



1. We still face the same old temptation
2. We still face the same serious consequences for sin
3. We still have the same gracious provision from God...only ours is even better

#1:

Exodus 16:3

Would that we had died by the hand of the LORD in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the meat pots and ate bread to the full, for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill the whole assembly with hunger.

#2:

“In Egypt, such a pole or standard was a recognized symbol of a deity’s power... The transfixed serpent on the standard thus demonstrated in visual terms the defeat of Israel’s mortal enemies, Egypt and Satan, overcome by the power of the Lord.”

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#3:

John 3:14-15

And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in Him may have eternal life.