

Exodus
From Slavery to Sonship

Introduction

Part 1

I. Exodus and the Grand Narrative.

A. The Bible is a _____ narrative: It is telling us a story.

Who are these children of Israel and why are they significant?

Why are they in Egypt?

Why is it significant that they are multiplying like rabbits? Cf. v.9,10, 20

Why should we have any interest in this family and the events recorded here?

B. Tracing the story line of the Bible.

Vaughan Roberts, God's Big Picture

God's _____

In God's _____

Under God's _____ and _____

Genesis 1-3

Genesis 12:1-3; 15:12-16

C. The place of Exodus in the grand narrative.

D. This story is part of _____ story.

II. Exodus and the Providence of God.

Cf. Gen.50:20,21; Psa.105:16-45

"God the good Creator of all things, in His infinite power and wisdom does uphold, direct, dispose, and govern all creatures and things, from the greatest even to the least, by His most wise and holy providence...to the praise of the glory of His wisdom, power, justice, infinite goodness, and mercy...as the providence of God does in general reach to all creatures, so after *a more special manner it takes care of His church*, and disposes of all things to the good thereof."
(London Baptist Confession, 1689)

This God of Exodus is our God, and He is sovereign over us!