

# THE WHOLE COUNSEL OF GOD

**A Journey Through the  
Old Testament**

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# **Exodus 1**

**22 Then Pharaoh commanded all his people:**

**“Every son born to the Hebrews you must throw into the Nile, but every daughter you may allow to live.”**

# Genesis 15

**13 Then the LORD said to Abram, "Know for certain that your descendants will be strangers in a land that is not their own, and they will be enslaved and mistreated four hundred years.**

**14 But I will judge the nation they serve as slaves, and afterward they will depart with many possessions.**

# Exodus 2

## The birth of Moses

1 Now a man of the house of Levi married a daughter of Levi,

**Moses's parents – Amram & Jochebed** (Exodus 6:20)

**Moses's siblings – Aaron & Miriam**

2 and she conceived and gave birth to a son.

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## **Galatians 3**

**13 Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us. For it is written: "Cursed is everyone who is hung on a tree."**

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**4 And his sister stood at a distance to see what would happen to him.**

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**5 Soon the daughter of Pharaoh went down to bathe in the Nile, and her attendants were walking along the riverbank.**

**And when she saw the basket among the reeds, she sent her maidservant to retrieve it.**

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**6 When she opened it, she saw the child, and behold, the little boy was crying. So she had compassion on him and said, "This is one of the Hebrew children."**

## **Proverbs 21**

**1 The king's heart is a waterway in the hand of the LORD;  
He directs it where He pleases.**

## **Proverbs 16**

**1 The plans of the heart belong to man,  
but the reply of the tongue is from the LORD.**

**9 A man's heart plans his course,  
but the LORD determines his steps.**

## **Proverbs 19**

**21 Many plans are in a man's heart,  
but the purpose of the LORD will prevail.**

Psalm 33:13 The LORD looks down from heaven;

He sees all the sons of men.

14 From His dwelling place

He gazes on all who inhabit the earth.

15 He shapes the hearts of each;

He considers all their works.

Psalm 105: 23 Then Israel entered Egypt; Jacob dwelt  
in the land of Ham.

24 And the LORD made His people very fruitful, more  
numerous than their foes,

25 whose hearts He turned to hate His people, to  
conspire against His servants.

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**7 Then his sister said to Pharaoh's daughter, "Shall I go and call one of the Hebrew women to nurse the child for you?"**

**8 "Go ahead," Pharaoh's daughter told her.**

**And the girl went and called the boy's mother.**

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**9 Pharaoh's daughter said to her, "Take this child and nurse him for me, and I will pay your wages."**

**So the woman took the boy and nursed him.**

**10 When the child had grown older, she brought him to Pharaoh's daughter, and he became her son.**

**She named him Moses and explained, "I drew him out of the water."**

## **Acts 7**

**20 At that time Moses was born, and he was beautiful in the sight of God.**

**For three months he was nurtured in his father's house.**

**21 When he was set outside, Pharaoh's daughter took him and brought him up as her own son.**

# **Strengthening the Faith of God's People**

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# Deuteronomy 18

17 Then the LORD said to me, ....

18 "I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their brothers.

I will put My words in his mouth, and he will tell them everything I command him.

19 And I will hold accountable anyone who does not listen to My words that the prophet speaks in My name."

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# Isaiah 46

**9 Remember what happened long ago,  
for I am God, and there is no other;  
I am God, and there is none like Me.**

**10 I declare the end from the beginning,  
and ancient times from what is still to come.  
I say, 'My purpose will stand,  
and all My good pleasure I will accomplish.'**

## Isaiah 46

11 I summon a bird of prey from the east,  
a man for My purpose from a far-off land.

**(or a Pharaoh's daughter for my purpose)**

Truly I have spoken,

and truly I will bring it to pass.

I have planned it, and I will surely do it.



## **Isaiah 48**

**3 I foretold the former things long ago;  
they came out of My mouth and I  
proclaimed them.  
Suddenly I acted, and they came to pass.**

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**5 I am the LORD, and there is no other;  
there is no God but Me.**

**I will equip you for battle,  
though you have not known Me,  
6 so that all may know,  
from where the sun rises to where it sets,  
that there is none but Me;  
I am the LORD, and there is no other.**

## **Isaiah 45**

**7 I form the light and create the darkness;  
I bring prosperity and create calamity.**

**I, the LORD, do all these things.**

**9 Woe to him who quarrels with his  
Maker— one clay pot among many.**

**Does the clay ask the potter, 'What are you  
making?'**

**Does your work say, 'He has no hands'?**

## **Isaiah 45**

**10 Woe to him who says to his father,  
'What have you begotten?'  
or to his mother,  
'What have you brought forth?'"**

**11 Thus says the LORD, the Holy One of  
Israel, and its Maker:**

**"How dare you question Me about My sons,  
or instruct Me in the work of My hands?"**

# Isaiah 45

**12 It is I who made the earth and created man upon it.**

**It was My hands that stretched out the heavens, and I ordained all their host.**

**13 I will raise up Cyrus in righteousness, and I will make all his ways straight.**

**He will rebuild My city and set My exiles free, but not for payment or reward, says the LORD of Hosts.”**

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## Romans 5

6 For at just the right time, while we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly.

## Galatians 4

4 But when the time had fully come, God sent His Son, born of a woman, born under the law, 5 to redeem those under the law, that we might receive our adoption as sons.

# Exodus 14

**13 But Moses told the people, “Do not be afraid.**

**Stand firm and you will see the LORD’s salvation, which He will accomplish for you today; for the Egyptians you see today, you will never see again.**

**14 The LORD will fight for you; you need only to be still.”**

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## **Romans 11**

**33 O, the depth of the riches of the wisdom and knowledge of God!**

**How unsearchable are His judgments, and untraceable His ways!**

**34“Who has known the mind of the Lord? Or who has been His counselor?”**

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