

GROWTH GROUP DISCUSSION

CONNECT

Do you know anything about bondage? Have you ever been trapped in a bad situation, and needed someone to step in and rescue you?

LEARN & APPLY

The Exodus is the central story of the Old Testament. God's people were enslaved in Egypt, and the Lord worked mightily to liberate them, via his servant, Moses. It is a stunning saga.

Moses is the earthly star of this liberation drama.

- How did his personal background shape him?
- How would you describe this complex man?

God called Moses into service, from tending sheep in Arabia. How?

- What did God say to him? How did Moses respond?
- How might He call people today?

The Lord tried many ways to get Pharaoh to release the slaves. Name a few of them. The struggle between Pharaoh and Moses is a kind of proxy fight between God and the false gods of Egypt.

- What will it take for people to forsake phony gods?
- Why is it so hard?

What are some of the take-away points from the night of their deliverance: the Passover?

- What do you notice?
- What are the parallels to our Holy Week?

PRAY

O Lord God, you are life's liberator! We praise you for your compassion for our bondage and your mighty power to set us free. Show us how we can be of help to your work of salvation. In Christ, our Redeemer, amen.