

**New Life**



**THE LORD WILL FIGHT FOR YOU;**  
YOU NEED ONLY TO BE STILL.

Exodus 14:14

## Exodus 14:10-12

When Pharaoh drew near, the people of Israel lifted up their eyes, and behold, the Egyptians were marching after them, and they feared greatly. And the people of Israel cried out to the LORD. They said to Moses, “Is it because there are no graves in Egypt that you have taken us away to die in the wilderness? What have you done to us in bringing us out of Egypt? Is not this what we said to you in Egypt: ‘Leave us alone that we may serve the Egyptians’? For it would have been better for us to serve the Egyptians than to die in the wilderness.”

The people of Israel

**LIFTED UP THEIR EYES**

The **RESULT** of moving their  
eyes from their **MAKER** and  
the path He set them on---

**FEAR!**

# 1. Misplaced Fear

- Fear of Man
  - Proverbs 29:25- The fear of man lays a snare, but whoever trusts in the LORD is safe.
- Fear of the Unknown
- Fear of Death

## 2. Seeing the Monumental God

Exodus 14:13-14

And Moses said to the people, “Fear not, stand firm, and see the salvation of the Lord, which he will work for you today. For the Egyptians whom you see today, you shall never see again. 14 The Lord will fight for you, and you have only to be silent.”

### **3. God's Desire-Properly Placed Fear**

Exodus 14:30-31

Thus the Lord saved Israel that day from the hand of the Egyptians, and Israel saw the Egyptians dead on the seashore. 31 Israel saw the great power that the Lord used against the Egyptians, so the people feared the Lord, and they believed in the Lord and in his servant Moses.



In the hands of God, the  
instrument of  
**DELIVERANCE** can also be  
the instrument of  
**DESTRUCTION!**

Whatever the Lord calls you to  
face as a result of fearing Him is  
in fact better than simply  
remaining alive!

## Hebrews 12:2

...fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith.

For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

God desires that we fear Him!

## 1 John 4:13-18

By this we know that we abide in him and he in us, because he has given us of his Spirit. And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent his Son to be the Savior of the world. Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God, God abides in him, and he in God. So we have come to know and to believe the love that God has for us. God is love, and whoever abides in love abides in God, and God abides in him.

## Vs 17-18

By this is love perfected with us, so that we may have confidence for the day of judgment, because as he is so also are we in this world. There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear. For fear has to do with punishment, and whoever fears has not been perfected in love.

## Matthew 10:28

And do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. Rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell.



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