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1. What does this story teach me about God or the gospel?
2. What does this story teach me about myself?
3. Are there any commands in this story to obey? How are they for God's glory and my good?
4. Are there any promises in this story to remember? How do they help me trust and love God?
5. How does this story help me to live on mission better?



Unit 4 • Session 1

## GOD CALLED MOSES

Exodus 1-4

### DOES GOD KEEP HIS PROMISES? YES, GOD ALWAYS KEEPS HIS PROMISES BECAUSE HE IS FAITHFUL.

Joseph's family in Egypt grew. All the people in this family were known as Israelites. A new pharaoh was afraid of the Israelites. So Pharaoh made the Israelites slaves. Still, their families grew. So Pharaoh ordered for all their baby boys to be killed.

Around this time, a woman gave birth to a son. She put him in a basket and set it along the bank of the Nile River. Pharaoh's daughter found the baby and wanted the baby to be her son. The princess named the baby Moses.

Moses grew up as a prince. One day, he saw an Egyptian man mistreating an Israelite man. Moses killed the Egyptian and fled. He worked as a shepherd in another land. In Egypt, the Israelite people were miserable. They cried out to God, and God heard them.

One day, Moses saw a bush on fire. God called from the bush: "Moses, Moses!"

Moses replied, "Here I am."

God said, "My people are suffering. I want you to lead them out of Egypt."

"What if they ask for Your name?" Moses said.

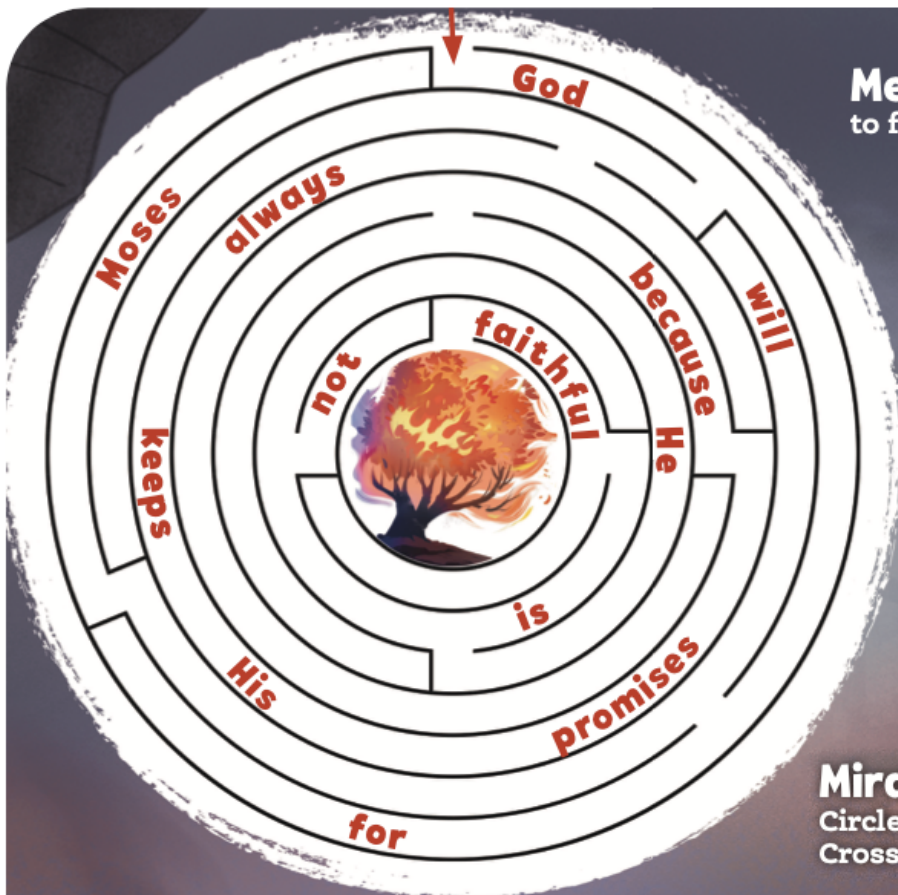
"I AM WHO I AM," God said.

"What if they don't believe me?" Moses asked.

God gave Moses three miraculous signs to prove that God had appeared to him. But Moses still made excuses. God was angry but agreed to send Moses' brother, Aaron, with him to Egypt.

**Christ Connection:** God saved Moses' life and called him to rescue God's people from slavery. The calling of Moses points to a greater calling and rescue—the call of Jesus to come to earth to save God's people. Jesus gave up His life to save us from slavery to sin.

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**Message in the Maze** | Collect words along the correct path to find the message hidden in the maze. Write it in the spaces below.


**Miraculous Signs** | Read Exodus 4:1-9. Circle which signs God promised to Moses. Cross out the signs God did not promise.

His staff will turn into a snake.

His son will call his name.

His hand will turn diseased and then heal.

His wife will put a blanket on his shoulders.

The river water will turn to blood.

His brother Aaron will be waiting for him at home.

