

Moses & the Burning Bush:

Lesson 26 Visuals

- Moses was on Mt. Horeb. The Lord God call out to Moses from a burning bush.
- The Lord told Moses to take off his sandals because he was standing on holy ground.
- Moses asked God, "Who am I that I could do this?" God answered, "I will certainly be with you." It didn't matter who Moses as long as God was with him.
- Mt. Horeb and Mt. Sinai are two names for the same mountain.



- This mountain is also known as the mountain of God.
- Moses wanted to know God's name in case the Israelites asked him. God said, "I AM WHO I AM.
 Tell them I AM has sent you."
- Jesus in the New Testament said, "Before Abraham was, I AM."
- Moses was instructed to tell
 Pharaoh that the God of the
 Hebrews told them to go on a
 three-day trip into the wilderness
 to sacrifice to the Lord God.



- God told Moses that Pharaoh would not let the Israelites go easily. God would have to strike the Egyptians before Pharaoh would let them go.
- God said when Pharaoh finally lets the Israelites go, the Egyptians will give the Israelites gifts of silver, gold and nice clothes.
- God gave Moses three signs to help the Israelites and Pharaoh believe Moses.



- In the first sign, Moses threw down his staff and became a snake. Then he picked up again and it became a staff again.
- In the second sign, Moses put his hand in his coat, and it came out white and diseased. When he put his hand in his coat again, his hand was healthy.
- In the third sign, God told
 Moses that he could take water
 from the Nile River and throw it on
 the ground. That water would then
 turn into blood on the ground.



- Moses was afraid to speak because he said he didn't speak well. His mouth and tongue were slow.
- The Lord said, "Who placed a mouth on humans? Is it not I, the Lord?" And then the Lord said He would help him to speak.
- Even after that promise, Moses asked the Lord to send someone else.
- The Lord was angry that Moses still wanted the Lord to send someone else.



- In God's grace, the Lord said that Aaron, the brother of Moses, was already on his way and would help speak for Moses.
- Moses was 40 years old when he left Egypt. He then lived another 40 years in Midian. So, Moses was 80 years old when God called him from the burning bush.
- After Aaron told the Israelites leaders everything and Moses performed the signs, they believed and then worshipped the Lord.