

“APPLYING SACRED HISTORY IN BLESSING THE LORD”
PSALM 103:6-12

I. WE ARE TOLD SPECIFICALLY WHAT TO LOOK FOR AS WE CAST OUR EYE UPON ALL THE PEOPLE OF GOD (103:6)

A. The Display Of God’s Righteous Determinations Toward Anyone Who May Have Been Oppressed

B. God Judicially Weighs in Favor Of All Who Have Been Wrongly Pressed Down

II. WE ARE TURNED BACK TO THE SACRED HISTORY OF GOD’S PEOPLE IN THE INSPIRED RECORD (103:7-9)

A. Focus On The Last Third Of Moses’ Life (103:7-8)

1. We Immediately Think Of The Exodus & In Particularly The Crossing Of The Red Sea

2. Two Passages Are Particularly Instructive Per The Context
a. Moses’ Intercession For Obstinate People (Exodus 33)
b. Moses With God In The Cloud At Sinai (Exodus 34)

B. Focus On The Psalmists Conclusion Regarding God’s Prior Gracious Track Record (103:9)

1. Even When God Does Display His Anger Toward His Own, There Is Always A Light At The End Of The Tunnel

2. Numbers 14 Provides An Excellent Illustration

III. WE MUST LEARN TO DRAW OUR OWN APPROPRIATE CONCLUSIONS ONCE WE’VE SURVEYED THE HISTORICAL FACTS (103:10-12)

A. He Has Not Dealt With Us As We Deserve (103:10)

B. He’s Done So Much More Than That (103:11-12)