

Sermon Questions

Exodus 13

This week we discussed the need to pass the spiritual baton to the next generation. Our salvation is very important to the Lord, but He wants to use us to build up our children and their children so that they can go further than we ever dreamed. God created the family and wants parents to model and champion His values so that the next generation will live for Christ. Even those who have no children are to entrust the truths of God to the next generation. With young people leaving the church at an alarming rate, what can we do to ensure that the kingdom of God advances in this next generation? When we turn to Exodus 13, we learn some very significant truths to share and how we are to live so that the spiritual baton is passed effectively. May this week's message encourage you to grow in Christ.

Here are some notes to review from this week's sermon...

The Next Generation

Exodus 13

The next generation needs to see you...

Giving God your best (1-2)

Keeping God's standards (3-9)

Experiencing God's power (11-16)

Trusting God's ways (17-22)

Hearing the Word of God and responding to Him is extremely important. If you haven't had the chance to listen to the message from this week you can now watch it [HERE](#). After watching, please use the following questions (if you find them helpful) in your BRAVE groups (now online every weekday) or discuss them with your family and/or friends. If you are not in a BRAVE Group now is a great time to get involved. Please email info@bravechurch.online and we will get you connected with a community that will work for you.

Questions

1. What does it look like for you to give God your best? Do you come to Him with all choices and decisions or do you try to figure out everything on your own? Is Jesus Christ truly the Lord of your life?
2. What are some areas where it is difficult for you to trust God? Singleness? Marriage? Children? Money? School? Vocation? Hobbies? Why is trusting God difficult for you in these areas if the Lord loves you so much? What do you fear? Why?

3. What freedom would you experience if Jesus were really Lord over your entire life? What difference would that make? Why would this be important for you? How can you share this with your children?
4. Why does God want us to keep His standards? What benefit is there to our relationship with the Lord when we do? What benefit is there to our lives when we do?
5. Which commands of Jesus Christ are we to keep? Why are His commands not burdensome? How are they helpful and beneficial to us? How does keeping God's commands help the next generation?
6. Why does the next generation want to see God's commands as more than suggestions? Why should we continue to raise the bar high for Jesus Christ? What happens when we lower Christ's righteous bar to appease people? What is the danger of this act?
7. What is our God able to do? If everything is possible for God, then why do so few people experience His power? Why is it essential that we show Jesus Christ to be the foundation of our lives and put His power on display?
8. How will the antichrist (the counterfeit) call people into allegiance with himself? Why is it essential that our minds and our strength be centered on Jesus Christ now? What keeps us from being more urgent with the message of the Gospel? Discuss some ways that you would like to see more of Christ's power in your life?
9. How have you trusted God only to see Him lead you on a different path? Why does God sometimes lead differently than you desire? What does God build in you as He leads you differently than you may have thought?
10. Why is it important to trust God's ways and His timing? What is the significance of following God in the way He desires? How can you trust God's leading more in your life?
11. What is your greatest take-a-way from this week's message? What do you need to apply right now in your life?