

**6** **STORY PICTURE: Troubles for Pharaoh**  
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# TROUBLES FOR PHARAOH

## EXODUS 5:1-2; 6:1; 7:1-12:31

Pharaoh was the king in Egypt, and God's people, the Hebrews, were Pharaoh's slaves. The Hebrews worked hard and long every day.

Moses knew God planned to help His people, but things were getting worse. Moses talked to God.

God said, "Moses, see what I will do to Pharaoh. He will let My people go because of My strong hand."

So Moses told the Hebrews that God would help them.

After that Moses and his brother went to see Pharaoh. Moses told Pharaoh that God said to let His people go. If Pharaoh did not release the Hebrews, God would punish Pharaoh and all the Egyptians.

Pharaoh did not let God's people go.

Over and over again Moses went to Pharaoh to talk to him. Every time Moses told Pharaoh God said to let His people go. If Pharaoh did not obey, God would make terrible things happen to Pharaoh, the Egyptians, and the land.

But Pharaoh did not have a kind heart. He did not like the Hebrews. He did not let God's people leave Egypt.

Finally, after God caused many terrible things to happen to Pharaoh and the Egyptians, Pharaoh was ready to let the Hebrews leave. Pharaoh called Moses to him and said, "Leave Egypt! Go, worship the Lord as you asked!"

And that is when Moses got the people ready to leave Egypt.





# For the Week of 1.10.2021

## EXPLORE THE BIBLE



### 1 Rhyme Time, Circle Time

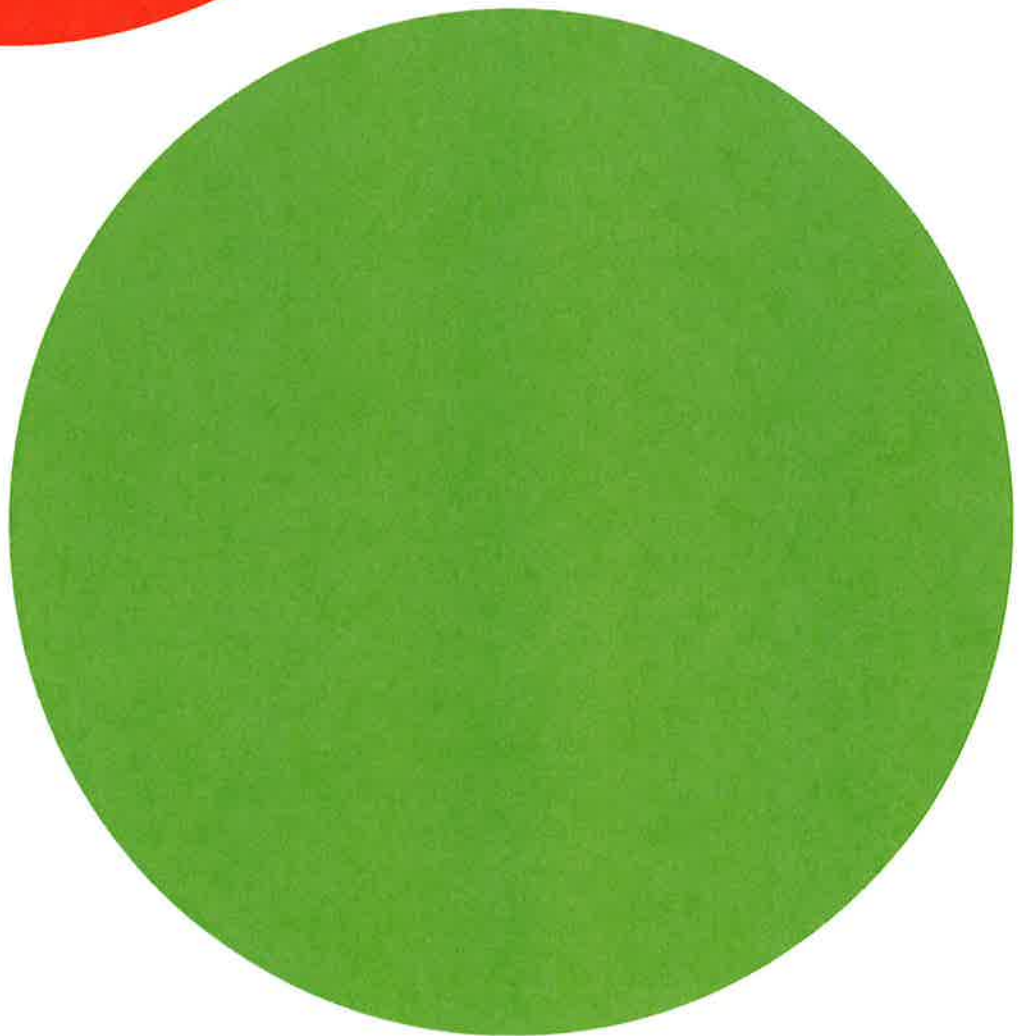
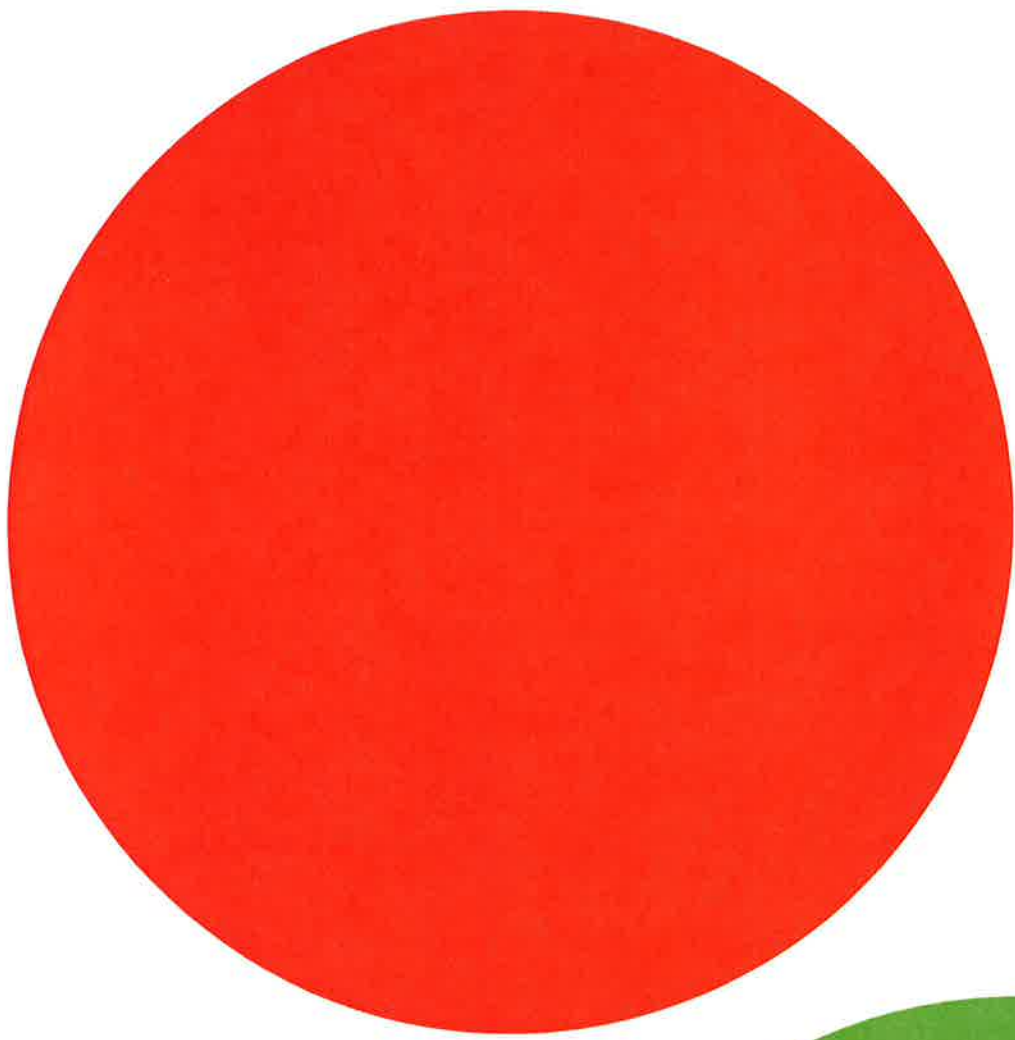
- While inviting children to circle time, say: "Let's play a rhyming game. I'll say a word, and you say words that rhyme." Give examples as needed. Now say: "What words rhyme with the word *slow*?" Suggest rhyming words, making sure the words *go* and *no* are mentioned.
- Comment: "Last week we learned of a baby named Moses who grew up in Egypt. After many, many years, God was ready for Moses to lead His people out of Egypt. In today's story we will hear what happened when Moses and his brother went to tell the king of Egypt what God said."
- Show children your Bible and comment that this is God's word. Then open your Bible to the Book of Exodus and explain that this is where the story of Moses is found. Use the Bible Story picture card to read aloud today's Bible story about Moses and Pharaoh.
- After reading, explain to children the red light, green light game. Tell children that you will give them instructions by using the red and green sign. When you hold up the green light sign, say: "go" - children may wiggle and move around until you hold up the red light sign.
- Remark: "Over and over again, Moses told Pharaoh that God would make bad things happen if he did not follow God's instructions. Like following instructions in the game, we follow God's instructions. God said *go* and Pharaoh said *no*."

### 2 Count to 10

- Show children the Bible Story Picture card one more time. Comment: "Moses went to Pharaoh ten times to give the king God's message. Ten times the Pharaoh said no, he would not let the people leave."
- Continue: "Let's practice counting to 10." Guide children in motions and activities like hopping on one foot for ten times, counting up 10 fingers, saying their name ten times, etc.
- Conclude by giving each child a ten frame paper on which they will count objects to complete each frame.

### 3 Picture Card Puzzle

- Point to Moses and his brother on the Bible Story Picture Card. Say: "Moses went to Pharaoh to tell him to let God's people leave Egypt. But Pharaoh refused to let the people leave. He just made the Hebrew people work even harder."
- Pass out the Bible Story Picture Card to each child and have them cut it apart into a puzzle. Once the pieces are cut apart, encourage the children to assemble the puzzle while retelling the Bible story in their own words.









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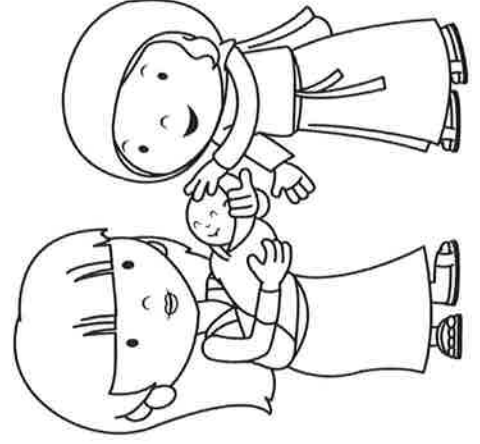
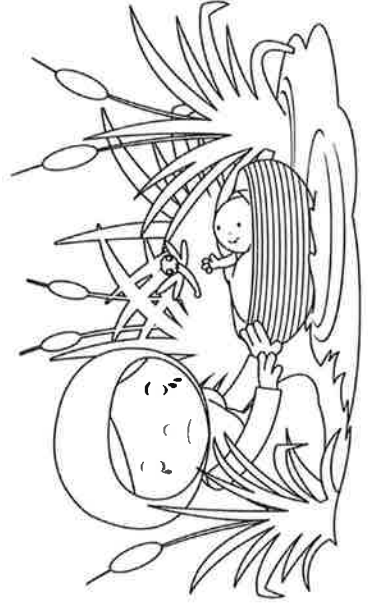
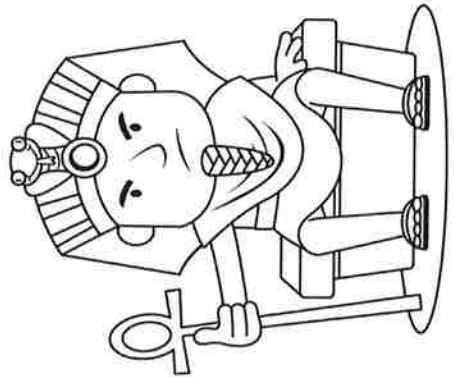
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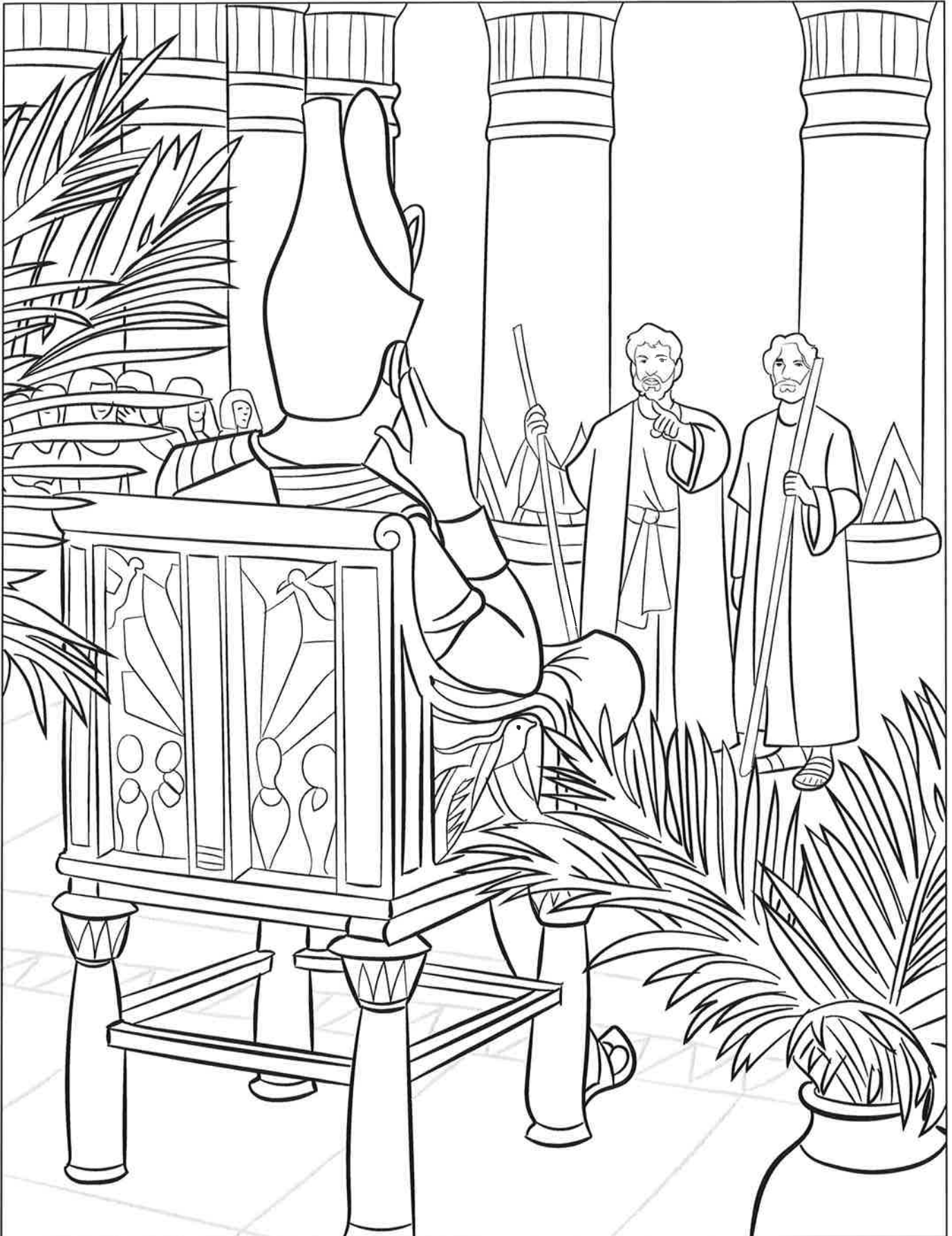
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# GOD'S MESSAGE TO PHARAOH

Number the shapes to show God's message to Pharaoh. Point to shapes that are the same. Trace the Bible phrase.

3

people

2

My

4

go

1

Let

Let

My

people

go