



Lesson 9

Galatians 3:29

You who belong to Christ are Abraham's seed. So you will receive what God has promised.

The Lord Announces the Tenth Plague

Exodus 11:1–10

¹The Lord had spoken to Moses. He had said, “I will bring one more plague on Pharaoh and on Egypt. After that, he will let you and your people go. When he does, he will drive every one of you away. ²Tell the men and women alike to ask their neighbors for things made out of silver and gold.” ³The Lord caused the Egyptians to treat the Israelites in a kind way. Pharaoh’s officials and the people had great respect for Moses.

⁴Moses told Pharaoh, “The Lord says, ‘About midnight I will go through every part of Egypt. ⁵Every oldest son in Egypt will die. The oldest son of Pharaoh, who sits on the throne, will die. The oldest son of every female slave, who works at her hand mill, will die. All the male animals born first to their mothers among the cattle will also die. ⁶There will be loud crying all over Egypt. It will be worse than it’s ever been before. And nothing like it will ever be heard again. ⁷But among the Israelites not even one dog will bark at any person or animal.’ Then you will know that the Lord treats Egypt differently from us. ⁸All your officials will come and bow down to me. They will say, ‘Go, you and all the people who follow you!’ After that, I will leave.” Moses was very angry when he left Pharaoh.

⁹The Lord had spoken to Moses. He had said, “Pharaoh will refuse to listen to you. So I will multiply the amazing things I will do in Egypt.” ¹⁰Moses and Aaron performed all these amazing things in the sight of Pharaoh. But the Lord made Pharaoh stubborn. He wouldn’t let the people of Israel go out of his country.

Questions

- 1 What was to be the tenth and final plague that God would send upon Pharaoh and Pharaoh’s people? The tenth and final plague was to be that every _____ in Egypt would _____. (Ex. 11:5)
- 2 What would be heard all over Egypt as a result of this plague? _____ would be heard all over Egypt, _____ than it’s ever been before. Nothing like it would ever be heard _____. (Ex. 11:6)
- 3 What would be heard among the Israelites? **N**_____ (opposite of “something”) would be

heard among the Israelites, not even a single _____ would _____ at any person or animal.
(Ex. 11:7)

- 4 After this final plague, what would everyone know? Everyone would know that the Lord _____ Egypt _____ from the Israelites. (Ex. 11:7)
- 5 What would be the response of Pharaoh's officials? Pharaoh's officials would come and _____ down to Moses and say, "_____, you and _____ the people who follow you." (Ex. 11:8)
- 6 How was Moses feeling when he left Pharaoh? Moses was _____ _____ when he left Pharaoh. (Ex. 11:8)
- 7 Why do you think Moses was so angry? Moses was probably very angry because Pharaoh _____ to listen, even after seeing God do so many _____ things, and even after being told that God's next **p** _____ (another word for "judgment") on Egypt for Pharaoh's evil **h** _____ (organ that pumps blood) would be that Pharaoh's oldest son would _____, along with all the other oldest sons in Egypt. (Ex. 11:9–10)
- 8 Who was making Pharaoh stubborn? The _____ was making Pharaoh stubborn. (Ex. 11:10)

Psalm 9:7–8

The Lord rules forever. He has set up His throne so that He can judge people. He rules the world in keeping with what is right. He judges all its people fairly.

The First Passover Sacrifice

Exodus 12:1–30

¹The Lord spoke to Moses and Aaron in Egypt. ²He said, "From now on, this month will be your first month. Each of your years will begin with it. ³Speak to the whole community of Israel. Tell them that on the tenth day of this month each man must get a lamb from his flock. A lamb should be chosen for each family and home. ⁴Suppose there are not enough people in your family to eat a whole lamb. Then you must share some of it with your nearest neighbor. You must add up the total number of people there are. You must decide how much lamb is needed for each person. ⁵The animals you choose must be males that are a year old. They must not have any flaws. You may choose either sheep or goats. ⁶Take care of them until the 14th day of the month. Then the whole community of Israel must kill them when the sun goes down. ⁷Take some of the blood. Put it on the sides and tops of the doorframes of the houses where you eat the lambs. ⁸That same night eat the meat cooked over a fire. Also eat bitter plants. And eat bread made without yeast. ⁹Do not eat the meat when it is raw. Don't boil it in water. Instead, cook it over a fire. Cook the head, legs and inside parts. ¹⁰Do not leave any of it until morning. If some is left over until morning, burn it up. ¹¹Eat the meat while your coat is tucked into your belt. Put your sandals on your feet. Take

your walking stick in your hand. Eat the food quickly. It is the Lord's Passover.

¹²“That same night I will pass through Egypt. I will strike down all those born first among the people and animals. And I will judge all the gods of Egypt. I am the Lord. ¹³The blood on your houses will be a sign for you. When I see the blood, I will pass over you. No deadly plague will touch you when I strike Egypt.

¹⁴“Always remember this day. You and your children after you must celebrate this day as a feast to honour the Lord. You must do this for all time to come. It is a law that will last forever. ¹⁵For seven days eat bread made without yeast. On the first day remove the yeast from your homes. For the next seven days, anyone who eats anything with yeast in it must be separated from Israel. ¹⁶On the first and seventh days, come together for a sacred assembly. Do not work at all on these days. The only thing you are allowed to do is prepare food for everyone to eat.

¹⁷“Celebrate the Feast of Unleavened Bread. I brought you out of Egypt on this very day like an army on the march. It is a law that will last for all time to come. ¹⁸In the first month eat bread made without yeast. Eat it from the evening of the 14th day until the evening of the 21st day. ¹⁹For seven days do not let any yeast be found in your homes. Anyone who eats anything with yeast in it must be separated from the community of Israel. That applies to outsiders and Israelites alike. ²⁰Do not eat anything made with yeast. No matter where you live, eat bread made without yeast.”

²¹Then Moses sent for all the elders of Israel. He said to them, “Go at once. Choose the animals for your families. Each family must kill a Passover lamb. ²²Get a branch of a hyssop plant. Dip it into the blood in the bowl. Put some of the blood on the top and on both sides of the doorframe. None of you can go out of the door of your house until morning. ²³The Lord will go through the land to strike down the Egyptians. He'll see the blood on the top and sides of the doorframe. He will pass over that house. He won't let the destroying angel enter your homes to strike you down.

²⁴“Obey all these directions. It's a law for you and your children after you for all time to come. ²⁵The Lord will give you the land, just as He promised. When you enter it, keep this holy day. ²⁶Your children will ask you, ‘What does this holy day mean to you?’ ²⁷Tell them, ‘It's the Passover sacrifice to honour the Lord. He passed over the houses of the Israelites in Egypt. He spared our homes when He struck down the Egyptians.’” Then the Israelites bowed down and worshipped. ²⁸They did just what the Lord commanded Moses and Aaron.

²⁹At midnight the Lord struck down every oldest son in Egypt. He killed the oldest son of Pharaoh, who sat on the throne. He killed all the oldest sons of prisoners. He also killed all the male animals born first to their mothers among the livestock. ³⁰Pharaoh and all his officials got up during the night. So did all the Egyptians. There was loud crying in Egypt because someone had died in every home.

Questions

- 9 What was each Israelite man commanded by God to do on the tenth day of that month? On the tenth day, each man had to get for his family and home a _____ from his flock. (Ex. 12:3)
- 10 What if there wasn't enough people in a family to eat a whole lamb? If there wasn't enough people in

a family to eat a whole lamb, they were to _____ some of it with their nearest _____ . (Ex. 12:4)

- 11 Could a man choose a goat instead of a sheep? (Yes/No) _____. (Ex. 12:5)
- 12 What was each family to do with their chosen sheep or goat? They were to take _____ of it for four days, until the _____ day of the month. (Ex. 12:6)
- 13 What was each family to do with their sheep or goat on the fourteenth day? On the fourteenth day, when the _____ went down, they were to _____ the sheep or goat, take _____ of its _____, and put it on the _____ and _____ of the _____ of their house. Then they were to eat the meat. (Ex. 12:6–8)
- 14 How were they to cook the meat? They were to cook the meat over a _____. They were not eat the meat when it was _____ or _____ in water. (Ex. 12:8–9)
- 15 What else were they to eat with the cooked meat? They were to eat _____ and _____ made without yeast. (Ex. 12:8)
- 16 What were they to do with the head, legs, and inside parts of the sheep or goat? They were to _____ the head, legs, and inside parts too. (Ex. 12:9)
- 17 What were they to do with the leftovers? They were not to leave any of it until morning. If some was left over until morning, they were to _____ it up. (Ex. 12:10)
- 18 Were they to eat the food quickly or slowly? They were to eat the food _____. (Ex. 12:11)
- 19 How were they to be dressed while they ate? They were to have their _____ tucked into their belts, their _____ on their feet, and their _____ in their hands. (Ex. 12:11)
- 20 What was the name of this special meal? The name of this special meal was the “Lord’s _____.” (Ex. 12:11)
- 21 Who would pass through Egypt that night, and what would happen? The _____ would pass through Egypt that night and would _____ all those born _____ among the _____ and _____. (Ex. 12:12)
- 22 Whom would the Lord judge that night? The Lord would judge _____ the _____ of Egypt, which the Egyptians worshipped. (Ex. 12:12)
- 23 What would the Lord do when He saw the blood on the top and sides of the doorframe of a house? When the Lord saw the blood, He would _____ over that family. _____ deadly plague would

_____ them when He struck Egypt. (Ex. 12:13, 23)

John 1:29

The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him. John said, "Look! The Lamb of God! He takes away the sin of the world!"

- 24) What Lamb died for you? _____, the Lamb of God who takes _____ my _____, died for me.



In other words, the Lord's Passover was foreshadowing (means "pointing to") the coming of our Lord Jesus. When we believe in Jesus and ask God to forgive us our sins, God's judgment will pass us by because we are now protected by the blood of Jesus. Praise God!

- 25) How were the Israelites to spread the blood on their door frames? They were to spread the blood with the _____ of a _____ plant dipped into a _____ that held the blood. (Ex. 12:22)
- 26) Did the Israelites do just what the Lord had commanded through Moses and Aaron? (Yes/No) _____. (Ex. 12:28)
- 27) At what time did the Lord strike down every oldest son in Egypt? The Lord struck down every oldest son in Egypt at _____. (Ex. 12:29)
- 28) What are the Israelites to always remember, year after year, for all time to come? They are to always remember that _____ and to _____ it as a _____ to _____ the Lord. (Ex. 12:14, 24)
- 29) What are the Israelites to do every year on that month to celebrate that day? They are to eat bread made without yeast (also known as unleavened bread) for _____ days, from the evening of the 14th day until the evening of the 21st day. (Ex. 12:15–19)
- 30) On which of those seven days are the Israelites to come together for a sacred assembly? On the _____ day and on the _____ day, the Israelites are to come together for a sacred assembly. (Ex. 12:16)
- 31) Are the Israelites allowed to work on those two special days? (Yes/No) _____. The only thing they are allowed to do is _____ food for everyone to eat. (Ex. 12:16)



The Feast of Unleavened Bread, celebrating the day the Lord brought His people out of Egypt, is symbolic of our new life in Jesus Christ.

1 Corinthians 5:6-7

Your bragging is not good. It is like yeast. Don't you know that just a little yeast makes the whole batch of dough rise? Get rid of the old yeast. Then you can be like a new batch of dough without yeast. That is what you really are. That's because Christ, our Passover Lamb, has been offered up for us.

- 32) What is yeast a symbol of? Yeast is a symbol of **b**_____, or pride, because pride makes us **p**____ **ed** (rhymes with "stuffed") up like yeast does to dough.
- 33) What are we to get rid of? We are to get rid of our **p**_____ (the old yeast) so that we can be like a **n**_____ person (a new batch of dough) without pride (yeast).
- 34) How can we be a new person without pride? We can be a new person because _____, our _____, has been offered up for us.

Ephesians 2:8

God's grace has saved you because of your faith in Christ. Your salvation doesn't come from anything you do. It is God's gift.

- 35) How are you saved? I am saved by God's _____ because of my _____ in Christ. My salvation _____ come from anything I do. It is God's _____.

How did the Holy Spirit speak to you this week as you studied these Bible verses? In other words, what did you learn this week from reading God's Word?
