THE EXODUS

A Nation's Journey Out of Bondage

Lesson 4

Exodus 5:1-7:7 FAITH under AFFLICTION





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IGNORANCE IS NO SHIELD! 2 Thessalonians 1:8 | Acts 17:30, 31

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JUDGE NOT ACCORDING TO APPEARANCE! 2 Chron. 32:15-22 | Jn. 7:24

✓ Add extra burdens of business ✓ Add physical persecution

"A sower went out to sow his seed. And as he sowed, some fell by the wayside; and it was trampled down, and the birds of the air devoured it." LUKE 8:5

WAR AGAINST THE WORD

WAYSIDE (on but not in) Matt. 13:13-19 | Heb. 3:13-15 | Eph. 5:17 | Prov. 2:1-5 ROCKY (in but not down) Mk. 4:16, 17 | Exod. 6:8, 9 | Rom. 5:3, 4 THORNY (down but not up) Mk. 4:19 | 2 Tim. 4:10

Failed Dirt, Lk. 8:5-14

"But the ones that fell on the good ground are those who, having heard the word with a noble and good heart, keep it and bear fruit with patience."

Good Dirt, Lk. 8:15