The God Who Chooses – Exodus 19:1-6 Greg Stiekes, Pastor

In this chapter, the children of Israel finally reach the foot of Mt. Sinai where they will enter into a special covenant with their God. But first, the LORD reminds them that they were specially chosen by Him to be His people. This unique relationship they share with the LORD as His "chosen ones" (1 Chron 16:13) is marked by several important qualities:

- 1. The quality of submission: *If you will indeed obey My voice*... (5)
- The quality of possession: You will be a special treasure to Me... (5)
- The quality of admission: You shall be to Me a kingdom of priests... (6)
- 4. The quality of consecration: *You shall be...a holy nation.* (6)