

Calvary Oro Valley Wed. Night Discipleship Group Study

Wednesday, July 23rd, 2025

Exodus Study #2

Exodus 2:1-25

1. Verses 1-10

- a. What risks did Moses' family take to protect him, and what does that teach us about trusting God in hard times?
- b. How did God use the courage and compassion of ordinary women?
- c. Where do you see God working behind the scenes, in this story and in your own life?
- d. Why might God have placed Moses in Pharaoh's household, and how does that encourage you about His preparation?

2. Verses 11-22

- a. Why did Moses react so strongly to an Egyptian beating a Hebrew? What do Acts 7:23–25 reveal about his thinking?
- b. How is the Hebrew's rejection of Moses similar to the rejection Jesus faced at His first coming?
- c. What might God be teaching us during "wilderness" seasons?
- d. What does the name "Gershom" reveal about how Moses felt, and how does God meet us when we feel like strangers?

3. Verses 23-25

- a. What encourages you about God hearing His people's cries?
- b. What does it mean that God "remembered" His covenant, and how can that strengthen your faith and give you hope while waiting?

Helpful Bible Study Resources:

- **Pastor David Guzik** Visit <u>www.enduringword.com</u> and click on "Commentary" at the top of the page for verse-by-verse insights.
- Blue Letter Bible Go to www.blueletterbible.org to read or listen to various commentaries (like Chuck Smith and J. Vernon McGee), explore multiple Bible translations, and use Strong's Concordance for original Hebrew and Greek word meanings.
- **Pastor Jon Courson** Access his teachings at www.joncourson.com. On the left-hand side, click "Topical and Expositional Teachings Sorted by Bible Book" to find his verse-by-verse commentary.
- **Bible Hub** Visit <u>www.biblehub.com</u> to explore classic commentaries from well-known Bible teachers. Just enter your scripture passage in the search bar at the top.
- **Crosswalk** Another valuable site for Bible study and commentaries: www.crosswalk.com.

How to Study God's Word Effectively:

Remember the simple yet powerful approach we've learned:

- 1. Soak in the Passage
 - Read the passage multiple times. Each time, pray and ask God to speak to you—inviting His Spirit to give you insight, clarity, and understanding.
- 2. Follow the O.I.A. Method:
 - Observation Write down everything you notice in the text, even the simplest details. Don't overlook the obvious—just note what you see.
 - Interpretation What do those observations mean? Seek to understand the message and context of what you've written down.
 - Application Based on what you've read and understood, how does this truth apply to your life? What is God calling you to believe, change, or do?