

# Lesson 15:

## The calling of Moses



# Fill in the blanks!

## Moses and the Burning Bush

"Do not come any closer," God said. "Take off your sandals, for the place where you are standing is holy ground." Exodus 3:5 (NIV)

Complete the sentences by filling in the blanks with the correct words from the word bank at the bottom of the page.



1. \_\_\_\_\_ was tending the flock of Jethro his father-in-law.
2. Moses saw a \_\_\_\_\_ that was on fire, but it did not burn up.
3. God told Moses to take off his \_\_\_\_\_ because he was standing on holy ground.
4. God said, "I am the God of your \_\_\_\_\_, the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob."
4. Moses hid his \_\_\_\_\_ because he was afraid to look at God.
5. God was concerned about his people suffering in \_\_\_\_\_.
6. God wanted his people to go to a land flowing with \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
7. God told Moses to tell \_\_\_\_\_ to let his people go out of Egypt.
8. God \_\_\_\_\_ Moses that he would be with him

MILK  
BUSH

FACE  
EGYPT

HONEY  
SANDALS

PROMISED  
FATHER

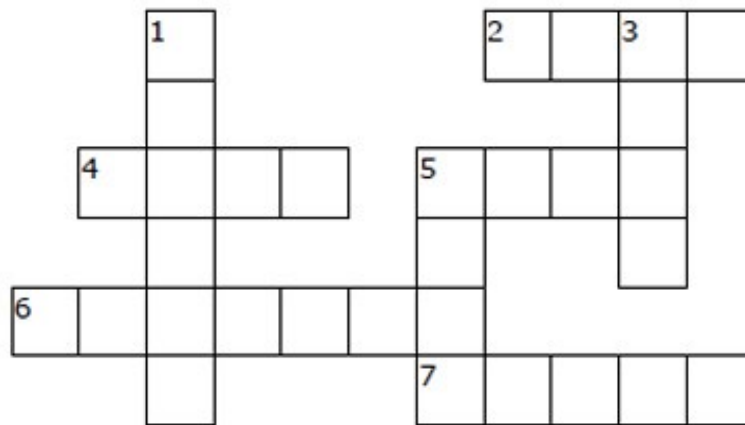
PHARAOH  
MOSES

# Crossword Puzzle

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Puzzle is based on Exodus 3:1-15



### ACROSS

2. A white liquid produced by cows, goats, and sheep
4. Belonging to God; sacred
5. To cause something to be destroyed by fire
6. Shoes with a bottom part held onto the foot by straps
7. A sweet, sticky substance made by bees

### DOWN

1. The surface of the Earth; soil
3. A country or region, especially someone's home
5. A plant that is smaller than a tree with many small branches

MILK	BURN	GROUND	SANDALS
BUSH	HONEY	HOLY	LAND

# Fact Finder

Answer the questions below. Write your answer on the lines provided with every question. After you have finished—you can check your answer on the next page. No peeking!!!!

1. What was strange about the bush that Moses saw in the mountain?

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2. Why do you suppose God chose a burning bush as a way to speak to Moses? *(To get the attention of Moses and to show His fearsome power.)*

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3. Why did God tell Moses to take off his sandals?

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4. How did Moses react to God's request?

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5. How was God going to help Moses deliver His message?

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6. Who was Moses to say sent him, if asked by the Israelites?

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# Fact Finder Answer sheet

1. *It never stopped burning, and it did not burn up.*
2. *To get the attention of Moses and to show His fearsome power.*
3. *Because Moses was on holy ground.*
4. *He didn't think he was worthy and asked, "who am I."*
5. *God would be with him.*
6. *Moses was to say "I AM has sent me."*