



Welcome to Rehoboth  
New Life Center  
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# The Overcomer

## Part 1



1 John 5:4, "For whatsoever is born of God  
overcometh the world: and this is the victory that  
overcometh the world, even our faith."



# The Journey from Egypt to Canaan



- 1 Corinthians 10:11 Now all these things happened unto them for ensamples: and they are written for our admonition, upon whom the ends of the world are come.
- “Ensamples” Types

# The Overcomers Journey

## Leaving Egypt



- Exodus 12:29 ¶And it came to pass, that at midnight the LORD smote all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, from the firstborn of Pharaoh that sat on his throne unto the firstborn of the captive that was in the dungeon; and all the firstborn of cattle.
- 30 And Pharaoh rose up in the night, he, and all his servants, and all the Egyptians; and there was a great cry in Egypt; for there was not a house where there was not one dead.
- 31 And he called for Moses and Aaron by night, and said, **Rise up, and get you forth from among my people, both ye and the children of Israel; and go, serve the LORD, as ye have said.**
- 32 Also take your flocks and your herds, as ye have said, and be gone; and bless me also.
- 33 And the Egyptians were urgent upon the people, that they might send them out of the land in haste; for they said, We be all dead men.



# The Journey starts out well



- Exodus 12:35 And the children of Israel did according to the word of Moses; and they borrowed of the Egyptians jewels of silver, and jewels of gold, and raiment:
- 36 And the LORD gave the people favour in the sight of the Egyptians, so that they lent unto them such things as they required. And they spoiled the Egyptians.



# The Overcomers Journey

## The First Test



Exodus 13:17 ¶And it came to pass, when Pharaoh had let the people go, that God led them not through the way of the land of the Philistines, although that was near; for God said, Lest peradventure the people repent when they see war, and they return to Egypt:

But Jesus said unto them, Ye know not what ye ask: can ye drink of the cup that I drink of? **and be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?** Mark 10:38



# The First test



- Luke 4:1 ¶ And Jesus being full of the Holy Ghost returned from Jordan, and was led by the Spirit into the wilderness,
- Exodus 13:18 But God led the people about, through the way of the wilderness of the Red sea: and the children of Israel went up harnessed out of the land of Egypt.

# The Overcomer's Journey : Crossing



Exodus 13:21 And the LORD went before them by day in a pillar of a cloud, to lead them the way; and by night in a pillar of fire, to give them light; to go by day and night:

22 He took not away the pillar of the cloud by day, nor the pillar of fire by night, from before the people.

- Exodus 14:13 And Moses said unto the people, Fear ye not, stand still, and see the salvation of the LORD, which he will shew to you to day: for the Egyptians whom ye have seen to day, ye shall see them again no more for ever.
- 14 The LORD shall fight for you, and ye shall hold your peace.
- 15 ¶ And the LORD said unto Moses, Wherefore criest thou unto me? **Speak unto the children of Israel, that they go forward:**



# The Overcomer: Must be born again!



1 Corinthians 10:1 Moreover, brethren, I would not that ye should be ignorant, how that all our fathers were under the cloud, and all passed through the sea;

2 And were **all baptized** unto Moses in the cloud and in the sea;

John 3:5 Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, **he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.**

6 That which is born of the flesh is flesh; and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit.

7 Marvel not that I said unto thee, **Ye must be born again.**

# The Overcomer: Gives God thanks



- Exodus 15:1 ¶Then sang Moses and the children of Israel this song unto the LORD, and spake, saying, I will sing unto the LORD, for he hath triumphed gloriously: the horse and his rider hath he thrown into the sea.
- 2 The LORD is my strength and song, and he is become my salvation: he is my God, and I will prepare him an habitation; my father's God, and I will exalt him.



# The Journey continues: The Next Test

## Bitter Waters: Marah



- Exodus 15:22 ¶ So Moses brought Israel from the Red sea, and they went out into the wilderness of Shur; and they went three days in the wilderness, and found no water.
- 23 And when they came to Marah, they could not drink of the waters of Marah, for they were bitter: therefore the name of it was called Marah.
- 24 And the people murmured against Moses, saying, What shall we drink?



# The Waters of Marah




Exodus 15:25 And he cried unto the LORD; and the LORD shewed him a tree, which when he had cast into the waters, the waters were made sweet: there he made for them a statute and an ordinance, **and there he proved them,**



# The branch that can sweeten!



- Isaiah 11:1 ¶And there shall come forth a rod out of the stem of Jesse, **and a Branch shall grow out of his roots:**
- Jeremiah 23:5 Behold, the days come, saith the LORD, that I will raise unto **David a righteous Branch**, and a King shall reign and prosper, and shall execute judgment and justice in the earth.
- Jeremiah 33:15 In those days, and at that time, will I cause the **Branch of righteousness to grow up unto David**; and he shall execute judgment and righteousness in the land.

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**Marah , Mary**

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## Definition

1. rebellion

a. rebellion

b. rebellious (in construct)

King James Word Usage - Total: 23

rebellious 17, rebellion 4, bitter 1, rebels 1

## “Marah” Bitter



- Luke 1:26 ¶ And in the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God unto a city of Galilee, named Nazareth,
- 27 To a virgin espoused to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David; and the virgin's name was Mary.



# The Spiritual Rock



Exodus 17:5 And the LORD said unto Moses, Go on before the people, and take with thee of the elders of Israel; and thy rod, wherewith thou smotest the river, take in thine hand, and go. 6 Behold, I will stand before thee there upon the rock in Horeb; *and thou shalt smite the rock*, and there shall come water out of it, that the people may drink. And Moses did so in the sight of the elders of Israel.

1 Corinthians 10:4 And did all drink the same spiritual drink: for they drank of that spiritual Rock that followed them: and that Rock was Christ.

# The Third day!



Exodus 19:10 And the LORD said unto Moses, Go unto the people, and sanctify them to day and to morrow, and let them wash their clothes, 11 And be ready against the third day: for the third day the LORD will come down in the sight of all the people upon mount Sinai.



# The Third day!



Exodus 19:16 ¶And it came to pass on the third day in the morning, that there were thunders and lightnings, and a thick cloud upon the mount, and the voice of the trumpet exceeding loud; so that all the people that was in the camp trembled.

# The Third day!



Exodus 19:19 And when the voice of the trumpet sounded long, and waxed louder and louder, Moses spake, and God answered him by a voice. 20 And the LORD came down upon mount Sinai, on the top of the mount: and the LORD called Moses up to the top of the mount; and Moses went up.

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# The Journey Ends In Unbelief



- Numbers 13:17 And Moses sent them to spy out the land of Canaan, and said unto them, Get you up this way southward, and go up into the mountain:
- 18 And see the land, what it is; and the people that dwelleth therein, whether they be strong or weak, few or many;

- 19 And what the land is that they dwell in, whether it be good or bad; and what cities they be that they dwell in, whether in tents, or in strong holds;
- 20 And what the land is, whether it be fat or lean, whether there be wood therein, or not. And be ye of good courage, and bring of the fruit of the land. Now the time was the time of the firstripe grapes.
- 21 ¶ So they went up, and searched the land from the wilderness of Zin unto Rehob, as men come to Hamath.

# An “Evil Report”



- Numbers 13:27 And they told him, and said, We came unto the land whither thou sentest us, and surely it floweth with milk and honey; and this is the fruit of it.
- 28 Nevertheless the people be strong that dwell in the land, and the cities are walled, and very great: and moreover we saw the children of Anak there.
- 32 And they brought up an evil report of the land which they had searched unto the children of Israel, saying, The land, through which we have gone to search it, is a land that eateth up the inhabitants thereof; and all the people that we saw in it are men of a great stature.
- 33 And there we saw the giants, the sons of Anak, which come of the giants: and we were in our own sight as grasshoppers, and so we were in their sight.



# “We Are Well Able”



Numbers 13:30 And Caleb stilled the people before Moses, and said, Let us go up at once, and possess it; for we are well able to overcome it.

- Philippians 4:12 I know both how to be abased, and I know how to abound: every where and in all things I am instructed both to be full and to be hungry, both to abound and to suffer need.
- 13 I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me.