in a Broken World

# The Good Life Only Comes from God

- everything he does shows he has good intentions
- but his people don't believe his goodness; they think something else will give them a better life
  - they're looking through distorted lenses
  - like them, you also forget what sin costs, but remember what it offers
- then you grumble
  - because what you want seems so reasonable
  - you just have to think badly of God in order to get it

## Here Comes the Glory of God

- his glory is linked to destroying his enemies (Exodus 14:17-18)
- but it provides life for his people
  - to test them in order to teach them to trust him
- God is committed to patiently, persistently, relentlessly teaching you to trust him more than you trust anything else

## Jesus Learned Obedience through Suffering

Son though he was, he learned obedience from what he suffered Hebrews 5:8

### and became the source of life for his people

I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty ... everyone who looks to the Son and believes in him shall have eternal life, and I will raise them up at the last day.

John 6:35-40

#### but still, many grumbled ... but not all

Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and to know that you are the Holy One of God."

John 6:68-69