

Sermon Title: **God's *HESED* to Those in Rebellion**

Sermon Text: Psalm 107:17-22

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Sermon Notes:

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QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION

Read **1 Corinthians 10:1-11**. The *ESV Study Bible* explains:

“Because of their disobedience and grumbling against God, the Israelite generation that experienced God’s miraculous deliverance from Egypt and his provision of bread and water did not see the Promised Land. (See Num. 14:22-23, 29, 37; 26:64-65) Though they had seen many of God’s miracles, only a few had genuine faith. (See Heb. 3:16-19; 4:2)”

Ultimately, what was the reason that God was not pleased with so many of the wandering Israelites? (Consider **Hebrews 3:16—4:2**)

In his sermon this past Sunday, Pastor Wade spoke about those returning exiles who were so foolish that they continued to live in sin despite experiencing pain and suffering. Do you know someone who resembles that? Are you that person?

According to **1 Corinthians 10:1-11**, what were the consequences that the Israelites endured as a result of their sin?

Read **1 Corinthians 10:6** again. Why did God allow these things to happen? How should this affect our understanding of *HESED*?

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In the previous study, we considered the consequences of rebellion as found in **1 Corinthians 10**. In that same passage, we also discover some safeguards against rebellion. Read **1 Corinthians 10:1-13**.

Starting in **verse 7**, this passage lays out some precautionary steps that every believer can take to safeguard their spiritual walk. For each verse below, identify the precautionary step and explain why it's important.

Verse 7**Verse 8****Verse 9****Verse 10**

What does **verse 11** say concerning the purpose for allowing those people to do all the things that they did?

What warning is offered in **verse 12** concerning one's ability to stand in the face of temptation?

What promise is given in **verse 13** that simultaneously brings joy and peace to a believer's heart while giving them no excuse for failing to withstand temptations?

Have you been in a situation where you were facing temptation when God provided a "way of escape" from your temptation? How did it make you feel when to watch God's hand at work in that?