

LIFE GROUP STUDY GUIDE

EXODUS 2

READ

Take time to read Exodus 2

Record some of your initial notes or thoughts below



God does not save us for show (Ex. 2:1-10), or so we can have free reign (Ex. 2:11-15), or to bail us out (Ex. 2:16-22), but to show his sovereign purposes (Ex. 2:23-25).

GOD SAVES US TO FULFILL HIS PURPOSES; IN HIS TIME AND IN HIS WAYS.

OBSERVATION

What do I see?

What do you see or notice in the text? Are there any repeated words or ideas?

Where do you see God's involvement in this story?

What is the path of Moses' life to this point?

What can you see about God in Ex. 2:23-25?

INTERPRETATION

What does it mean?

What do Moses' actions in Ex. 2:11-15 show us about his character?

What do you think is the significance of mentioning that God "heard,... saw,... and knew" (Ex. 2:23-25).

What does it mean for God to be "sovereign"? Can you see evidence of his sovereignty in this chapter?

APPLICATION

What difference does this make?

When have you seen God be unmistakably present and involved in your life? How did this make you feel?

Moses committing murder and exile from Egypt became a humbling event for him. When have you experienced humbling that has led to being better used by God?

Do you experience times when you wonder why God has saved you?

Does God's sovereignty help you in the course of your life? How does it make things difficult?

Do you believe that God hears, sees, and knows the circumstances and details of your life? How does this truth help you proceed in living for him?

PRAYER

Take time to pray for the needs of others and for assurance that God knows our lives and sees our needs.