

## **Demonstration of Miracle at the Red Sea**

*Exodus 14*

The Lord protected the children of Israel as they left Egypt and made their way to the land of Canaan. The miracle at the Red Sea was one of many. Here is a simple way to demonstrate how “wind” can divide the water to make “dry land”.

### **Materials:**

large pan (9” x 13” or larger)  
optional: blue food coloring

### **Procedure:**

1. Cover the bottom of the pan with water, but do not fill it very full (or it won't work).
2. Add blue food coloring to the water if desired.
3. Read Exodus 14:21 aloud:

“Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea; and the Lord cause the sea to go back by a strong east wind all that night, and made the sea into dry land, and the waters were divided.”

4. Turn on the blow dryer and direct the air onto the water so that it parts down the middle.
5. If you have diorama figures, you might want to move one of the figures across the “Red Sea”.
6. Talk about how strong the wind must have been to make dry land for all of the Israelites to cross over. Imagine crossing the Red Sea with a wall of water on either side of you!