

Suggested Questions for Discussion and Reflection: Exodus 17

1. How does the LORD characterize the hearts of His people in this episode and what does He aim to teach us? Read, Psalm 95:7-11; 106:10-15.
 2. What else is necessary to stay on track and not turn back from the Lord? Read, Hebrews 3:5-15.
 3. How does the giving of water at Rephidim and the giving of the Water/Spirit by Christ call us to pursue transformation through the Church? Compare, Ezekiel 47:1-12; Revelation 22:1-5.
 4. Has the present crises led you to increase your worship, prayer and reflection on what the Lord has done for you? Read, Luke 22:44; Romans 5:3-5; 2 Corinthians 4:16-5:5; 12:8-10.
 5. When Paul recounted the episode found in Exodus 17, what were his points of application for the Corinthians, what can we learn? Read, 1 Corinthians 10:6-14.
 6. What proof do you have that the Lord is present with you? Have you noticed anything this past week that confirmed His presence with you?
 7. Israel's testing of the Lord was sinful. Note how Satan sought the same for Jesus. How is this applicable today in our present situation with COVID-19? Read, Matthew 4:5-7.
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