NEW LIFE CLASS

BRIDGING THE GAP

BETWEEN BIBLICAL LEARNING AND RADICAL LIVING



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Who Am I?

Lesson 2

MOSES' SPIRITUAL JOURNEY *"But Moses asked God, "Who am I…?' He answered, "I will certainly be with you…"" Exodus 3:11-12 (CSB)*		
A PRINCE of EGYPT *Exodus 1:1-2:15*	**A SHEPHERD in the WILDERNESS** *Exodus 2:16-4:17*	**A PROPHET on MISSION** **in EGYPT and the WILDERNESS** *Exodus 4:18-Deuteronomy 34:12*
Proud + Self-sufficient	Humble + God-dependent	Faithful + God-obedient
Turning Point **MURDERING** an Egyptian for Abusing a Hebrew	*Turning Point* **ENCOUNTERING** the I AM God in a Burning Bush	*Turning Point* **INDWELLING** of the Glory of the I AM God in the Tabernacle Egypt 10 Plagues · Mt Sinai 10 Commands · Wilderness Strikes Rock
40 YEARS	**40 YEARS**	**40 YEARS**

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Until You Can Answer the Question "Who Is God?"

Moses' Spiritual Journey to Answer the Question "Who Am I?"

Acts 7:17-44; Hebrews 11:22-29

1. Forty Years of PRIVILEGE in Egypt as a Prince

- His **RESCUE**: God's providential care over his life as a baby. *Exodus 1:1-2:6; Genesis 15:13-16, 46:1-6*
- His **ROYALTY**: Adopted by Pharaoh's daughter but nursed by his birth mother. *Exodus 2:7-10*
- His **RESOURCES**: Educated in both cultures with the best education the world had to offer. *Exodus 2:10; Acts 7:22*
  "Moses was educated in all the wisdom of the Egyptians and was powerful in speech and action" (Acts 7:22).
- His **ROLE**: Passion to help "his" people and deliver them from oppression. *Exodus 2:11-15; Acts 7:23-29*

RESULT: *Proud and Self-sufficient*

2. Forty Years of PREPARATION in the Wilderness as a Shepherd

- He learned **EMPATHY**.

➤ He learned **HUMILITY**.

➤ He learned **DEPENDENCY**.

RESULT: *Humble and God-dependent*

"Now the man Moses was very humble, more than any man who was on the face of the earth." Numbers 12:3

3. Forty Years of PURPOSE on Mission as a Prophet

Moses' Mission Pointed to the Coming of Jesus Who Is Greater Than Moses and Fulfilled All that Was Promised in the Old Testament!

MOSES on MISSION in the OLD TESTAMENT	JESUS on MISSION in the NEW TESTAMENT
A **PROPHET** of God	*The Greatest Prophet Who Is God and the Word of God!* *Deuteronomy 18:15-18; John 1:1-5; 8:52-58; Luke 24:27; Acts 3:22; 7:36-38*
A **MEDIATOR** of the Old Covenant	*The Mediator and Great High Priest of the New Covenant* *Hebrews 8:3-9; 12:21-24; 2Corinthians 3:1-18*
A **DELIVERER** of God's People	*The Lamb of God and Ultimate Savior of the World* *John 1:17-18, 45; 3:14-15; 6:32-35*
A **LEADER** of God's People	*The King of kings and Lord of lords* *Genesis 4:8-10; Deuteronomy 17:14-20; Hebrews 3:1-6; 10:26-31*

RESULT: *Faithful and God-obedient*

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➤ Where are you personally on your spiritual journey?

Your PAST – Write out what your life was like ***before*** you encountered the I AM God.

Your PIVOT - Write out what happened when you ***actually*** did encounter the I AM God in the person and work of Jesus.

Your PRESENT - Write out what happened ***after*** encountered the I AM God.

➤ How do you personally answer the question: **"Who am I?"**

Is it based on your ***security*** in this world? Who you know? Who you relate to well?

Is it based on your ***significance*** in this world? What you do? What you know?

Is it based on your ***status*** in this world? Where you live? How successful you are? How others view you?

➤ How do you personally answer the question: **"Who is God?"**

1) Moses eventually found his ***SECURITY*** in ***BEING*** **RESCUED** by the "I Am" God and in a ***DEEPENING*** **RELATIONSHIP** with that God through his wilderness experiences.

2) Moses eventually found his ***SIGNIFICANCE*** in **FULFILLING** ***THE ROLE and RESPONSIBILITIES*** the "I Am" God had called him to and ***BEING FAITHFUL*** in the both the good times and the bad times.

3) Moses eventually found his ***STATUS*** in ***BEING*** **THE PERSON** the "I Am" God had called him to be –a son of God and a servant in the house of God!

Who Am I?

I am a person who was rescued by the" I AM" God to be on mission with Him for the joy of all peoples!