

# Moses: Prophet of Deliverance

## Introduction

*Prophet* - "a person regarded as an inspired teacher or proclaimer of the will of God". But given this definition, how do we discern a true prophet from a false prophet? In today's lesson, we not only discover the differences between a true prophet and a false prophet, we also find out what happens to people who prophesy falsely in God's name.

## Today's Lesson Objectives

- **Study** Moses' role as a prophet of God in leading the Israelites out of Egypt
- **Reflect** on leaders who guide us through seemingly impossible situations
- Completely **Rely** on God in resolving challenging situations

## Scripture

Deuteronomy 18:15-22 (KJV)

"Know therefore that the LORD thy God, he is God, the faithful God, which keepeth covenant and mercy with them that love him and keep his commandments to a thousand generations;" (Deuteronomy 7:9, KJV)

## About Today's Lesson...

Imagine the bible being a jigsaw puzzle. When completed, what would the resulting picture be? There is a common thread that runs through the bible. Do you know what it is? Through God's chosen servant, the prophet Moses, the coming of Jesus Christ is foretold in today's lesson.

After the Israelites were delivered out of Egypt, Moses gave three "farewell" addresses to the people. During his second address, Moses tells the people that "The LORD thy God will raise up unto thee a Prophet from the midst of thee, of thy brethren, like unto me; unto him ye shall hearken;" (Deuteronomy 18:15, KJV). So Moses not only helped deliver the people out of Egypt, he also delivered God's word to them. And like a true prophet, God's words through Moses would surely come to pass.

Good leadership is especially helpful during challenging times. Let God be your leader as you make your way to the "promised land".

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