Exodus 5-6: Freedom part 5

God's plan includes hardship

- 1. God allows our circumstances to become burdensome.
 - a. We become burdened with unmet human expectations.
 - b. We become burdened when the situation worsens.
 - c. We become burdened when we are <u>blamed for the situation</u>.
- 2. God uses these burdens to encourage dependance in Him alone.
 - a. We will be tempted to pursue carnal coping strategies for relief.
 - b. God desires for us to verbalize our despondency.
 - c. God will teach us to wait upon Him for relief.
- 3. God uses our dependence on Him to reveal His plan.
 - a. God liberates us from sin to Worship Him.
 - b. God <u>redeems us</u> so that we are now <u>His possession</u>.
 - c. God adopts us so that we are part of His family.
 - d. God grants us the blessing of an inheritance for our completion.
