Encountering the Great "I AM" Moses and the Burning Bush

Background . . . The Promise to Abram - GENESIS 15:1-16

The Settling of Goshen - GENESIS 47:1-12



"Then a new king, who did NOT know about Joseph, came to power in Egypt . . . " **ExoDus 1** As the book of Exodus opens, what was the situation for the Israelites?

Pharaoh's fear was . . .

Pharaoh's FIRST solution was . . .

How did the LORD counter Pharaoh's move?

Pharaoh's SECOND solution was . . .

How did the LORD counter Pharaoh's move . . . again?

Do you see any modern equivalencies?

Jesus is hinted at in the first chapter of Exodus . . . can you see Him?

"She saw that he was a fine child . . . " Exopus 2

# Exodus 2:1-10

Moses' parents hid their baby boy 'cause he was so darn cute . . . WRONG! Read HEBREWS 11:23

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The story of Moses is compelling for its own sake, but even more so for the sake of Jesus . . .

## Exodus 2:11-25

How did Moses exercise his "Deliverer Muscles" in these verses?

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Why did Moses flee Egypt? (a.k.a., looking at the same thing from 2 different perspectives)

Exodus 2:14-15

HEBREWS 11:24-27

"I will go over and see this strange sight . . . " Exodus 3 How did the LORD initially introduce Himself to Moses?

Later He gave Moses another name: "I Am."

What is the LORD's message to Moses?

- "I have their misery"
- "I have them crying out"
- "I am about their suffering"
- "So I have come down to them"
- "And bring them into a

, flowing with milk and honey."

• "So, GO! I am sending !"

Moses then pushed God to His limit of His patience...

#### • Exodus 3:11

Moses' reluctance

The LORD's reply

#### • Exodus 3:13

Moses' reluctance

The LORD's reply

### • Exodus 4:1

Moses' reluctance

The LORD's reply

#### • Exodus 4:10

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# **A FEW TAKE-AWAYS**

God exists and is the source of all that exists.

He is a God most often worshipped by faith and not by sight.

The "I Am" came down to rescue His people . . .