

## Emphasis 5: Rediscovering & Restoring the Entire Bible as the Word of God

### Emphasis 5De: A Brief Introductory Survey of the Pentateuch w/ Focus on Exodus

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**(Isaiah 58:12)** “Those from among you will rebuild the ancient ruins; You will raise up the age-old foundations; And you will be called the repairer of the breach, The restorer of the streets in which to  dwell. (NASB)

- I. **Emphasis 0: Introduction to the Series: Rediscovering & Restoring the Pattern** (4 Messages on Why?)
- II. **Fifteen (15) Biblical Emphases for Rediscovery and Restoration to Biblical Patterns.** (List on Back Wall)
- III. **Emphases 1 to 4:** Podcast at: (<http://gcfd Dayton.org/podcasts//rediscovering-restoring-biblical-christianity-seri/>)
- IV. **Last 7 Messages: Emphasis 5A to 5Dd: Rediscovering & Restoring the Entire Bible as the Word of God.** (Psalm 119:160) The sum of your word is truth ... .. (See also Isaiah 40:8: 2 Tim. 2:15: 3:14-17) Plenary Inspiration of Scripture: Inspired, Inerrant & Infallible.
- IV. **Last 4 Weeks: Emphasis 5Da to 5Dd: Brief Introductory Survey of the Pentateuch w/ Focus on Genesis:**
  - A. Pentateuch are the **First Five Books** of the Hebrew Scriptures in Septuagint & Christian Old Testament. **Note:** Numerous Names for the Pentateuch: Books of Moses; Moses; Torah; The Law; Law of Moses; 5 Books.
  - B. **Seven (7) Reasons that Both Genesis & Pentateuch are Foundational to All Scripture.**
  - C. **Ten Major Divisions of Genesis & The Nature of Biblical History:** “These are the Generations of ...” **Genesis is a Book o Generations.** (All Ten Listed in Previous Outlines.)
  - D<sub>1</sub>. **Ten Major Biblical Themes: Arising in Genesis 1 -3;** Developed Further throughout Genesis; Still further through Pentateuch; More Fully throughout Old Testament; Culminating in New Testament.
  - D<sub>2</sub>. **God’s Fivefold Process of Creation / Man’s Six-Fold Process of Dominion.** (Last Week.)
- V. **Today: Emphasis 5De: A Brief Introductory Survey of the Pentateuch w/ Focus on Exodus.**
  - A. **Scripture on Mosaic Authorship.** (Deut. 17:6; 19:15; Matt. 18:20; 1 Tim. 5:19; Heb. 10:28) (Remember: Scripture Interprets Scripture. John 10:35 “Scripture cannot be broken...”) (Mark 12:26) <sup>26</sup> But regarding the fact that the dead rise again, have you not read in the book of Moses, in the *passage* about the burning bush, how God spoke to him, saying, ‘I AM THE GOD OF ABRAHAM, AND THE GOD OF ISAAC, AND THE GOD OF JACOB’? (Jesus is Quoting Exodus 3:16) (See 2 Chronicles 25:4) (Mark 7:10) <sup>10</sup> For Moses said, ‘HONOR YOUR FATHER AND YOUR MOTHER’; and, ‘HE WHO SPEAKS EVIL OF FATHER OR MOTHER, IS TO BE PUT TO DEATH’; (Jesus is Quoting Exodus 20:12 & Deuteronomy 5:16.) (Luke 24:27; 44) (John 5:39-47) <sup>46</sup> For if you believed Moses, you would believe Me, for he wrote about Me. (Cf. John 7:19) (Nehemiah 13:1) “On that day they read aloud from the book of Moses in the hearing of the people; ... .. (Nehemiah 8:1) And all the people gathered as one man at the square which was in front of the Water Gate, and they asked Ezra the scribe to bring the book of the law of Moses which the LORD had given to Israel.
    - B. Some Selected **Highlights from Exodus (a.) & Major Lessons Derived (b).**
      - 1.a) God Fulfills His Promise to Abraham from Genesis 15:13-14. (Israel Enslaved 400 Years.) **(Genesis 15:13-14)** <sup>13</sup> God said to Abram, “Know for certain that your descendants will be strangers in a land that is not theirs, where they will be enslaved and oppressed four hundred years. <sup>14</sup> But I will also judge ... **(Exodus 1:8-14)** <sup>8</sup> Now a new king arose over Egypt, who did not know Joseph. <sup>9</sup> He said to his people, “Behold, the people of the sons of Israel are more and mightier than we. <sup>10</sup> Come, let us deal wisely with them, ... .. <sup>11</sup> So they appointed taskmasters over them to afflict them with hard labor. And ... <sup>12</sup> But the more they afflicted them, the more they multiplied ... <sup>13</sup> The Egyptians compelled the sons of Israel to labor rigorously; <sup>14</sup> and they made their lives bitter with hard labor in mortar and bricks and at all kinds of labor ... (Gen. 15:13)
        - 1b.) Take Away: Theology of Suffering & Inheriting through Faith & Patience.**

**(Hebrews 6:9-20)** <sup>11</sup> And we desire that each one of you show the same diligence so as to realize the full assurance of hope until the end, <sup>12</sup> so that you will not be sluggish, but imitators of those who through faith and patience inherit the promises. (Emphasis gw) (Cf. in Context - Hebrews 6:9-20) (NASB)

**(1 Peter 5:10-11)** <sup>10</sup> After you have suffered for a little while, the God of all grace, who called you to His eternal glory in Christ, will Himself perfect, confirm, strengthen and establish you. <sup>11</sup> To Him be dominion forever and ever. ...

2a.) Exodus 2. Moses Born; Escapes Death; Raised in Pharaoh's Courts; Kills Egyptian; Flees to Midian.

**2b.) Takeaways. Foreshadowing of Christ. / The Called, Elect, and Chosen Shall Escape.**

3a.) Exodus 3. The Burning Bush. The Tetragrammaton. (YHWH) "I Am Who Am."

**(Exodus 3:14)** God said to Moses, "I AM WHO I AM"; and He said, "Thus you shall say to the sons of Israel, 'I AM has sent me to you.'"

**3b.) God Always Prepares One Person. Most Important Preparation: Deep Relational Revelation of God.**

4a.) Exodus 4. God Gives Moses the Powers of Signs & Wonders and Aaron as his mouthpiece.

**4b.) Takeaway: "Where God Guides – God Provides." He Himself will Equip Us. "He Will Hold Me Fast."**

5a.) Exodus 5. Pharaoh Mocks God. Israel's Labor Increased. No Straw. Same Quota of Bricks."

**5b.) In God's Economy Things Get Worse B4 Better. Darkest B4 Dawn. "God's Ways Not Our Ways"**

(Note: A Lesson for Moses & for Israel.)

**6a.) Exodus 7 to 12. The 10 Plagues.** (Corresponding to Egypt's Polytheistic Mythology.)

(Exodus 8:32) But Pharaoh hardened his heart this time also, and he did not let the people go.

(Exodus 9:12) And the LORD hardened Pharaoh's heart, and he did not listen to them, just as the LORD had spoken to Moses.

**6b.) Takeaways. Divine Tensions. Not "Either/ Or" but "Both/And." Hearts of Men in God's Hands.**

**(Prov. 21:1)** The king's heart is like channels of water in the hand of the LORD; He turns it wherever He wishes.

7a.) **Exodus 12: The Passover & the Exodus.** (Cf. John 1:29-36) (Cf. 1 Cor. 5:7-8) (Luke 22:15)

**7b.) Takeaway:** The Most Important Event in the History of Israel Foreshadows (Type) the Most Important Event in the History of the World.

8a & 8b.) Exodus 16: Christ is the Manna. / 9a & 9b.) Exodus 17: Christ is the Rock

10a.) Exodus 18: Jethro Counsels Moses. / Transitional Point in Exodus.

11a.) The Covenant at Mount Sinai (Exodus 19ff)

**(Exodus 19:5-6)** <sup>5</sup> Now then, if you will indeed obey My voice and keep My covenant, then you shall be My own possession among all the peoples, for all the earth is Mine; <sup>6</sup> and you shall be to Me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation.' These are the words that you shall speak to the sons of Israel." (Quoted in 1 Peter 2:9)

11b.) **Takeaway.** Now Applies to the Church. (Cf. **Matthew 21:43**) (Cf. **Hebrews 12:18-29**)

12a & b.) Exodus 20. The 10 Commandments. **All repeated numerous times in N.T.**

13a & 13b.) Exodus 21 -23 Case Laws & Exodus 24: Covenant Affirmation.

14a. & **14b) Exodus 25ff. The Tabernacle and Its Pattern. (Models, Examples & Prototypes.)**

**(Exodus 25:8-9; 40)** <sup>8</sup> Let them construct a sanctuary for Me, that I may dwell among them. <sup>9</sup> According to all that I am going to show you, as the pattern of the tabernacle and the pattern of all its furniture, just so you shall construct it. ... <sup>40</sup> See that you make them after the pattern for them, which was shown to you on the mountain.

15a & 15b) Exodus 36 – 39. Funds Raised; Construction Started & Completed.

**(Exodus 39:32)** So all the work of the tabernacle, the tent of meeting, was completed, and the Israelites did according to all that the LORD had commanded Moses—they did it exactly so. (NET)

**(Exodus 39:32)** In this way all the work of the meeting tent dwelling was finished. The Israelites did everything just exactly as the LORD had commanded Moses. (CEB)

**Conclusion: Read & Comment on Exodus 40:34-38.** (Cf. 1 Corinthians 1:26-31)

**VI. Next Week: Conclusion of Survey of the Pentateuch with Focus on Leviticus thru Deuteronomy.**