

THE GLORY OF GOD ON DISPLAY, PART 3

Exodus 9:13-10:29

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INTRODUCTION: THE PURPOSE OF EVERYTHING

It is my favorite verse.

“The earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the LORD as the waters cover the sea.”

Earth (creatures in it will see)...knowledge (and know)...the glory...

Glory

the expressed quality of someone or something, especially God.

Isaiah 42:8

I am the Lord; that is my name;
my glory I give to no other,
nor my praise to carved idols.

...Of the LORD (The God of the Bible)

Proposition: God demonstrates His glory in divine judgments so that all will know and submit to Him and His people will worship Him.

I. HAIL, 7:14-25

A. THE STRIKE

B. THE MESSAGE

1. Let My People Go To Serve Me
2. You Are Still Exalting Yourself
3. There is none like Me
4. I could have destroyed you
5. The earth is Mine

C. THE MITIGATION

II. LOCUSTS, 8:1-15

A. THE STRIKE. 8:5, 6

B. THE MESSAGE,

1. How Long Will You Refuse To Humble Yourself?

2. Let My People Go To Serve Me

C. THE MITIGATION, 8:9-14

III. DARKNESS, 8:16-19

A. THE STRIKE

B. THE MESSAGE

F. THE MITIGATION

THE MESSAGE

1. This is war against the gods of Egypt. Exodus 12:12

2. The judgments show God's wrath against sin. Exodus 7:3, 4

3. In 8 to harden to show signs to provide testimony.

A. LET MY PEOPLE GO THAT THEY MAY SERVE ME 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8

B. YOU ARE EXALTING, HAVE NOT OBEYED/HUMBLERD YOURSELF 1, 7, 8

C. I WILL MAKE A DISTINCTION BETWEEN EGYPT AND ISRAEL, 4 (AND THROUGHOUT)

D. YOU WILL KNOW THAT I AM THE LORD 1, 4, 7 (MOST COMING IN 7)

1. I am the LORD (throughout)

2. There is none like Me, Exodus 8:10; **9:14**

3. I could have destroyed you, **Exodus 9:15**; 13:3

God can do anything He wants to do.

Jeremiah 32:17

'Ah, Lord God! It is you who have made the heavens and the earth by your great power and by your outstretched arm! Nothing is too hard for you.

4. The earth is Mine, Exodus 7:17; 10:1, 2; **9:29**

God rules over all.

Psalms 47:8

God reigns over the nations; God sits on his holy throne.

Daniel 4:17

The sentence is by the decree of the watchers, the decision by the word of the holy ones, to the end that the living may know that the Most High rules the kingdom of men and gives it to whom he will and sets over it the lowliest of men.'

CONCLUSION: SPIRITUAL WARFARE

A precursor of the battle to come.

Revelation 8:8-9, 11:6, 16:3-6 water to blood

Revelation 16:13-14 frogs

no lice

Revelation 6:8 flies? death of beasts?

Revelation 16:1, 2 boils

Revelation 8:7 hail and fire

Revelation 9:3, 4 locusts that kill humans

Revelation 8:12 darkness

death of firstborn not mentioned specifically

A distinction made between God's people and the world: Revelation 9:3,

APPLICATION

A precursor to the battle now. 2 Corinthians 10:1-6

1. The Singular Importance of Worship

1 Peter 2:9

But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.

Malachi 3:18

2 Corinthians 3:18

And we all, with unveiled face, beholding the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another. For this comes from the Lord who is the Spirit.

2. The Importance of Humility

James 4:6

God is opposed to the proud, but gives grace to the humble.

3. The Importance of Grace and the Presence of God.

Hosea 11:1; Matt 28:20; Hebrews 13:5

? How do you practice the presence and grace of God?

4. The Singular Importance of Knowing the LORD

Jeremiah 9:23, 24

Thus says the Lord: "Let not the wise man boast in his wisdom, let not the mighty man boast in his might, let not the rich man boast in his riches, but let him who boasts boast in this, that he understands and knows me, that I am the Lord who practices steadfast love, justice, and righteousness in the earth. For in these things I delight, declares the Lord."

Ephesians 6:10,

5. The Importance of Holiness

Leviticus 11:25; 1 Peter 1:14-16

Live it out not go back to the world

6. The Importance of Sovereignty

Genesis 1:28

<p>1 W A T E R T O B L O O D</p>	<p>a. Go to Pharaoh in the morning b. Message: "Let My people go" "You have not obeyed" "You will know that I am the LORD" No threat c. Timing: Immediate d. Servants: Judgment happened in sight of servants e. Extent: Whole land affected f. Magicians: could reproduce miracle g. Response: Pharaoh ignored judgment</p>	<p>4 F L I E S</p> <p>a. Present self to Pharaoh early morning b. Message: "Let My People go that they may serve me" "I will make a distinction between Egypt and Israel that you may know that I am the LORD in the midst of the earth" Judgment threatened c. Timing: On a future day d. Servants: Judgment affected servants e. Extent: Only Egypt affected (not Israel) f. Magicians: not mentioned g. Response: Pharaoh called for Moses and Aaron, bargained for relief, then hardened his heart</p>	<p>7 H A I L</p> <p>a. Present self to Pharaoh early morning b. Message: "Let My People go that they may serve me" "You will know that there is none like Me" "I could have destroyed you" I purposed to show my power" "The earth is Mine" "You are exalting yourself" Judgment threatened c. Timing: This time the next day d. Servants: Distinction made between servants who believed and those who disbelieved e. Extent: Only Egypt affected (not Israel) f. Magicians: not mentioned g. Response: Pharaoh sent for Moses and Aaron, admitted that he and his people sinned, "the LORD is right," then his heart was hardened</p>
<p>2 F R O G S</p>	<p>a. Go In To Pharaoh b. Message: "Let My People go that they may serve me" Judgment threatened c. Timing: Not Mentioned, seems to be on a future day d. Servants: Judgment affected servants e. Extent: Whole land affected f. Magicians: could reproduce miracle g. Response: Pharaoh called for Moses and Aaron, then hardened his heart</p>	<p>5 L I V E S T O C K D I E</p> <p>a. Go In To Pharaoh b. Message: "Let My People go that they may serve me" Judgment threatened c. Timing: The next day d. Servants: not mentioned e. Extent: Only Egypt affected (not Israel) f. Magicians: not mentioned g. Response: Pharaoh sent and inquired about the judgment, then hardened his heart</p>	<p>8 L O C U S T S</p> <p>a. Go In To Pharaoh Reason for plague given: I (the LORD) have hardened Pharaoh's heart to show signs and provide a testimony for children b. Message: "How long before you humble yourself?" "Let My People go that they may serve me" Judgment threatened c. Timing: A future day, then Immediate d. Servants: question Pharaoh e. Extent: Only Egypt affected (not Israel) f. Magicians: not mentioned . Pharaoh sent for Moses and Aaron before judgment, bargained then drove them away before judgment g. Response: Admitted that he personally sinned against the LORD and Moses and Aaron, then the LORD hardened his heart.</p>
<p>3 G N A T S</p>	<p>a. no warning or audience b. No Message c. Timing: Immediate d. Servants: not mentioned e. Extent: Whole land affected f. Magicians: couldn't reproduce miracle, "This is the finger of God" g. Response: Pharaoh hardened his heart</p>	<p>6 B O I L S</p> <p>a. no warning or audience (in the sight of Pharaoh) b. No Message c. Timing: Immediate d. Servants: not mentioned e. Extent: Only Egypt affected f. Magicians: couldn't stand before Moses g. Response: the LORD hardened his heart.</p>	<p>9 D A R K N E S S</p> <p>a. no warning or audience b. No Message c. Timing: Immediate d. Servants: not mentioned e. Extent: Only Egypt affected (not Israel) f. Magicians: not mentioned g. Response: the LORD hardened his heart.</p>