



Questions for Further Study

2nd June 2024

Exodus 19:1-25

Meeting with God

1. Give examples of when God has met with you in the desert places of your life. What made the encounter so memorable?
2. (v4) Reflect on God's faithfulness both to you and the church. Why is this exercise important?
3. Read v8 and 32:1-6. The Israelites made a promise to surrender to God, but within days went against that promise. Why do you think they became disobedient? How can we stop ourselves from becoming like them in attitude and deed?
4. (v10-11) What does it mean to be consecrated (set apart) and holy people? What is the difference between the Israelites and us? Do you feel worthy to stand in God's presence?
5. Read v16-19 slowly. Imagine you are one of the Israelites. How would you feel at this point? What does it mean to fear God? Do you think we forget God's awesome power and holiness? Why/Why not?
6. Find scriptures that talk about how privileged we are to meet with God. (*e.g. Luke 11: 5-10, Heb 10:19, Eph 2:18, Eph 3:12, .*) How can we stop ourselves from taking this for granted? Spend time thanking God for sacrificing his son and sending the Holy Spirit to us.