

Exodus Chapters 13-14: Parting The Red Sea

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The foundational expression of God's work came to dramatic fruition when God decisively led his people through the Red Sea, releasing them from Egypt's tyrannical hold. The God who had separated the waters of chaos and created dry land, the God who had brought Noah's family through the deluge to dry land, "divided" the waters of the Red Sea and led Israel across on "dry ground".

We may wonder practically how this occurred. It is a wonder. And yet, wonders are all around us. Around the lunar eclipse of the blood moon, ABC News reported that "Blood Moon Parties" were popping up all over the country, and science teacher Gene Ireland called the blood moon eclipse "a wonder of nature."

As Christians, we believe in a God of wonder. We believe in a God who parted the Red Sea, a savior who walked on water, and a Holy Spirit who lives in us.

In Exodus, God's story of creation and redemption continues as he leads his people through the Red Sea. Moses, Aaron, and others work hard. Yet God is the real worker.