

Discovering Moses – Session 4 Homework

Starting point for our study is Acts 7:18-19:

18G891tillG3757 G450there aroseG2087anotherG935kingG3739over Egypt, whoG1492knewG3756notG2501Joseph.
19G3778The sameG2686dealt craftilyG1085withG2257ourG1085race,G2559and ill-treatedG2257ourG3962fathers,G4160that
theyG1570should cast outG846theirG1025babesG1519to the endG2225they mightG3361notG2225live.

Ask questions, find the key words and look up the original meaning of the words. Search out the meaning of the verses and its main idea. Please read the chapter before and after to gain the full context of the verses. The original text of Stephen's speech is found in the following verses: Exodus 1:8-22. Please pay attention to any repeating words, verb tenses etc.

8H6965Now there aroseH2319a newH4428kingH4714over Egypt,H3045who knewH3130not Joseph.
9H559And he saidH5971unto his people,H5971Behold, the peopleH1121of the childrenH3478of IsraelH7227are moreH6099and
mightier than we:
10H3051come,H2449let us deal wiselyH7235with them, lest they multiply,H7122and it come to pass, that, when there falleth
outH4421any war,H1931theyH3254also joinH8130themselves unto our enemies,H3898and fightH5927against us, and get them
upH776out of the land.
11H7760Therefore they did setH4522over them taskmastersH6031to afflictH5450them with their burdens.H1129And they
builtH6547for PharaohH4543store-cities,H6619PithomH7486and Raamses.
12H6031But the more they afflictedH3651them, the moreH7235they multipliedH6555and the more they spread abroad.H6973And
they were grievedH6440becauseH1121of the childrenH3478of Israel.
13H4714And the EgyptiansH5647madeH1121the childrenH3478of IsraelH5647to serveH6531with rigor:
14H4843and they madeH2416their livesH4843bitterH7186with hardH5656service,H2563in mortarH3843and in brick,H5656and in all
manner of serviceH7704in the field,H5656all their service,H5647wherein they made them serveH6531with rigor.
15H4428And the kingH4714of EgyptH559spakeH5680to the HebrewH3205midwives,H8034of whom the nameH259of the oneH8236was
Shiphrah,H8034and the nameH8145of the otherH6326Puah:
16H559and he said,H3205When ye do the office of a midwifeH5680to the Hebrew women,H7200and seeH70them upon the birth-
stool;H1121if it be a son,H4191then ye shall killH1323him; but if it be a daughter,H2425then she shall live.
17H3205But the midwivesH3372fearedH430God,H6213and didH4428not as the kingH4714of EgyptH1696commandedH2421them, but
savedH3206the men-childrenH2421alive.
18H4428And the kingH4714of EgyptH7121calledH3205for the midwives,H559and saidH4069unto them, WhyH6213have ye
doneH1697this thing,H2421and have savedH3206the men-childrenH2421alive?

¹⁹H³²⁰⁵And the midwives^{H559}said^{H6547}unto Pharaoh,^{H5680}Because the Hebrew^{H802}women^{H4713}are not as the Egyptian women;^{H2422}for they are lively,^{H3205}and are delivered^{H2962}ere^{H3205}the midwife^{H935}come unto them.

²⁰H⁴³⁰And God^{H3190}dealt well^{H3205}with the midwives:^{H5971}and the people^{H7235}multiplied,^{H3966}and waxed very^{H6105}mighty.

²¹H³²⁰⁵And it came to pass, because the midwives^{H3372}feared^{H430}God,^{H6213}that he made^{H1004}them households.

²²H⁶⁵⁴⁷And Pharaoh^{H6680}charged^{H5971}all his people,^{H559}saying,^{H1121}Every son^{H3209}that is born^{H7993}ye shall cast^{H2975}into the river,^{H1323}and every daughter^{H2421}ye shall save alive.

Next time we gather, please prepare your findings to be presented before the group. Here are sample questions for our presentation:

What did we learn?

What stood out to us?

What is the main idea of the text?

How does our study and findings change our life?