

# Exodus 10:6

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

And they shall fill thy houses, and the houses of all thy servants, and the houses of all the Egyptians; which neither thy fathers, nor thy fathers' fathers have seen, since the day that they were upon the earth unto this day. And he turned himself, and went out from Pharaoh.

## Analysis

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Verse 6 describes the locust plague, targeting Osiris (agriculture god) and Isis (grain goddess). Moses warns locusts will 'cover the face of the earth' and devour everything the hail left. Pharaoh's servants beg him to relent, recognizing Egypt's destruction.

## Historical Context

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Osiris ruled agriculture and resurrection, while Isis protected crops. Locusts were ancient Near Eastern terror, but this swarm's density exceeded natural plague. The total devastation left Egypt economically ruined.

## Related Passages

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**Romans 1:17** — The righteous shall live by faith

**James 2:17** — Faith and works

**Matthew 25:31** — Final judgment

**Revelation 20:12** — Judgment according to deeds

## Study Questions

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1. How does God demonstrate His power through natural means taken to supernatural extremes?
2. What does Pharaoh's servants' fear teach about recognizing God's hand in judgment?

## Interlinear Text

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וּמָלְאוּ	וּבֵתֵי י	וּבֵתֵי י	כָּל	עַבְדֶּיךָ		
And they shall fill	and the houses	and the houses	H3605	of all thy servants		
H4390	H1004	H1004		H5650		
וּבֵתֵי י	כָּל	מִצְרַיִם	אֲשֶׁר	לֹא	רָאוּ	אֲבֹתֵי יָךְ
and the houses	H3605	of all the Egyptians	H834	H3808	have seen	fathers
H1004		H4714			H7200	H1
אֲבֹתֵי יָךְ	אֲבֹתֵי יָךְ	הַיּוֹם	הַיּוֹמָם	עַל	הָאֲדָמָה	
fathers	fathers	since the day	H1961	H5921	that they were upon the earth	
H1	H1	H3117			H127	
עַד	הַיּוֹם	הַיּוֹם	וַיִּפֹּן	וַיֵּצֵא	מֵעַם	
H5704	since the day	H2088	And he turned	himself and went out	H5973	
	H3117		H6437	H3318		
פֶּרָעָה:						
from Pharaoh						
H6547						

## Additional Cross-References

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**Exodus 8:21** (References Egypt): Else, if thou wilt not let my people go, behold, I will send swarms of flies upon thee, and upon thy servants, and upon thy people, and into thy houses: and the houses of the Egyptians shall be full of swarms of flies, and also the ground whereon they are.

**Exodus 8:3** (Parallel theme): And the river shall bring forth frogs abundantly, which shall go up and come into thine house, and into thy bedchamber, and upon thy bed, and into the house of thy servants, and upon thy people, and into thine ovens, and into thy kneadingtroughs:

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