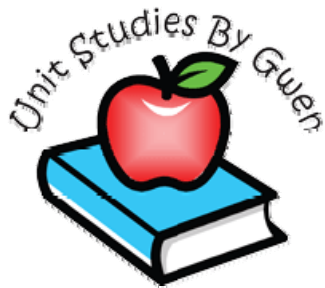


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# In the Desert

Moses leads his people to Canaan

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Can you see God? What reminders can you see, touch, hear, or smell that remind you of God?

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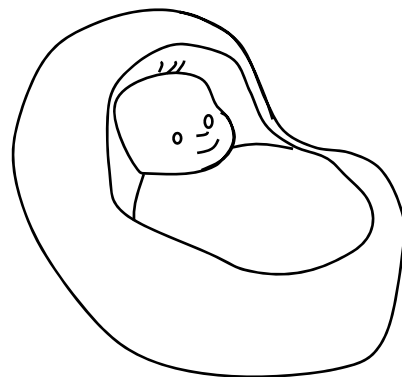
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Moses was born in Egypt. His mom and sister put him in a basket in the river and he was raised in the Pharaoh's palace.



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When Moses was older, he learned he was a Jew and not really the Pharaoh's son. He went out into the desert.



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Sometimes the people forgot about God, but God didn't forget about the Israelites. He kept giving the Israelites the cloud and the fire.



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It took 40 years for the Israelites to reach Canaan and the cloud and fire stayed with them the whole time.

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After some years in the desert, God talked to Moses in a burning bush. God told Moses to take his people out of Egypt and lead them to Canaan.



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God parted the Red Sea so the Israelites could cross. When the Israelites were safe, the Red Sea went back to normal.



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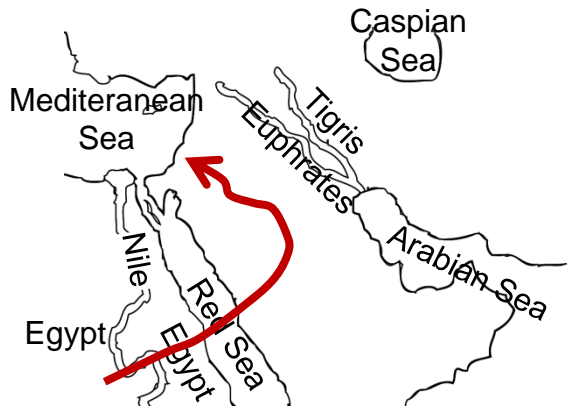
During the day God sent a big cloud to remind the people he was there. The cloud protected the people from the hot sun.



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If the Israelites got too frightened, they might change their minds and go back to Egypt, so God decided to remind the people, day and night, that he was there.



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The cloud in the day and fire at night continued with the Israelites until they arrived in Canaan.



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At night, God put a pillar of fire in the sky. The fire provided heat and light to the people.



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The people had to cross the Red Sea to get away from Pharaoh's army. God put the pillar of fire between the Israelites and Pharaoh's army.



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