

SERMON GUIDE

FEAR AND ANXIETY

Exodus 14:10-31

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The Conversation Guide is a great tool for individuals, families, discipleship groups and Missional Communities to take a deeper, more personal dive into the content of the current sermon series. The Conversation Guide will be posted by every Friday on the 'live' page of our website and in our weekly newsletter. We encourage you to use it this week on your own, around your dinner tables, over coffee with your friends or in your faith groups!

The Conversation Guide is built on the SOAP model, which is a tool you can use when reading the Bible. SOAP helps you be intentional about paying attention to:

Scripture that stands out to you while you read

Observations about the verse or phrases that stood out to you

Application that connect the verses to your real life and relationships

Prayers that invites God to participate in your life and provide power to follow him

Conversation Questions

Note About Our Study: This study has more observations questions than a normal SOAP study. It follows the questions that were shared on the cards on Sunday. For the sake of time, try to answer the questions quickly, and keep the conversation going!

Read Exodus 14:10-31

- S** What do you love most about what you just read? What verses, phrases, or words stand out to you as you read these scriptures? Is anything jumping off the page and affecting your spirit?
- O** What emotions are the characters in this story experiencing?
- O** What is this emotion revealing about their hearts? What do they fear, love, and worship?
- O** What patterns of thought is this situation revealing? Where do their minds immediately go when they see the enemy approaching?
 - What is actually true?
 - How is God drawing near to them right now?
 - How could this situation have drawn them closer to God? What would a godly response look like?
- A** If God had written this passage just for you, what words, phrases or ideas would he have underlined specifically for you? What did you need to hear most? Why?
- A** When you face situations that seem impossible, like the Israelites trapped at the Red Sea, what fears or doubts tend to arise? How can remembering God's power and faithfulness help you trust Him more fully in those moments?
- P** Talk to God about your application responses above. Ask him to speak to you, help you, forgive you, and provide direction that you need.