

Exd 14:27 And Moses stretched forth his hand over the sea, and the sea returned to his strength when the morning appeared; and the Egyptians fled against it; and the LORD overthrew the Egyptians in the midst of the sea.

Exd 14:28 And the waters returned, and covered the chariots, and the horsemen, [and] all the host of Pharaoh that came into the sea after them; there remained not so much as one of them.

Exd 14:29 But the children of Israel walked upon dry [land] in the midst of the sea; and the waters [were] a wall unto them on their right hand, and on their left.

Exd 14:30 Thus the LORD saved Israel that day out of the hand of the Egyptians; and Israel saw the Egyptians dead upon the sea shore.

Exd 14:31 And Israel saw that great work which the LORD did upon the Egyptians: and the people feared the LORD, and believed the LORD, and his servant Moses.

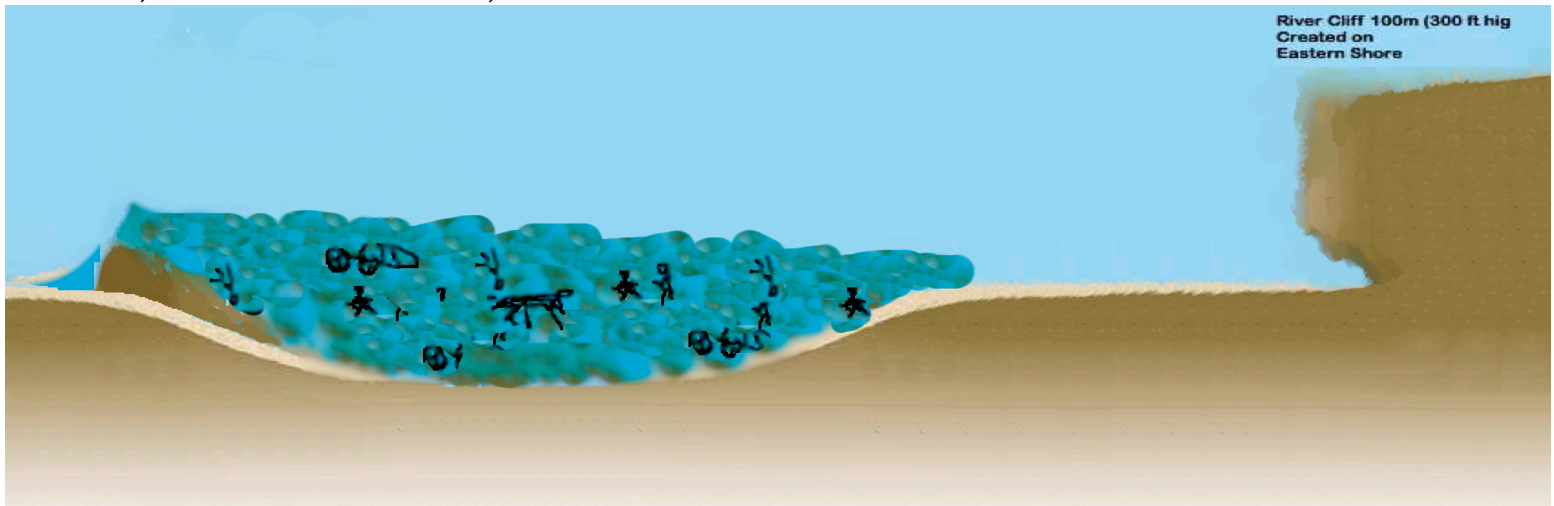


Fig. 11 Bow Inlet center section as army of Egypt is drowned in the sea. Now contradictions?

Problem: At this point there appear to be two contradictory scriptures in the sequence.

Exd 15:1 Then sang Moses and the children of Israel this song unto the LORD, and spake, saying, I will sing unto the LORD, for he hath triumphed gloriously: the horse and his rider hath he thrown into the sea.

Exd 15:2 The LORD [is] my strength and song, and he is become my salvation: he [is] my God, and I will prepare him an habitation; my father's God, and I will exalt him.

Exd 15:3 The LORD [is] a man of war: the LORD [is] his name.

Exd 15:4 Pharaoh's chariots and his host hath he cast into the sea: his chosen captains also are drowned in the Red sea.

Exd 15:5 The depths have covered them: they sank into the bottom as a stone.

If the pursuing army sinks to the bottom and even "INTO the bottom" as a stone then the army is totally lost on the river bottom, out of sight. But a previous verse expresses a different thought which is against their sinking as a stone. The verse in Exodus 14:30 below appears to contradict the verses that say they sank.

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