

EXODUS 3-4

Please read chapters 3-4 and answer the following questions...

1. As chapter 3 opens, what was Moses' occupation?
2. Moses came to **Mt. Horeb**. How is this mountain described in verse 1?

What is Mt. Horeb also known as (cf. Acts 7:30)?

3. The Lord revealed Himself to Moses in the form of a burning bush. How was **fire** used to represent God's presence in the following verses in Exodus?

13:21 --

19:18 --

24:17 –

4. What two instructions did the Lord give Moses as He approached the bush (v. 5)?
5. When he realized that it was the Lord speaking to Him from the midst of the bush, how did Moses respond (v. 6)?

6. Write down the different terms the Lord used to describe the **land** that He would bring the people of Israel to (v. 8)?

7. The Lord gave Moses the mission of leading Israel out of Egypt, but Moses wasn't sure that he was the right man for the job. What was his first **objection** for God (v. 11)?

In your own words, write down what the Lord said in response to him.

8. What was his second objection for God?

How did God respond?

9. In verses 16-22, God gives Moses a step-by-step plan for what would happen when Moses went back to Egypt. When Moses got back to Egypt, who was he to meet with first? Would they listen to him or not?

10. Next, Moses was to go before **Pharaoh**. What was he to ask Pharaoh for?

11. From verses 20-22, you see the phrase "**I will**" several times. What things does the Lord say that He was going to do so that Israel would be able to leave Egypt and not leave empty-handed?

12. What was Moses' next objection about being Israel's leader (4:1)?

What three different **signs** did the Lord give Moses in response?

13. What was Moses' next objection that he made to God?

What was God's response?

14. What was Moses' fifth and final objection to God?

The Lord's **anger was kindled** against Moses when Moses gave this objection. Why do you think He was not angry with Moses' first four objections but was angry with this fifth objection?

15. In verse 20, what is Moses' staff called?

16. If Pharaoh refused to let Israel go, the Lord promised to kill Pharaoh's firstborn son. According to verses 22-23, why would God take Pharaoh's firstborn **son**?

17. What shocking thing did the Lord try to do to Moses as he and his family were on the way to Egypt (v. 24)?

From the context of verses 24-26, can you tell why God tried to take Moses' life? What had Moses done (or failed to do)?