

Moses & the Plagues Begin



Pharaoh's daughter finds baby Moses in the basket.

Exodus 2:3-6

THINK ABOUT THE STORY

Who found the ark holding baby Moses?

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Exodus 1-7

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Read & think

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MAIN POINTS

- The midwives feared God and kept the babies alive.
- God heard the Israelites cry and remembered His covenant.
- God promised to be with Moses and gave Aaron to help him speak.
- Pharaoh refused, but God began showing His signs in Egypt.

THINGS TO THINK ABOUT

1. Why did Pharaoh make Israel work so hard?

Exodus 1:8-11

2. What did God tell Moses about Israel's pain?

Exodus 3:7-10

3. Moses was worried. What help did God give him?

Exodus 1-7

MEMORY VERSE / Exodus 3:14

God gives Moses the name he is to speak to the children of Israel.

WEB

God said to Moses, "I AM WHO I AM," and he said, "You shall tell the children of Israel this: 'I AM has sent me to you.'"

KJV

And God said unto Moses, I AM THAT I AM: and he said, Thus shalt thou say unto the children of Israel, I AM hath sent me unto you.

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Exodus 1-7

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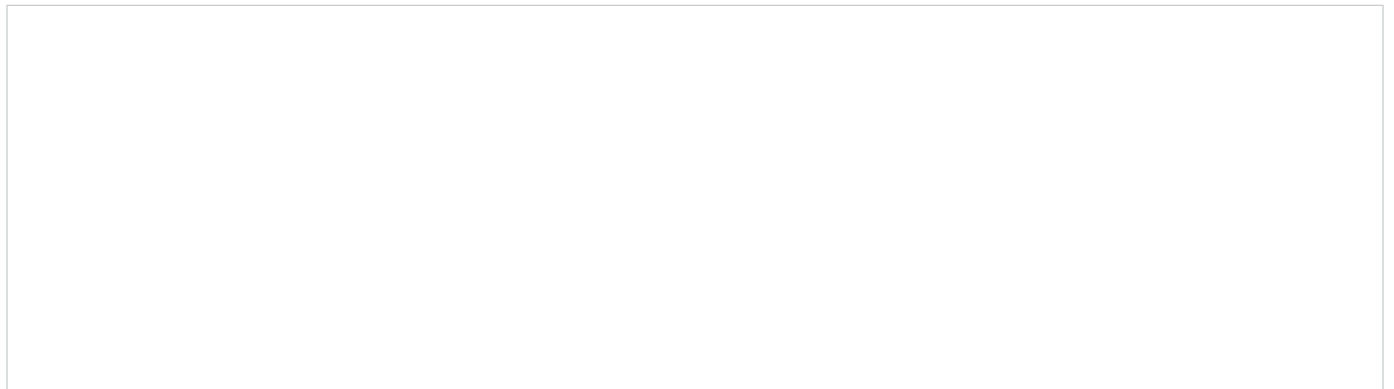
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WHAT I NOTICED

DRAW SOMETHING YOU WANT TO REMEMBER



ONE THING I WANT TO TRY

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- God hears Israel's groaning, remembers His covenant, and commissions Moses to bring the people out.
- Moses' objections receive God's promised presence, signs, instruction, and Aaron's help.
- Pharaoh's refusal increases the bondage, but God restates His promises and begins His signs and judgments.

THINGS TO THINK ABOUT

1. What fear drove Pharaoh's policy against Israel?

Exodus 1:8-11

2. How did God describe His response to Israel's affliction?

Exodus 3:7-10

3. Choose one concern Moses raises in Exodus 3-4. What specific answer does God give?

Exodus 1-7

MEMORY VERSE / Exodus 3:7-8

The LORD says He has seen Israel's affliction, heard their cry, known their sorrows, and come down to deliver them.

WEB

Yahweh said, "I have surely seen the affliction of my people who are in Egypt, and have heard their cry because of their taskmasters, for I know their sorrows. I have come down to deliver them out of the hand of the Egyptians, and to bring them up out of that land to a good and large land, to a land flowing with milk and honey; to the place of the Canaanite, the Hittite, the Amorite, the Perizzite, the Hivite, and the Jebusite.

KJV

And the LORD said, I have surely seen the affliction of my people which are in Egypt, and have heard their cry by reason of their taskmasters; for I know their sorrows; And I am come down to deliver them out of the hand of the Egyptians, and to bring them up out of that land unto a good land and a large, unto a land flowing with milk and honey; unto the place of the Canaanites, and the Hittites, and the Amorites, and the Perizzites, and the Hivites, and the Jebusites.

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Exodus 1-7
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THINGS TO THINK ABOUT

1. What contrast does Exodus 1 draw between Pharaoh's command and the midwives' fear of God?

Exodus 1-7

2. How does the grown Moses in Exodus 2 differ from the commissioned Moses in Exodus 3?

Exodus 1-7

3. God answers Moses' concerns with His presence, signs, instruction, and Aaron's help. Which answer matches one concern Moses actually raises?

Exodus 1-7

MEMORY VERSE / Exodus 4:11-12

The LORD answers Moses' concern about speech by promising to be with his mouth and teach him what to say.

WEB

Yahweh said to him, "Who made man's mouth? Or who makes one mute, or deaf, or seeing, or blind? Isn't it I, Yahweh? Now therefore go, and I will be with your mouth, and teach you what you shall speak."

KJV

And the LORD said unto him, Who hath made man's mouth? or who maketh the dumb, or deaf, or the seeing, or the blind? have not I the LORD? Now therefore go, and I will be with thy mouth, and teach thee what thou shalt say.

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MAIN POINTS

- Pharaoh's escalating commands are resisted by midwives who fear God, while his own household preserves Moses.
- God's response to Israel's groaning is grounded in His covenant with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob.
- The call narrative records Moses' objections alongside God's presence, signs, instruction, and appointment of Aaron.
- The failed first audience with Pharaoh deepens the bondage before God restates His covenant promises and begins public judgment.

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Exodus 1-7

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Exodus 1-7

3. Trace one of Moses' objections in Exodus 3-4 and evaluate how God's answer addresses it without erasing Moses' responsibility to go.

Exodus 1-7

MEMORY VERSE / Exodus 2:24-25

The close of Exodus 2 records God hearing Israel's groaning, remembering His covenant, looking upon the people, and having respect unto them.

WEB

God heard their groaning, and God remembered his covenant with Abraham, with Isaac, and with Jacob. God saw the children of Israel, and God understood.

KJV

And God heard their groaning, and God remembered his covenant with Abraham, with Isaac, and with Jacob. And God looked upon the children of Israel, and God had respect unto them.

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