



Mother's Day

Moses, Moses, Moses
But what about Jochebed?

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Now a man of the tribe of Levi married a Levite woman, and she became pregnant and gave birth to a son. When she saw that he was a fine child, she hid him for three months.

But when she could hide him no longer, she got a papyrus basket for him and coated it with tar and pitch. Then she placed the child in it and put it among the reeds along the bank of the Nile.

His sister stood at a distance to see what would happen to him.

Then Pharaoh's daughter
went down to the Nile to
bathe, and her
attendants were walking
along the riverbank. She
saw the basket among
the reeds and sent her
female slave to get it.

She opened it and saw the baby. He was crying and she felt sorry for him. “This is one of the Hebrew babies,” she said.

Then his sister asked
Pharaoh's daughter,
“Shall I go and get
one of the Hebrew
women to nurse the
baby for you?”

“Yes, go,” she answered.
So the girl went and got
the baby’s mother.
Pharaoh’s daughter said
to her, “Take this baby
and nurse him for me,
and I will pay you.”

So the woman took the baby and nursed him. When the child grew older, she took him to Pharaoh's daughter and he became her son. She named him Moses, saying, "I drew him out of the water."

**What do we know
about Jochebed?**

She was married.

Mother to 3 children.

**She took a leap of faith and
trusted God.**

**That leap of faith led way for
Moses to become the leader he
needed to become.**

God blessed her for her faith.

1. She had to give him up
when she hid him in the
river.

2. She had to give him
back to the Pharaoh's
daughter when he was
old enough.

1. God uses the
unseen and
overlooked.

Isaiah 43:19

Behold I am doing a new
thing; now it springs
forth, do you not
perceive it?

I will make a way in the
wilderness and rivers in
the desert.

**2. God blesses what
we give Him and
gives us more.**

Ephesians 3:20

Now to Him who is able
to do immeasurably
more than all we ask or
imagine, according to
His power that is at
work within us.

**3. What we do and
how we trust in God
matters more than we
realize.**

Colossians 3:23

Whatever you do,
work at it with all your
heart, as working for
the Lord and not for
men.

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