August 17, 2025 – Questions to Discuss and Consider at Home or in Small Group "God Does His Work the Night of Passover" -- Exodus 12:29-42

Questions for Younger Ones (ages 5-12) to Answer from the Text:

- 1. When did the LORD strike down the firstborn in the land of Egypt (v. 29)?
- 2. How did the Egyptians react when they awakened on that night (v. 30b)?
- 3. What was Pharaoh's response to this judgment (vv. 31-32)?
- 4. How did the Egyptian people respond to this judgment (v. 33)?
- 5. What did the people of Israel request from the Egyptians before they left? Why? (vv. 35-36)?
- 6. How many Israelites left Egypt (v. 37)?
- 7. Who else besides Israelites left Egypt (v. 38)?
- 8. Why did the Israelites eat unleavened bread on that day (v. 39)?
- 9. How long had Israel been in the land of Egypt when they left (v. 40)?
- 10. What day did the Israelites leave Egypt? What was special about this night (vv. 41-42)?

Questions for Reflection and Discussion:

- 11. Based on the number given in verse 37, how many people would you estimate left Egypt under Moses?
- 12. How does God's work in Passover demonstrate His control? Does this indicate anything about how *comprehensive* God's control over life is? If so, how?
- 13. In what ways is God partial? In what ways is God impartial?
- 14. What determines your worth in your own eyes?
- 15. What conveys standing and importance to people in this world? Is social position and rank a bad thing? If not, when is it good? When is it bad?
- 16. How should a Christian's social position in the Church be viewed? Who should be esteemed? Should officers be more exalted than non-officers?
- 17. How was the death of the firstborn in Egypt a matter of justice?
- 18. Who comprised the "mixed multitude" (v. 38) that left Egypt with the children of Israel?
- 19. Can those outside of God's covenant be saved? Explain.
- 20. How is the Lord Jesus both our Passover and the Firstborn?