

On The Move - Brave the Unknown with God



DAY 1

Read Exodus 3:2-4

“There the angel of the Lord appeared to Moses from inside a burning bush. Moses saw that the bush was on fire. But it didn’t burn up. So Moses thought, ‘I’ll go over and see this strange sight. Why doesn’t the bush burn up?’ The Lord saw that Moses had gone over to look. So God spoke to him from inside the bush. He called out, ‘Moses! Moses!’ ‘Here I am,’ Moses said” (NirV).

Have you ever seen something that made you stop and stare? That’s what happened to Moses. He was taking care of sheep when he saw a bush that was on fire—but it wasn’t burning up! When Moses got closer, he heard God’s voice. God had a big job for Moses: to help free His people from slavery in Egypt.

Moses didn’t feel ready. Moses felt scared! But God knew Moses could do it with His help.

God sometimes calls us to do things that seem hard, like trying something we’ve never done before. But remember, God promises to be with us every step of the way.

What is one new thing you can do this week with God’s help?



DAY 2

Read Exodus 3:11-12

But Moses spoke to God. “Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh?” he said. “Who am I that I should bring the Israelites out of Egypt?” God said, “I will be with you. I will give you a sign. It will prove that I have sent you. When you have brought the people out of Egypt, all of you will worship me on this mountain” (NirV).

Moses had a lot of questions. He was thinking “Who am I? I can’t do this!” He didn’t think he was good enough. But God didn’t tell Moses, “You go do it all by yourself.” God told Moses, “I will be with you.”

Sometimes we feel too small, too shy, or not strong enough. But God is bigger than our fears! He gives us the courage to do big and small things, with his help! Moses didn’t free God’s people because he was perfect; he did it because God helped him with every step!

Write or draw in the two columns! This will help you think about the times when you feel scared or weak, and that God helps us in those times!

I FEEL WEAK WHEN...

BUT GOD HELPS ME BY...

DAY 3

Read Exodus 4:12

“Now go. I will help you speak. I will teach you what to say” (NIV).

Moses had a big job ahead of him: to go and save all of God’s people in Egypt, to help rescue them. This was a big deal! Moses was so nervous and worried about how he could do it. But Moses wasn’t going to do it by himself. God was going to be with Moses!

Do this activity to help you remember that God is with you and will help you!

Get a piece of paper, crayons or markers, and your hand!

- Trace your hand on the piece of paper.
- Inside each finger, write one way God helps you.

(Examples: “God helps me be brave,” “God helps me speak,” “God helps me be kind,” “God helps me when I’m scared,” “God helps me forgive.”)

- At the top of the page, write “God Helps Me!”
- Color the hand and add little drawings around it—like a smiley face, a heart, or even a burning bush if you want!

Hang it somewhere in your room to remind you that God is always helping you, just like God helped Moses!

DAY 4

Read 2 Timothy 1:7

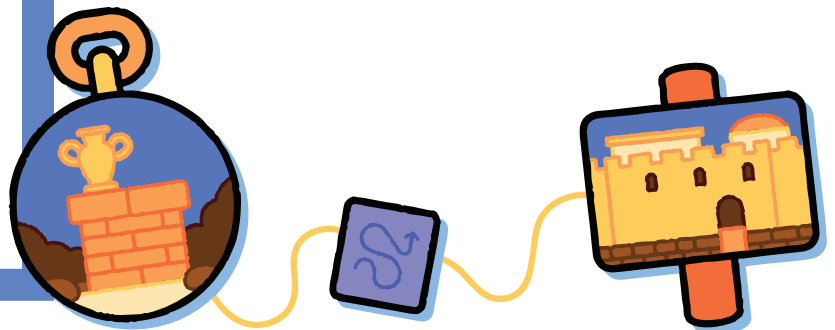
“God gave us his Spirit. And the Spirit doesn’t make us weak and fearful. Instead, the Spirit gives us power and love. He helps us control ourselves” (NIV).

Moses wasn’t perfect. He made mistakes, felt scared, and had doubts. But God still used Moses to do amazing things!

You don’t have to be the loudest, fastest, or smartest for God to use you. You just need to be willing to listen and trust Him. God gives you His Spirit, that’s God’s strength inside you! You can be brave even when things are hard.

TRY SOMETHING NEW

Make a list of three things you’ve never done before, like talking to someone new, trying a new food, or learning a new sport. Pick one thing from your list to try this week. Before you try it, pray and ask God for courage! God can help you, just like He helped Moses.



God can give you courage
when you don’t feel ready.