

EPISODE NO. 62

Exo. 11:4-7

The Death of the Firstborn

4 Then Moses said, “This is what the Always-Present One says: ‘Toward midnight, I will move in throughout Egypt. 5 All the firstborn ones in the land of Egypt will die! This means the firstborn son of Pharaoh (who sits upon his throne), the firstborn sons of all slave-women (who sit grinding grain), and all of the firstborn of the animals. 6 There will be a tremendous outcry throughout the whole land of Egypt. There has never been such a thing, and there never will be anything like it! 7 However, not even a dog will growl at anything (human or animal) of the sons of Israel. Why? So that you may understand that the Always-Present One CAN make a distinction between Egyptians and the sons of Israel.”