OUTLINE OF EXODUS

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EXODUS 5:1--7:7

Pharaoh rejects Moses   5:1--14

Israel rejects Moses   5:15--21

Moses questions God's plan   5:22--23

The LORD reassures Moses   6:1--8

Moses reassures Israel   6:9

The LORD recommissions Moses   6:10--7:7

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Moses and Aaron with Pharaoh :1-5

Pharaoh with the taskmasters & officers :6-9

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Taskmasters with the slaves :13

Taskmasters with the officers :14

Officers with Pharaoh :15-19

Officers with Moses & Aaron :20-21

Moses with the LORD :22-23 (through 6:8)

What message was Moses to give to Pharaoh?

3:18   **"The LORD God of the Hebrews has met with us"**
5:1   *"Thus says the LORD God of Israel"*

3:18   **"and now please, let us go three days' journey"**
5:1   *"Let My people go . . ."*

{Note also 4:21-23}

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After Pharaoh's angry and arrogant reply, note the words which Moses spoke to Pharaoh:

3:18 **"The LORD God of the Hebrews has met with us"**
5:3   *"The God of the Hebrews has met with us"*

3:18   **"and now please, let us go three days' journey"**
5:3   *"Please, let us go three days' journey"*

Compare also:

3:18a   **"you and the elders . . . to the king"**
5:1a   *"Moses and Aaron went in . . ."*

The LORD reassures Moses   Exodus 6:1—8

"I AM"   "I Have"   "I Will"

I AM   v.1 (inference)---faithful, trustworthy.

                                My Word is true.

          vv. 2, 6, 7, 8   The LORD (HE IS)

          Cf. also v. 3---His Name: Yahweh

                    ---His covenant recipients:

                       the Patriarchs

I Have   vv. 4—5

      ---established My covenant (Abrahamic)

      ---heard the groaning of my people Israel

      ---remembered My covenant (Abrahamic)

I Will vv.6--8

--bring Israel out from under the burdens of Egypt

--rescue you from their (Egypt's) bondage

--redeem you with an outstretched arm and with
    great judgments
                  {REDEMPTION}

--take you as My people

--be your God
                {FELLOWSHIP}

--bring you into the land which I swore to give to
    Abraham, Isaac and Jacob

--give it (the land) to you as an heritage
              {GLORY}

Israel's Condition: Bondage, Slavery

The LORD's Purpose for His People:

EMANCIPATION: Set them free

SEPARATION: Take them out

POSSESSION: Bring them in