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# **LESSON 14 EXODUS 8:16-32**

| 1. | In Ex 8:16, what is the command from Jehovah and to whom?  |
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|    | • The account of this wonder is different from the previous two. It also is the beginning of a pattern in the accounting of each third wonder, i.e., the 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 6 <sup>th</sup> , and 9 <sup>th</sup> . What seems to be missing? |
| 2. | In v17, what is the result and to what extent?   |
| 3. | V18 details another change. What is the difference with the magicians?   |
| 4. | To what conclusion do the magicians come, in v19?  |
|    | <ul> <li>In light of question 1, what does this account possibly tell us about the<br/>presentation of the wonder?</li> </ul>  |
|    | Do the magicians now believe?  |
|    | How is Pharaoh affected?   |
| 5. | The introduction of the account of the 4 <sup>th</sup> wonder is very similar to the introduction of the 1st? What happens in v20?   |
| 6. | What will God do and to what extent in v21?  |

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| 7.  | What is the stated change that Jehovah declares in vv22-23 and for what purpose and when?   |
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| 8.  | V24 gives the account of the execution of Jehovah's promise. What is the result?  |
| 9.  | <ul> <li>In v25, we see the impact upon Pharaoh. Vv25-29 tells of the interaction between Pharaoh and Moses.</li> <li>How does Pharaoh relent and how much?</li> <li>How does Moses respond to Pharaoh's command?</li> <li>What is Pharaoh's response and what does it say about his acceptance of Moses appeal/assertion?</li> <li>What is Moses' response to this?</li> <li>What do we start to see about Moses' understanding of Pharaoh's character?</li> </ul> |
| 10. | We have just seen Moses' suspicion of Pharaoh's character. How does Moses follow up to what he had promised? What did Jehovah do?   |
| 11. | What do we see repeated about Pharaoh?  |
|     | What does this possibly say about how Pharaoh sees Moses and Jehovah?   |

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# **CONTEMPLATION**

| 12. | We continue to see the consequences of Pharaoh's hardness of heart. Is it fair that Jehovah takes this out upon the Egyptian people? |
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| 13. | Does God always make a separation between His people and those who reject Him? In what ways is this true or not?                     |
| 14. | How does someone else's adverse actions impact you keeping your promises?  |