

# TakeNote

From Here to There

Pastor Shawn Thornton — Weekend of May 19–20, 2018

## The Land in Between — Exodus 13:17–22

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*When we are journeying through the uncertainty of the land in between, we can trust the future we do not know to the God we do know.*

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*10 things we must embrace about the uncertainty of the land in between:*

- 1. Ignorance can be a good thing.**
- 2. God knows our capacity better than we do.**
- 3. Future troubles can be expected, just not anticipated.**
- 4. Wrestling with uncertainty throughout a faith journey is nothing new.**
- 5. Following the guidance God gives to us right now takes us to the place God has for us some day.**
- 6. The more we yield to God's providence, the more we grow in our perseverance.**
- 7. As things get messier, we should lean into God more — not less.**

- 8. What we had before will never be as good as what God has for us ahead.**
  - 9. When God's extraordinary blessings become our ordinary stuff, a critical spirit easily replaces a grateful heart.**
  - 10. The central issue is not "IF we can" but "HOW God will."**
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*Are you ready to trust the future you do not know  
to the God you do know?*