

God made the wild animals of the earth of every kind, and the cattle of every kind, and everything that creeps upon the ground of every kind. And God saw that it was good.

Genesis 1:25



Paradise

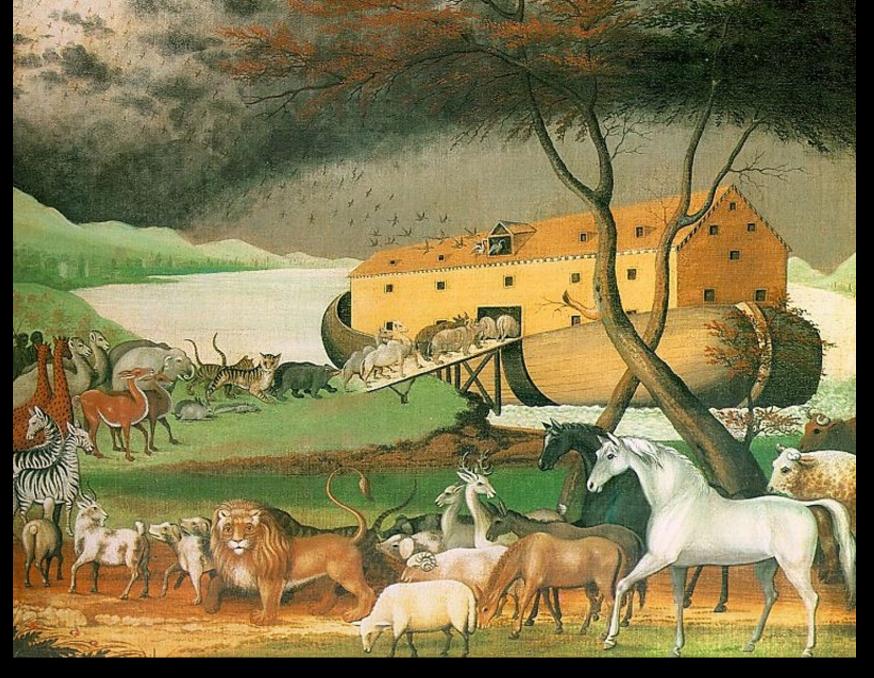
Jan Brueghel Gemaldegalerie Berlin, Germany O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good ... who spread out the earth on the waters, for his steadfast love endures forever;

Psalm 136:1a, 6



Bayou Baptism -- Lauren Wright Pittman

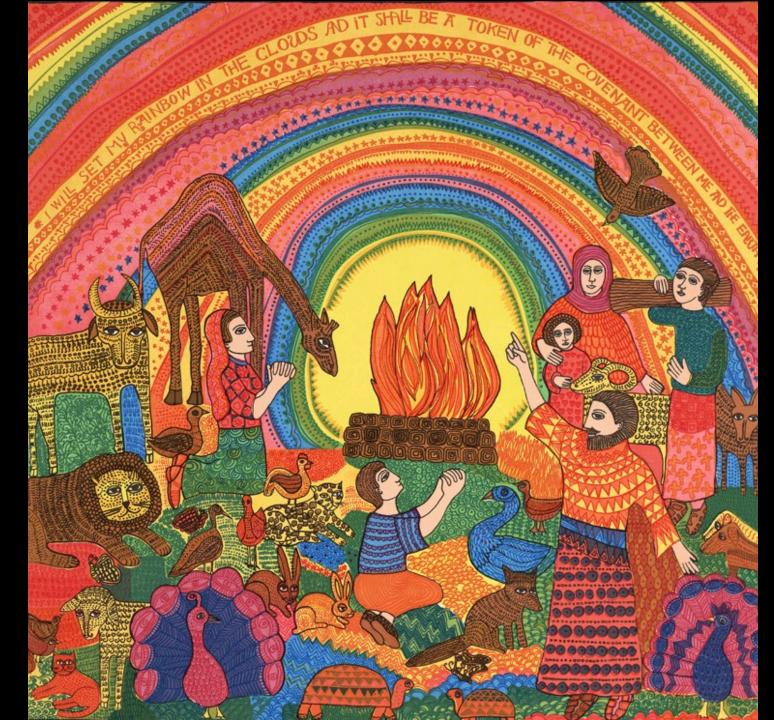
"Bring out with you every living thing that is with you of all flesh--birds and animals and every creeping thing that creeps on the earth--so that they may abound on the earth, and be fruitful and multiply on the earth."



Noah's Ark -- Edward Hicks, Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia, PA

I have set my bow in the clouds, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between me and the earth.

Genesis 9:13



Rainbow

John August Swanson "Take your son, your only son Isaac, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah, and offer him there as a burnt offering on one of the mountains that I shall show you."

Genesis 22:2



Sacrifice of Isaac -- Washington Cathedral, Washington, DC

When they came to the place that God had shown him, Abraham built an altar there and laid the wood in order. He bound his son Isaac, and laid him on the altar, on top of the wood.

Genesis 22:9



Bet Alfa Synagogue 5th century floor mosaic -- Bet Alfa, Israel

But the angel of the LORD called to him from heaven, and said ... "Do not lay your hand on the boy or do anything to him; for now I know that you fear God ..."

Genesis 22:11a, 12a



Sacrifice of Isaac – Caravaggio, Uffizi Gallery, Florence, Italy

You show me the path of life. In your presence there is fullness of joy;

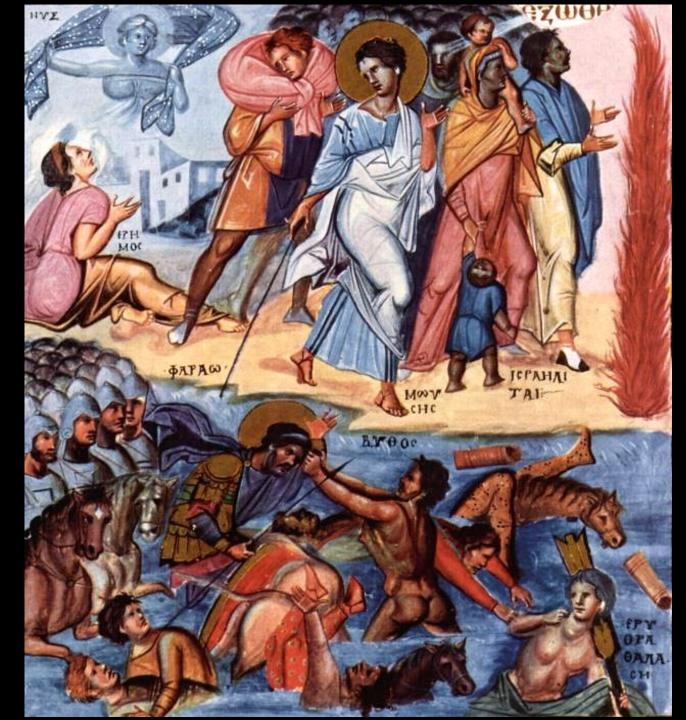
Psalm 16:11a



Joyful Mountain Landscape -- Paul Klee, Yale University Art Gallery, New Haven, CT

Then the LORD said to Moses, "Stretch out your hand over the sea, so that the water may come back upon the Egyptians, upon their chariots and chariot drivers."

Exodus 14:26



Crossing the Red Sea, Paris Psalter

Bibliothèque Nationale Paris, France Then the prophet Miriam, Aaron's sister, took a tambourine in her hand; "Sing to the LORD, for he has triumphed gloriously; horse and rider he has thrown into the sea."

Exodus 15:20a, 21b



Miriam

Dormition Church Mt. Zion, Jerusalem In your steadfast love you led the people whom you redeemed; you guided them by your strength to your holy abode.

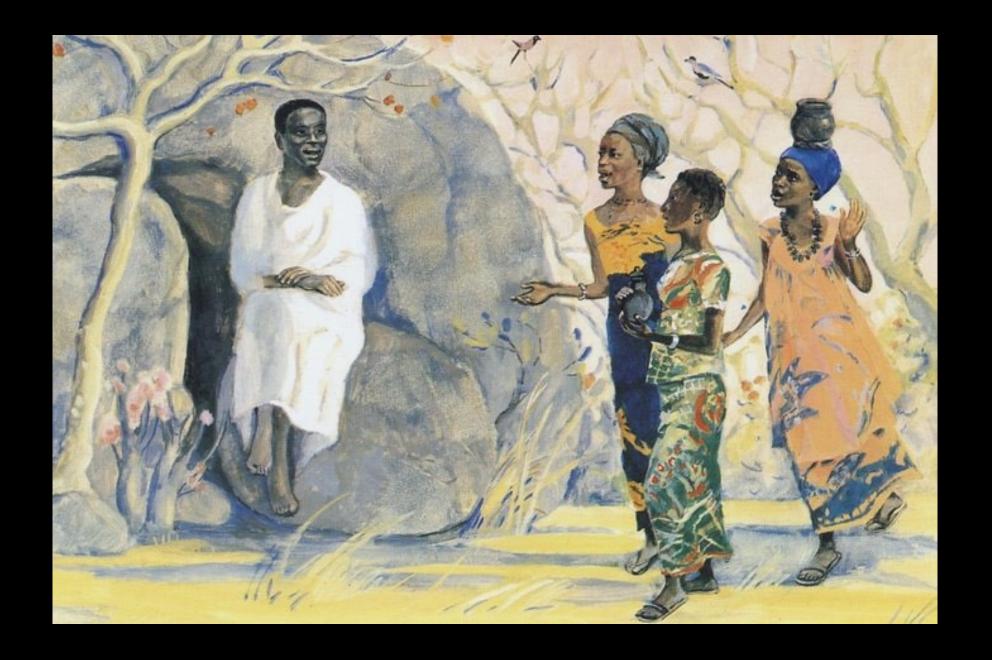
Exodus 15:13



The Immigrant's Ship -- John Dollman, Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide, Australia

But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised ...

Matthew 28:5, 6a



Empty Tomb -- JESUS MAFA, Cameroon

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