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Drawn Out



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- 2. Faith vs fear
- 3. Grace-dependent vs self-dependent



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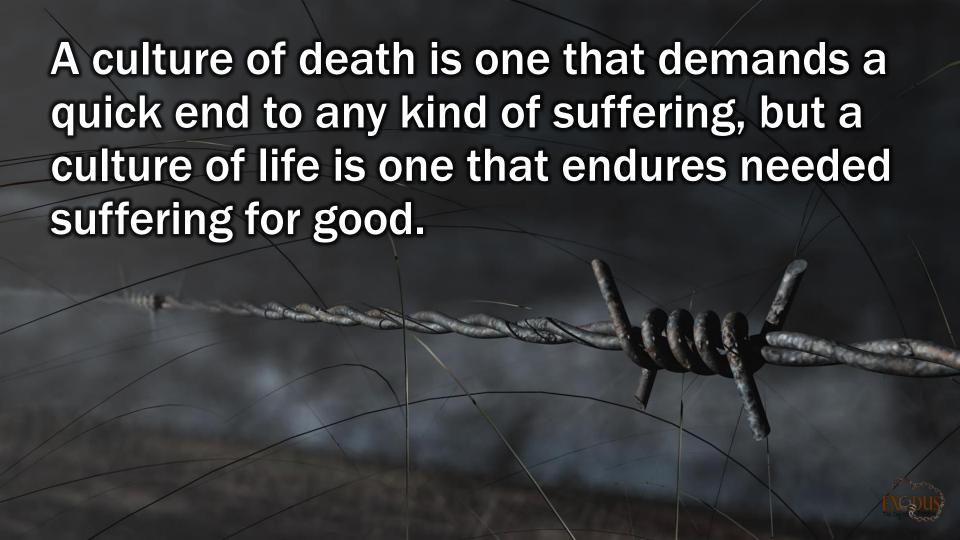
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Exodus 2:1-2

Now a man from the house of Levi went and took as his wife a Levite woman. ² The woman conceived and bore a son, and when she saw that he was a fine child, she hid him three months.





Romans 8:15

For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, <u>but</u> you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!"



Just as we have been spiritually adopted into God's family that we may live, God calls his people to sacrificially adopt needy children into our families that they too may live.



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When she could hide him no longer, she took for him a basket made of bulrushes and daubed it with bitumen and pitch. She put the child in it and placed it among the reeds by the river bank.



And his sister stood at a distance to know what would be done to him.



Hebrews 11:23

By faith Moses, when he was born, was hidden for three months by his parents, because they saw that the child was beautiful, and they were not afraid of the king's edict.



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Then his sister said to Pharaoh's daughter, "Shall I go and call you a nurse from the Hebrew women to nurse the child for you?



And Pharaoh's daughter said to her, "Take this child away and nurse him for me, and I will give you your wages."...





Fear does not bring you to the final destination that God intends for you. It is faith that brings you there.

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...She named him Moses, "Because," she said, "I drew him out of the water."





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Matthew 7:11

If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father who is in heaven give good things to those who ask him!

Luke **18:6-7**

6...Hear what the <u>unrighteous judge</u> says. ⁷And <u>will not God give justice to his elect</u>, who cry to him day and night?



If the daughter of an evil king would show compassion and risk her life to save a baby from his father's unrighteous wrath, how much more would the Son of the holy God show compassion and lose his life to save his chosen people from his Father's righteous wrath?

