# PATIENCE IS NOT A WEAKESS

Series: Exodus (Part 1)

Exodus 7:14-11:10

## THE PASSAGE: 10 Terrible Plaques

- (1) The Nile turns BLOOD RED Exodus 7:14-24
- (2) FROGS everywhere Exodus 7:25-8:15
- (3) GNATS everywhere Exodus 8:16-19
- (4) FLIES everywhere Exodus 8:20-32
- (5) LIVESTOCK decimated Exodus 9:1-7
- (6) BOILS break out Exodus 9:8-12
- (7) A deadly HAILSTORM Exodus 9:13-35
- (8) A LOCUST invasion Exodus 10:1-18
- (9) Three days of DARKNESS Exodus 10:21-29
- (10) The Spirit of DEATH Exodus 11:1-10

## WHAT'S UP WITH THAT? What The Plagues Teach Us About God, His People, And His Enemies

God is not MOCKED

(Exodus 5:1-2, Galatians 6:7-8, Proverbs 1:24-32)

There is only ONE TRUE GOD

(Exodus 12:12, 1 Cor10: 20-22, Deut 4:34,39, Isaiah 42:4,8 Ex 20:1-6)

God's PRESSURE has a clear PURPOSE.

(Exodus 9:16, 10:1-2, Romans 9:14-24)

**9** God's <u>PATIENCE</u> precedes his <u>JUDGMENT</u> (Romans 2:4-5 Proverbs 1:24-32, Romans 1:24,28,32)

Current Series: EXODUS

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The plagues of Egypt are well known, but a deep study reveals that each was a direct challenge to the various Egyptian gods and goddesses. The plagues affected the Egyptians' physical senses as well as their hearts with reminders that Jehovah God was far superior to any of their gods. He exercised power at will while the Egyptian gods remained helpless against Him.



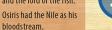
#### PLAGUE 1: WATER TO BLOOD

The Egyptians were also able to turn water to blood, including the death are several gods in their of the fish and a smell that prohibited even trying to drink the water. Pharaoh's heart remained hard.

of Egypt's power. There pantheon that draw life from the river.

Khnum was the guardian of the river's source.

Hapi was the god of annual flooding of the Nile and the lord of the fish.



PLAGUE 6: BOILS Exodus 9:8-12

This was the first plague to affect the body directly. health and Imhotep was God made a distinction between the Israelites and the Egyptians. The Egyptian priests were unable to appear in court.

Isis was the goddess of the god of healing.



#### PLAGUE 7: HAIL Exodus 9:13-3

This plague affected the agriculture and livestock that was left in the field. Such a storm of hail was unique to Egypt.

Nut was the goddess of the sky. Her father Shu god of the wind and air, was a calming god.



#### PLAGUE 2: FROGS Exodus 8:1-8:15

The Egyptians also produced frogs. Piles of dead frogs filled the land with a a frog. foul odor.

Heat was an Egyptian goddess with the head of



#### PLAGUE 8: LOCUSTS Exodus 10:1-20

This plague would be told to Pharaoh's sons and grandsons, serving the purpose of showing God's power for generations.

Neper and Nepri were the god and goddess of grain Set was the god of disorder.



#### PLAGUE 3: GNATS OR LICE Exodus 8:16-19

The gnats or lice came up Geb was the god over the from the dust of the earth. dust of the earth. The Egyptian priests could not duplicate this miracle. They declared, "This is the finger of God."



### PLAGUE 9: DARKNESS Exodus 10:21-29

It was so dark for three days that the darkness could be felt.

Ra, the god of the sun, was the most worshipped and revered god in Egypt after the Pharaoh. Jehovah God showed He had power even over the mightiest of the Egyptian gods.



## PLAGUE 10: DEATH OF FIRSTBORN Exodus 12:29-36

Establishes the Jewish Passover festival.

This plague was a judgement on all Egyptian gods, including Pharaoh himself. In Exodus 1, Pharaoh had ordered the killing of Israelite babies, and now the firstborn of all Egypt was killed.

#### PLAGUE 4: FLIES Exodus 8:20-32

This was the first plague that affected only the Egyptians.

Khepri had the head of a beetle and also moved

#### PLAGUE 5: SICK CATTLE Exodus 9:1-7



God continued to distinguish between the Israelites and the Egyptians. This plague affected only the Egyptian herds.

Hathor was a fertility goddess who was often depicted with the head or horns of a bull and sometimes as a bull wearing the symbols of Hathor.