

Six That Said "Yes"



BENT TREE BIBLE FELLOWSHIP

Moses: a Man of Faith

"As the time drew near for God to fulfill his promise to Abraham, the number of our people in Egypt greatly increased. Then another king, who knew nothing about Joseph, became ruler of Egypt. He dealt treacherously with our people and oppressed our forefathers by forcing them to throw out their newborn babies so that they would die. At that time Moses was born, and he was no ordinary child. For three months he was cared for in his father's house. When he was placed outside, Pharaoh's daughter took him and brought him up as her own son. Moses was educated in all the wisdom of the Egyptians and was powerful in speech and action.

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When Moses was forty years old, he decided to visit his fellow Israelites. He saw one of them being mistreated by an Egyptian, so he went to his defense and avenged him by killing the Egyptian. Moses thought that his own people would realize that God was using him to rescue them, but they did not. The next day Moses came upon two Israelites who were fighting. He tried to reconcile them by saying, 'Men, you are brothers; why do you want to hurt each other?' But the man who was mistreating the other pushed Moses aside and said, 'Who made you ruler and judge over us? Do you want to kill me as you killed the Egyptian yesterday?' When Moses heard this, he fled to Midian, where he settled as a foreigner and had two sons.

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After forty years had passed, an angel appeared to Moses in the flames of a burning bush in the desert near Mount Sinai. When he saw this, he was amazed at the sight. As he went over to look more closely, he heard the Lord's voice: 'I am the God of your fathers, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.' Moses trembled with fear and did not dare to look. "Then the Lord said to him, 'Take off your sandals; the place where you are standing is holy ground. I have indeed seen the oppression of my people in Egypt. I have heard their groaning and have come down to set them free. Now come, I will send you back to Egypt.' This is the same Moses whom they had rejected with the words, 'Who made you ruler and judge?' He was sent to be their ruler and deliverer by God himself, through the angel who appeared to him in the bush.

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He led them out of Egypt and did wonders and miraculous signs in Egypt, at the Red Sea and for forty years in the desert. This is that Moses who told the Israelites, 'God will send you a prophet like me from your own people.' He was in the assembly in the desert, with the angel who spoke to him on Mount Sinai, and with our fathers; and he received living words to pass on to us. But our fathers refused to obey him. Instead, they rejected him and in their hearts turned back to Egypt. They told Aaron, 'Make us gods who will go before us. As for this fellow Moses who led us out of Egypt—we don't know what has happened to him!' That was the time they made an idol in the form of a calf. They brought sacrifices to it and held a celebration in honor of what their hands had made.

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But God turned away and gave them over to the worship of the heavenly bodies. This agrees with what is written in the book of the prophets:

'Did you bring me sacrifices and offerings forty years in the desert, O house of Israel? You have lifted up the shrine of Molech and the star of your god Rephan, the idols you made to worship. Therefore I will send you into exile beyond Babylon'.

Our forefathers had the tabernacle of the Testimony with them in the desert. It had been made as God directed Moses, according to the pattern he had seen”.

Acts 7:17-44

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Moses lived his life “by faith”



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“By faith Moses' parents hid him for three months after he was born, because they saw he was no ordinary child, and they were not afraid of the king's edict. By faith Moses, when he had grown up, refused to be known as the son of Pharaoh's daughter. He chose to be mistreated along with the people of God rather than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a short time. He regarded disgrace for the sake of Christ as of greater value than the treasures of Egypt, because he was looking ahead to his reward. By faith he left Egypt, not fearing the king's anger; he persevered because he saw him who is invisible.

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By faith he kept the Passover and the sprinkling of blood, so that the destroyer of the firstborn would not touch the firstborn of Israel. By faith the people passed through the Red Sea as on dry land; but when the Egyptians tried to do so, they were drowned.”

Hebrews 11:23-29



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“Now faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see”.

Hebrews 11:1



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**Moses was faithful
because Moses was full of faith**





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“He {Jesus} was faithful to the one who appointed him, just as Moses was faithful in all God's house”.

Hebrews 3:2



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**Moses grew into faithfulness
as he grew in faith**





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Lesson #1:

**If you keep saying “no” to God,
He will go with plan B**



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Lesson #2: Plan A is better



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What were the 10 plagues?

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Moses: a Man of Faith

What were the 10 plagues?

1. Blood





Moses: a Man of Faith

What were the 10 plagues?

- 1. Blood**
- 2. Frogs**





Moses: a Man of Faith

What were the 10 plagues?


- 1. Blood**
- 2. Frogs**
- 3. Gnats**





Moses: a Man of Faith


What were the 10 plagues?

- 1. Blood**
 - 2. Frogs**
 - 3. Gnats**
 - 4. Flies**
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Moses: a Man of Faith

What were the 10 plagues?

- 1. Blood**
 - 2. Frogs**
 - 3. Gnats**
 - 4. Flies**
 - 5. Pestilence**
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What were the 10 plagues?

1. Blood

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4. Flies

5. Pestilence

6. Boils





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What were the 10 plagues?

- 1. Blood**
- 2. Frogs**
- 3. Gnats**
- 4. Flies**
- 5. Pestilence**
- 6. Boils**
- 7. Hail**





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What were the 10 plagues?

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| 1. Blood | 6. Boils |
| 2. Frogs | 7. Hail |
| 3. Gnats | 8. Locusts |
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Lesson #3:

**When God leads, follow!
He will make a way, even
when there seems to be none**



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**“How much faith is required
to live the life you are living?”**





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**“How much faith is required
to live the life you are living?”**

**“What in your life could only be
explained by faith?”**



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**The story of Moses foreshadows
the story of Jesus**



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Moses: a Man of Faith

1. His birth





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- 1. His birth**
- 2. The Lamb of God-Passover**





Moses: a Man of Faith

- 1. His birth**
 - 2. The Lamb of God-Passover**
 - 3. Deliverance from slavery
into freedom**
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“But now that you have been set free from sin and have become slaves to God, the benefit you reap leads to holiness, and the result is eternal life. For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.”.

Romans 6:22-23