



## Pod Bible Reflection Questions for the week of 10/2/16

### Exodus 12:1-13; 13:1-8

#### Follow Up on Last Week's Response

1. How will you fulfill the Great Commission this week and beyond? Who can disciple you or who can you disciple?
2. How will you respond to this passage in your relationship with God (Up)? In your relationship with those in the church (In)? Or, in your relationship with those outside the church (Out)?

#### Read the Passage(s): Exodus 12:1-13; 13:1-8

#### Introduction

1. What does it mean for you to share a holiday meal with friends and family?
2. What do you do to remember important events in your life?

#### What Does it Say? (Context? Who? What? Where? How? Why? When?)

1. What did God do to Israel's calendar? What does this signify? (12:1-13)
2. What sacrifice was required and what was done with the sacrifice? (12:3-9)
3. Describe this special meal and how it was to be eaten. Notice all the details. (12:8-11)
4. What does Passover specifically refer to? What led to this terrible event? (12:11-13)
5. Where is Israel in Exodus 13? (13:3)
6. What does God ask Israel to consecrate to Him? Why (consider what had just happened)? (13:1-2)
7. Why were the Israelites only to eat unleavened bread? (13:3; Dt. 16:3)
8. Why did God make this an annual festival? (13:6-10)

#### What Does it Mean?

1. Why did Moses and the Israelites, and Jesus and the disciples commemorate meals/feasts before the events even happened? What does that reveal about the Lord?
2. What did the Passover sacrifice foreshadow or point to? (Luke 22:15-20)
3. Why is it important to God for us to remember the things he does for us? How can we do that?
4. Why does God give such detailed instructions to His people? What does that reveal about Him?
5. What can we personally do to honor God and commemorate what He has done for us?

#### What Will We Do?

1. How will I remember and commemorate a significant thing God has done for me?
2. How will you respond to this passage in your relationship with God (Up)? In your relationship with those in the church (In)? Or, in your relationship with those outside the church (Out)?

#### Pray Together about What God is Inviting Us to Do