

Moses vs. God

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Exodus 6:10–7:7

What would a Torah-reading Hebrew take away from this passage that we often miss?

Exodus 6:14–25 The Genealogy of Moses and Aaron

Reuben & Simeon

Amram & Jochebed

Aaron & Elisheba

The Sons of Korah

The Sons of Aaron

Putiel & Phinehas

Exodus 7:1–7

When we sin, we are not acting more human, but less, because sin destroys our humanity.

It is when we obey God that we are fully human because we were made to bear His image.

God is concerned more about our obedience than our skills, accomplishments, or pedigrees.

It is not our job to make people listen, but to proclaim God's words in a way that brings glory to His name.

God takes people who were slaves and makes them a part of His army.

1 Peter 2:9–12

Judgment comes for everyone. Only those who acknowledge God as King and Lord will be delivered.

No matter who you are, God can use you to be a part of His story.

sermon discussion

RECAP THE SERMON

Spend some time discussing the sermon. Was there anything new that you learned, anything that confused you, or anything that stood out?

GROUP DISCUSSION

1. Describe a time when someone, such as a boss, employee, parent, or child, expressed strong resistance to a plan you felt passionate about. How did their response make you feel? What was their reason for resisting your plans?
2. **Read Exodus 5:4-9.** How would you describe Pharaoh's response to Moses? Have there been times in your life when you responded like Pharaoh and rebuffed or ignored God and His Word? Take a moment to share.
3. **Read Exodus 5:19-23.** Who do the foremen blame for their difficulties? What is Moses' response to them, and where does he direct his frustrations?
4. **Read Exodus 6:1-9.** How would you describe God's response to Moses? What does it reveal about God's character?
5. When you encounter difficulty or hardship pursuing God's will, how do you typically respond? Are you surprised or discouraged? Do you expect it or blame God? Why do you think that is?
6. How does knowing God's character and Word impact your response to hardship or suffering?
7. On what part of God's character or Word do you find most helpful to focus when facing obstacles or difficulties? Is there anyone you could encourage with these truths over the coming week?

GOING FURTHER

MEMORIZE: *The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.*

Psalm 103:8 ESV

EXPLORE THE SCRIPTURES:

- Read through Hebrews paying attention to role of Christ and how God's character is described throughout the book.
- Read Matthew 5:2-12. How many of the life situations described in these verses describe hardships or difficulties? What is the reward or God's response to those conditions?
- Read James 1:2-5. How does this passage describe what our attitude and response to trials should be?