



Israel Is Delivered From Egypt

Exodus 15:1-5(NIV)

The Song of Moses and Miriam

1 Then Moses and the Israelites sang this song to the LORD:

**“I will sing to the LORD,
for he is highly exalted.**

**Both horse and driver
he has hurled into the sea.**

**2 “The LORD is my strength and my defense[a];
he has become my salvation.**

**He is my God, and I will praise him,
my father’s God, and I will exalt him.**

**3 The LORD is a warrior;
the LORD is his name.**

**4 Pharaoh’s chariots and his army
he has hurled into the sea.**

**The best of Pharaoh’s officers
are drowned in the Red Sea.[b]**

**5 The deep waters have covered them;
they sank to the depths like a stone.**

Exodus 15:19-26 (NIV)

**19 When Pharaoh’s horses, chariots and
horsemen[a] went into the sea, the LORD brought
the waters of the sea back over them, but the
Israelites walked through the sea on dry ground.**

**20 Then Miriam the prophet, Aaron’s sister, took a
timbrel in her hand, and all the women followed her,
with timbrels and dancing.**

21 Miriam sang to them:

**“Sing to the LORD,
for he is highly exalted.**

**Both horse and driver
he has hurled into the sea.”**

The Waters of Marah and Elim

**22 Then Moses led Israel from the Red Sea and they
went into the Desert of Shur. For three days they
traveled in the desert without finding water.**

23 When they came to Marah, they could not drink its water because it was bitter. (That is why the place is called Marah.[\[b\]](#))

24 So the people grumbled against Moses, saying, “What are we to drink?”

25 Then Moses cried out to the LORD, and the LORD showed him a piece of wood. He threw it into the water, and the water became fit to drink.

There the LORD issued a ruling and instruction for them and put them to the test.

26 He said, “If you listen carefully to the LORD your God and do what is right in his eyes, if you pay attention to his commands and keep all his decrees, I will not bring on you any of the diseases I brought on the Egyptians, for I am the LORD, who heals you.”