

# Moses Grows Up in Egypt

EXODUS CHAPTERS 1-2

MANY YEARS AFTER JOSEPH DIED, A NEW PHARAOH RULED OVER EGYPT. HE HATED THE HEBREWS, WHO WORSHIPPED JEHOVAH.

LOOK!  
THE HEBREWS ARE  
MORE NUMEROUS AND  
MIGHTIER THAN WE  
ARE! MAKE THEM  
SLAVES!

KILL  
EVERY BABY  
BOY WHEN IT IS  
BORN!

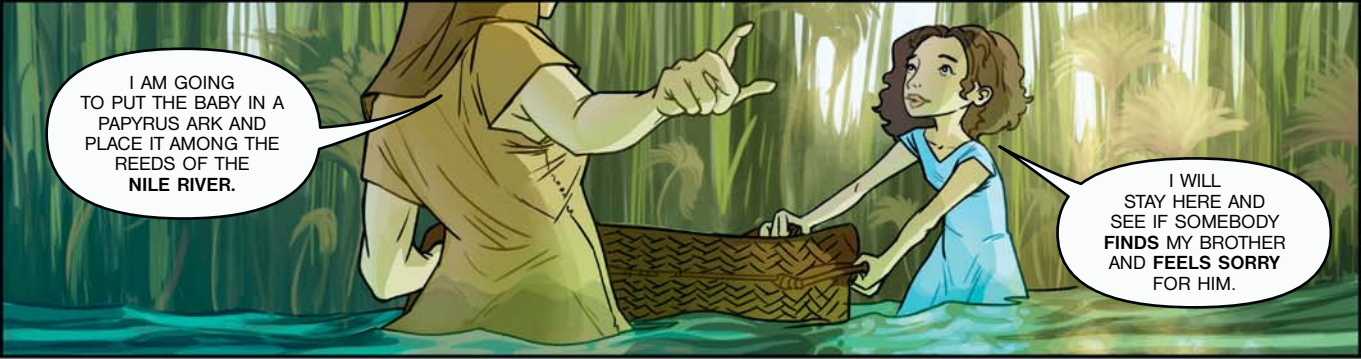
MEANWHILE, A HEBREW WOMAN NAMED JOCHEBED HAD A BABY BOY.

MOTHER, WHY  
ARE WE KEEPING  
MY BABY BROTHER  
HIDDEN?

BECAUSE,  
MIRIAM, WE HAVE  
TO PROTECT HIM  
FROM PHARAOH.

BUT AFTER THREE  
MONTHS, JOCHEBED  
WAS NOT ABLE TO  
HIDE HIM . . .







I AM GOING TO PUT THE BABY IN A PAPYRUS ARK AND PLACE IT AMONG THE REEDS OF THE NILE RIVER.

I WILL STAY HERE AND SEE IF SOMEBODY FINDS MY BROTHER AND FEELS SORRY FOR HIM.


PHARAOH'S DAUGHTER CAME TO BATHE IN THE RIVER. . . .



WHAT IS THAT DOING THERE? GET IT FOR ME.



THIS IS ONE OF THE HEBREW CHILDREN.



WOULD YOU LIKE ME TO CALL ONE OF THE HEBREW WOMEN SO THAT SHE MAY NURSE THE CHILD FOR YOU?

YES. GO!



NOT ONLY DID JOCHEBED'S SON SURVIVE BUT JOCHEBED **TOOK CARE** OF HIM FOR SEVERAL YEARS AND TAUGHT HIM TO **LOVE JEHOVAH**.

LATER, JOCHEBED **RETURNED** HIM TO PHARAOH'S DAUGHTER.

I WILL CALL HIM **MOSES** BECAUSE I HAVE DRAWN HIM OUT OF THE WATER.

MOSES LIVED WITH THE **EGYPTIANS**. BUT HE DID NOT FORGET THAT HIS FAMILY, WHO WERE HEBREWS, WERE STILL **SLAVES**.



ONE DAY, MOSES SAW AN EGYPTIAN STRIKE A HEBREW SLAVE.

MOSES WANTED TO HELP, SO HE KILLED THE EGYPTIAN.

WHEN PHARAOH HEARD WHAT MOSES HAD DONE, HE WANTED TO KILL MOSES.

SO MOSES RAN AWAY TO MIDIAN.

LATER, IN MIDIAN, MOSES MARRIED ZIPPORAH AND HAD A FAMILY.

BUT BACK IN EGYPT, THE HEBREWS WERE STILL SLAVES. IN THE NEXT ILLUSTRATED BIBLE STORY, LEARN WHAT HAPPENED WHEN JEHOVAH SENT MOSES BACK TO EGYPT TO HELP THE HEBREWS.

### WHAT DO WE LEARN FROM THIS STORY?

HOW DID MIRIAM TREAT HER YOUNGER BROTHER?

CLUE: EXODUS 2:4, 7; 1 JOHN 3:17, 18.

WHY WAS IT WRONG FOR PHARAOH TO HATE PEOPLE OF A RACE THAT WAS DIFFERENT FROM HIS?

CLUE: ACTS 10:34, 35.

HOW SHOULD YOU TREAT SOMEONE WHOSE RACE IS DIFFERENT FROM YOURS?

CLUE: 1 SAMUEL 16:7.