



Grace Assembly Of God

CHAPTER-BY-CHAPTER BIBLE READING DEVOTIONAL

Scripture:	Exodus 14	Title:	Red seas still part!
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Summary of Chapter	The Israelites were fleeing from their captives in Egypt. Pharaoh had initially allowed them to leave Egypt after the 10 plaques that God had sent on them. However, he had a change of mind and ordered the Israelites' recapture. As the advancing Egyptian army was giving chase, the Israelites were sandwiched between them and the Red sea. The people murmured against Moses and God, fearing for their lives. Moses at the direction from God raised his hand over the sea and the waters parted. The Israelites were able to cross over, and when the Egyptians pursued them, they were drowned when Moses stretched out this hand a second time causing the waters to come back down.		

Key Verse(s) NLT	How does it speak to me?
<i>¹³ But Moses told the people, "Don't be afraid. Just stand still and watch the LORD rescue you today. The Egyptians you see today will never be seen again. ¹⁴ The LORD himself will fight for you. Just stay calm."</i>	Have you ever been caught between a rock and a hard place, and the Lord came to your rescue? Several years back I had such a moment. My GP found a huge growth on my left thigh. From the MRI scan, it was diagnosed to be a huge malignant tumor that needed to be removed immediately. From the date of the prognosis to the actual surgery was just one week. It was a very difficult week. The surgeon said it was going to be a difficult surgery; one end of the tumor was pressing against my sciatic nerve and the other against a major artery. If the sciatic nerve was accidentally cut, I would have lost control of my leg or if the major artery was severed, I could have lost my leg. And if surgery wasn't done, well with all things malignant the end wasn't good. I cried out to God for help and deliverance. Praise God, it was a very successful surgery. An intercessor friend mentioned that at the time of surgery while she was interceding, she "saw" a pair of Hands helping the hands of the surgeon take out the whole tumor cleanly. A 4hr surgery became only 1 ½ hr. Indeed, God is our rescuer and deliverer.

APPLICATION REFLECTIONS

Adult:	The truth is we are not in total control of everything that happens to us. What then should your posture and thinking be in this reality?
Youth:	How can this statement "God is able to do all things" apply in your school life, your relationship with your peers and family when you are facing difficulties?
Child:	Who do you ask for help when you face very difficult problems? Why do you think no problem is too big for God?

PRAYER

Praying Scripture:	Thank You Lord for being our help and deliverer in times of great needs. Today we receive Your hand of intervention in our lives and difficulties. You are able to rescue and provide safety for us, we commit ourselves to you today, in Jesus' name. Amen.
Thanksgiving Prayer:	I/We thank you for _____ (e.g. delicious food we ate, places we went, prayer that was answered, etc)
Intercessory Prayer:	I/We want to pray for _____ (e.g. healing of sickness, family members, work or study, leaders, nation, etc)
Salvation Prayer:	I/We pray for the salvation of my/our unsaved loved ones _____ (add one name per day). In Jesus' Name I/we pray. Amen.