

MARCH 19, 2023

Moses versus Pharaoh: Round One  
Exodus 5:1-6:9

*The most important time to trust God is  
when it's \_\_\_\_\_.*

Moses is in a faith crisis: He doubts \_\_\_\_\_; he  
doubts \_\_\_\_\_ and he's frustrated and hurt by  
\_\_\_\_\_.

Moses returned to the LORD and said, "Why, Lord, why have you brought  
trouble on this people? Is this why you sent me? Ever since I went to  
Pharaoh to speak in your name, he has brought trouble on this people,  
and you have not rescued your people at all."  
Exodus 5:22-23 (NIV)

**Circumstances that make it difficult to trust God:**

1. When I can't sync what I believe about God and  
\_\_\_\_\_.
2. When I really don't feel up to what \_\_\_\_\_.
3. When people \_\_\_\_\_.

Instead of criticizing Moses, God \_\_\_\_\_ him:

"I'm \_\_\_\_\_ you." (Ex 6:1-4)

"I \_\_\_\_\_ you and I \_\_\_\_\_ you." (Ex 6:5)

"I make four \_\_\_\_\_ to you":

1. \_\_\_\_\_ . Ex 6:6; Rom 6:16-18
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TALK IT OVER

Talking through the message during the week can really help clarify the  
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questions:

Big Picture

What stood out most in the message to you regarding  
something that you learned, challenged you, or that you  
disagreed with?

Dig In

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Pharaoh? Why? Now, read John 10:10; 2Cor 10:3-5; Eph 6:10-  
20. How do these scriptures change the way you look at the  
Moses v Pharaoh battle? How does that apply to you today as  
you consider the battles you're in?

Read James 1:1-8. How can disappointments, doubts, and  
trials be of benefit to us?

Teacher's Pick

Which of the four promises of the gospel are most treasured  
by you today? Why?

Putting It Into Practice

In what areas of your life might you be putting Pro 3:5-6 into  
practice in the future? What will be difficult about doing so?

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3. When people hurt me.

Instead of criticizing Moses, God reassures him:

"I'm with you." (Ex 6:1-4)

"I see you and I hear you." (Ex 6:5)

"I make four promises to you":

1. Deliverance. Ex 6:6; Rom 6:16-18
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