Wandering, But Not Lost!
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It’s not where we planned to be, but it’s where we are. God is in control!

Exodus 13:17-22

God didn’t lead them by the most convenient way. God let His presence be seen by the people both day and night so that they would know He was constantly near them.

Psalm 139:7-12

Numbers 10:11-13, 33-36

Imagine how it felt to see the cloud lift and know that the Lord would be leading them to a new place after more than a year camped at Sinai.

Deuteronomy 8

It is in the wilderness that our hearts are truly revealed. Will we be faithful? Will we trust God and rely on Him? Will we look to His strength and be humble or will we rely on our own strength?

1 Corinthians 10:1-11

temptation vs. test
James 1:13,14

Judges 3:1,2

Proverbs 17:17

Questions

How could the Israelites see that God was with them at all times? (Exodus 13:22)

How do we know that God is always with us?

The Israelites are expected to follow God even though they don’t know where they are going. How confident are you in being led by God? (Numbers 10:35,36)

How does out time in the wilderness make us more dependent on God? (Deuteronomy 8:2,3)

What good will God do for us in the end if we are faithful to the end? (Deuteronomy 8:16,17)

What opportunities are there to demonstrate love during the present situation?