

**Walk the (Covid-19) Wilderness with Moses, pt 10:
Crossing Our Red Seas
Exodus 14:10-31**

Red Seas and the issue of fear

**Fear challenges our faith more quickly than we often
imagine (14:10-15)**

Tests

Reality: a prior oppressor advancing would cause
anyone fear.

The Process:

Cry to the Lord

Blast Moses

Losing sight of the truth

Reality: Fear undermines faith

A natural response to the unexpected.

Problem: unchecked, fear undermines faith

Caution/challenge

An alternative perspective

How does faith triumph? (14:13-14)

Get out of the jello.

Get out of the way.

A blast at Christian humanism

Short version: shut up and watch God work

Get moving.

Fear often brings paralysis and even retreat

Who says going back to what was is certainly
better than what will be?

The Way of Deliverance is the way of faith. (14:16-27)

Crossing our Red Seas requires trust and action.

Lesson learned (14:28-31)

Crossing our Red Seas is not in us, it is the work
of God in and through us.

Trust triumphs over timidity when we follow God's
words and ways.