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• Has your sacrifice of praise ceased and turned to complaint?

Hello fellow being. In the world we live in there is much to give thanks for and praise God; and yet there is that which can cause us to gripe. The bible gives us a true book on life's characters. For a few minutes this morning I will point out some instances where God's people were in a right spirit and then they gave way to a hopeless spirit.

Israel was singing praises when God showed his power over Pharaoh (see Exodus 15.) And within a short period of time -3 days; we find them murmuring against Moses (see Exodus 15:22-24.) That is about a Sunday to Wednesday and again a Wednesday to Sunday. Isn't it something how there is planned a time for the saints to rally together and rehearse some of the good things of God and pray together? As long as we are looking at the early stages of the wilderness journey-check the wording of this out.

Ex 16:1 And they took their journey <u>from Elim</u>, and all the congregation of the children of Israel came <u>unto the wilderness of Sin</u>, which *is* between Elim and Sinai, on the fifteenth day of the second month after their departing out of the land of Egypt.

Ex 16:2 And the whole congregation of the children of Israel <u>murmured</u> against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness:

Elim was the place of refreshment like an oasis. I believe the church is similarly a place of refreshment. Isn't it true the "wilderness of sin" is a picture of the world? And when people get so focused on the sin in this world they get gloomy and that's where murmuring comes. It is best to keep spiritually hydrated from the well of water springing up into everlasting life.

• And quit fuming over that which you can do nothing about EXCEPT PRAY!

David in 1Sa 26:24 And, behold, as thy life was much set by this day in mine eyes, so let my life be much set by in the eyes of the LORD, <u>and let him deliver me out of all tribulation.</u>

• David got the victory and *momentarily* figured the Lord would deliver him. (I believe a short interval passed and David got thinking about Saul again.)

1Sa 27:1 And David said in his heart, <u>I shall now perish one day by the hand of Saul: there is nothing better for me than that I should speedily escape into the land of the Philistines; and <u>Saul shall despair of me</u>, to seek me any more in any coast of Israel: so shall I escape out of his hand.</u>

• But you've got to ask yourself; did he give way to a gloomy spirit and devise his own plan? <u>David despaired of Saul</u>. And God allowed it.

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Lk. 22:40b ...**Pray** that ye enter not into temptation.

"UNSPEAKABLE THINGS FOUND IN THE BIBLE"

Intro. But the things we'll look at should be spoken about.

2Co 9:15 Thanks be unto God for his unspeakable gift.

2Co 12:4 How that he was caught up into paradise, and heard <u>unspeakable</u> words, which it is not lawful for a man to utter.

1Pe 1:8 Whom having not seen, ye love; in whom, though now ye see *him* not, yet believing, ye rejoice with **joy unspeakable** and full of glory:

Dinner today – you're welcome to stay and won't have to pay; so what do you say After dinner message – "CRUCIFIED IN GALATIANS" this will cost you some time but you'll thank me later.

Monday at 4:45 Hiawatha Care Center – take time to by holy – pray please

Wed. at 5:30 Visitation

Wed. at 7:00 Bible study & Prayer

2 major points of last wks. study in Neh. 7 was "faithful" & "fear of God"

Missionary of the week: Ciesielczyk – Amazon

