

# Exodus 11:1

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

And the LORD said unto Moses, Yet will I bring one plague more upon Pharaoh, and upon Egypt; afterwards he will let you go hence: when he shall let you go, he shall surely thrust you out hence altogether.

## Analysis

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God announces 'Yet will I bring one plague more upon Pharaoh,' the climactic tenth plague. The promise 'he shall surely thrust you out hence altogether' uses emphatic Hebrew—Pharaoh will drive Israel out completely. This plague will target Pharaoh himself as firstborn son of Ra.

## Historical Context

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Ancient Near Eastern firstborn sons inherited authority and blessing. Pharaoh, as Ra's firstborn, embodied divine succession. The coming plague strikes at Egypt's future, royal line, and theological foundation simultaneously.

## Related Passages

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**Psalm 19:1** — Heavens declare God's glory

**Genesis 1:1** — Creation of heavens and earth

## Study Questions

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1. How does this final plague differ from the previous nine in scope and target?

2. What does the progression from Nile to firstborn teach about escalating judgment?

## Interlinear Text

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וַיֹּאמֶר	וְאֵלֶיךָ מֹשֶׁה	וְעַד	וְעַד	וְעַד	וְאַתָּה
<b>said</b>	<b>And the LORD</b>	H413	<b>unto Moses</b>	H5750	<b>plague</b>
H559	H3068		H4872		H259
אֶתְכֶם	פְּרָעָה	וְעַל	מִצְרַיִם	אֶתְכֶם	כִּי
<b>Yet will I bring</b>	<b>more upon Pharaoh</b>	H5921	H5921	<b>and upon Egypt</b>	<b>afterwards</b>
H935	H6547		H4714		H3651
כִּי	בְּכָל	בְּכָל	בְּכָל	בְּכָל	בְּכָל
he will let you go	he will let you go	H853	he will let you go	hence altogether	
H7971		H2088	H7971		H3617
יְגַנֵּשׁ	אַתָּה	יְגַנֵּשׁ	מִזְרָחָה	יְגַנֵּשׁ	
<b>he shall surely</b>	<b>he shall surely</b>	H853	H2088		
H1644	H1644				

## Additional Cross-References

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**Genesis 15:14** (Parallel theme): And also that nation, whom they shall serve, will I judge: and afterward shall they come out with great substance.

**Leviticus 26:21** (Parallel theme): And if ye walk contrary unto me, and will not hearken unto me; I will bring seven times more plagues upon you according to your sins.

**Exodus 3:20** (References Egypt): And I will stretch out my hand, and smite Egypt with all my wonders which I will do in the midst thereof: and after that he will let you go.

**Exodus 9:14** (Parallel theme): For I will at this time send all my plagues upon thine heart, and upon thy servants, and upon thy people; that thou mayest know that there is none like me in all the earth.

**Deuteronomy 4:34** (References Lord): Or hath God assayed to go and take him a nation from the midst of another nation, by temptations, by signs, and by wonders, and by war, and by a mighty hand, and by a stretched out arm, and by great terrors, according to all that the LORD your God did for you in Egypt before your eyes?

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