

*Use the following thoughts and questions to have one spiritual conversation. You can pick and choose, use them all, or just allow the statement to be your guide. The emphasis shouldn't be about having all the answers, but simply having a conversation.*

**Scripture**

Exodus 2:23–3:15,16-17

**1. Opening Statement**

*Begin your conversation by asking about this main point:*

**God sees the suffering of the oppressed and promises redemption.**

This main point is the biblical truth the student's study was built around. Each week there will be one statement that ties the whole study together. These would be great statements to remember together. The hope is that thoughts and ideas will stem from these statements. You can also begin by sharing a thought of your own that you learned during your study of the same session. Ask what thoughts were surprising as the study was taught.

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**2. Thought From the Study**

When the people cried out, God heard them. God also saw their oppression, and the writer says that God took notice of the situation (Exodus 2:24-25). God heard. God saw. God knew. God's attentive nature is revealed throughout Scripture. God's people can cry out to their God and trust that He hears them and cares about their situation.

► **How does it encourage you to know that God hears the cries of the oppressed?**

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**3. Quote for Discussion**

*Discuss this quote together. How does this change your understanding of a relationship with Jesus?*

**“God is grieved by the sin, death, and power of hell that afflicts His world, and is sacrificially involved in the removal of all that destroys and alienates His world from Himself.” –Joshua Ryan Butler, *The Skeletons in God's Closet***

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**4. Conversation Questions**

*Use these questions to begin thinking through and applying the lessons to your family life:*

- 1. How can our family make sure we are paying attention to the injustice and oppression in our world so that God can work through us?**
- 2. What are some ways our family can increase our sense of reverence for God?**
- 3. What excuses have we made in the past for not serving God? What is one way we can commit to serving Him as a family this week?**