters were divided, **22** and the Israelites went through the sea on dry ground, with a wall of water on their right and on their left.

1. We cross-over by_____.

"Christ suffered for our sins once for all time. He never sinned, but he died for sinners to bring you safely home to God. 1 Peter 3:18

▶ The minute we start comparing the quality of our faith to the quality of someone else's, we lose the ability to be an agent of God's grace in their lives.

2. We can cross-over because we have a _____.

Jesus says, "I tell you the truth, whoever hears my word and believes in him who sent me, has crossed over from death to life." John 5:24

▶ We were once enslaved in the Egypt of sin and death, but Christ has set us free.

