



# Manna in the Wilderness

**Daily Bread from God**

Exodus 16 · Ages 8-12 · Free ₹0

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## Read, wonder, talk

Enjoy eight short chapters. Look up the Bible references with an adult. Pause when something surprises you. Finish with the questions and your creative activity.

## About this edition

Original retelling and layout prepared for Christ Alive Church, Bengaluru. The text summarises the biblical passages; it is not a Bible translation. New cover illustration created with AI.

To print a folded A5 book, select Booklet in your PDF viewer, use A4 paper and double-sided printing. Check the printer preview before printing.

CHAPTER 01

# A Hungry Camp

**Exodus 16:1-3**

In the wilderness, the Israelites became hungry and complained to Moses and Aaron.



Pause and notice: what changes in this part of the story?

CHAPTER 02

# God Hears

Exodus 16:4

God promised bread from heaven and used the gift to teach His people trust.



Pause and notice: what changes in this part of the story?

CHAPTER 03

# Quail at Evening

**Exodus 16:11-13**

That evening quail came to the camp. God provided food for the people.



Pause and notice: what changes in this part of the story?

CHAPTER 04

# Bread in the Morning

Exodus 16:13-15

In the morning a fine flaky thing covered the ground. Moses called it bread from the Lord.



Pause and notice: what changes in this part of the story?

CHAPTER 05

# Gather Enough

Exodus 16:16-18

Each family gathered what was needed. No one had too little and no one had too much.



Pause and notice: what changes in this part of the story?

CHAPTER 06

# One Day at a Time

Exodus 16:19-21

Food kept overnight spoiled, except before the Sabbath. God was teaching daily dependence.



Pause and notice: what changes in this part of the story?

CHAPTER 07

# A Double Portion

Exodus 16:22-26

On the sixth day they gathered double so they could rest on the Sabbath.



Pause and notice: what changes in this part of the story?

CHAPTER 08

# Remember God's Care

Exodus 16:32-36

Moses kept some manna as a reminder. God's care in the desert was worth remembering.



Pause and notice: what changes in this part of the story?

# Think together

**1. What did the people worry about?**

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**2. What did God provide each morning?**

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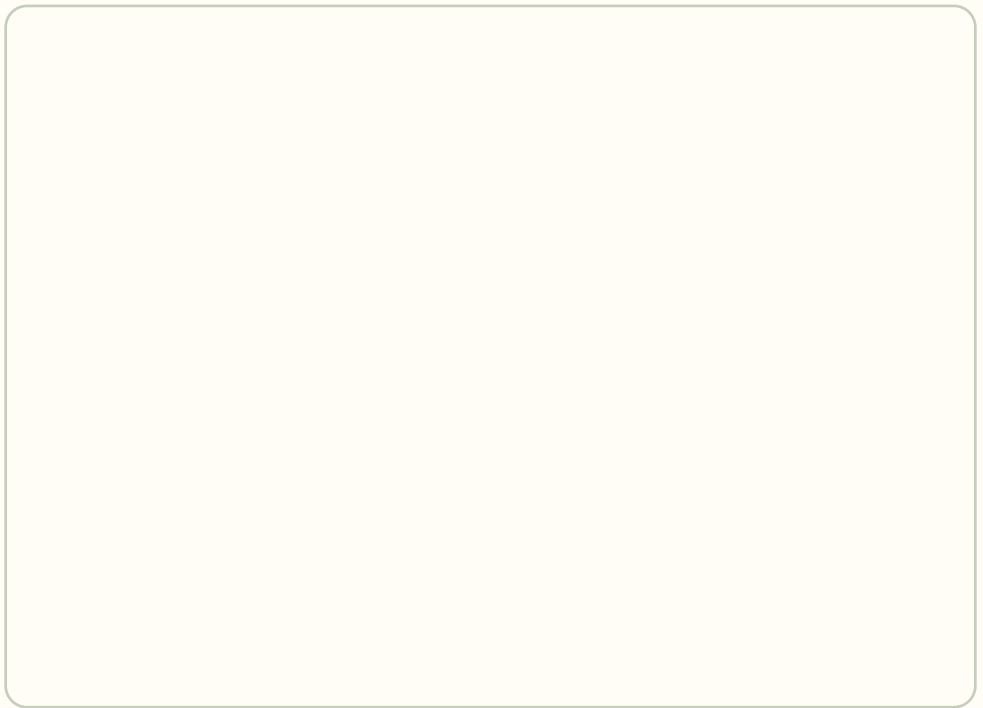
**3. Why did God teach them to gather daily?**

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# Make it your own

Draw a basket of manna. Around it write seven everyday gifts you can thank God for.



## A little prayer

Thank God for what you learned. Ask Him to help you live with love, wisdom and courage today.