

God Is Our Banner – Exodus 17:8-16  
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In war, a banner was displayed in a visible location as a rallying point for the soldiers. After the Israelite's first encounter with open warfare, Moses realized that the LORD Himself was their Banner. God was their Rallying Point in at least three glorious ways:

1. God was their *encouragement* from the past.
2. God was their *strength* in the present.
3. God was their *hope* for the future.