**LESSON 1 – Walk His Walk and Talk His Talk – I’ll Do it My Way**

**Scripture: Exodus 1:7 – 2:15**

**MEMORY VERSE: My thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways,” declares the Lord.**

**FOCUS: God wants us to do things His Way.**

1. **What are directions? (**Instructions that guide us on how to do something or go somewhere.)
2. **Who usually gives us directions?** (God’s word, parents, teachers, doctors, family members.**)**
3. **What did Pharoah order the midwives to do?** (Kill the Hebrew boys when they were born.)
4. **Why didn’t the midwives obey Pharoah?** (Because they feared God.)
5. **What did Moses do to the Egyptian who was beating the Hebrew?** (He killed him.)
6. **What did Moses do the next day?** (Moses tried to stop two Hebrews from fighting.)
7. **When Moses killed the Hebrew, who was he trusting in?** (He was trusting in himself because he didn’t follow God’s directions.)
8. **How does our lesson focus, “God wants us to do things His way”, relate to this lesson**? (Moses did not act the way God wanted him to act when he killed the Egyptian.)

**LESSON 2 – Help Wanted, A Little Help Please**

**Scripture: Exodus 3:1 through Exodus 4:20**

**MEMORY VERSE: [The Lord said] “I will help you speak and will teach you what to say.”**

**FOCUS: God helps us to do what we think we can’t do.**

1. **What appeared to Moses** (An angel of the Lord.)
2. **What was strange about the bush?** (It was on fire but it did not burn.)
3. **Why did God tell Moses to take off his sandals?** (Because Moses was standing on holy ground. This was a sign of reverence for God.)
4. **What did God want Moses to do?** (To go to Pharaoh and bring the Israelites out of Egypt.)
5. **How did God answer Moses?** (He said that He would go with Moses and help him.)
6. **How did God offer Moses help?** (God would help Moses speak and teach him what to say.)
7. **Why do you think Moses didn’t want to do what God asked him to do?** (He didn’t think he could do the job God was giving him.)
8. **How did God help Moses do what he thought he couldn’t do?** (God provided help in the form of Moses’ brother, Aaron, so that Moses could do the task God had given Him to do. God gave Moses a staff to perform miracles.)
9. **How do you ask God for Help?** (Pray)

**LESSON 3 – Don’t Give Up**

**Scripture: Exodus 5:1- 10:29**

**MEMORY VERSE: Blessed is the one who preservers under trial. (James 1:12)**

**FOCUS: God is in control, do don’t give up**

1. **How did Moses respond to the complaints by the Hebrews? (**Moses asked the Lord why he was bringing trouble to the enslaved people. )
2. **How did God answer?** (By telling Moses that now God will show His power to Pharaoh.)
3. **What could the “magicians” do?** (Turn their staffs into snakes.)
4. **How did God prove that He was stronger and in control?** (He made Aaron’s staff/snake swallow up the other staffs/snakes. )
5. **How did Pharaoh react?** (Pharaoh was stubborn and still would not listen. So, God called down 9 plagues on the Egyptians. First, the Nile River turned to blood, then came frogs, gnats, and flies; their livestock died; people got boils; then came the hail, locusts, and darkness.)
6. **How did Moses respond to the complaints by the Hebrews?** (Moses asked the Lord why he was bringing trouble to the enslaved people.)
7. **How did God answer?** (By telling Moses that now God will show His power to Pharaoh.)

**Please note Lesson 5 was presented on 11/13/2022 followed by Lesson 4 on 11/20/2022:**

**LESSON 5 – Truth or Urban Legend – Bible Heroes**

**SCRIPTURE: Exodus 13:17 – 15:22**

**MEMORY VERSE: Now faith is the evidence of things we hope for and assurance about what we do not see. (Hebrews 11:1)**

**FOCUS: God can help us in hopeless times.**

1. **Why didn’t they travel the shortest way?** (Because that route would have taken them directly through enemy)
2. **What did God say might happen if the Israelites had gone through enemy country?** (God knew if the Israelites got involved in a war with their enemies, the Philistines, they might become discouraged and turn back to Egypt.
3. **How did the Israelites know that God was with them?** (God led them with a pillar of cloud by day and a pillar of fire by night.)
4. **Why do you think God allowed this to happen to His people?** (God did this so that He would be glorified; to the Egyptians that He’s Lord to show the Hebrews His ability to save them from hopeless situations.)
5. **How did God show he had power?** (He parted the Read Sea so the people could go through on dry ground.)
6. **How would you have felt if you were an Israelite’s faith in God?** (Students answer)

**LESSON 4 – Do You Promise – Free At Last**

**SCRIPTURE: Exodus 11:1 – 12:42**

**Memory Verse: 19God is not human, that he should lie, not a human being, that he should change his mind. Does he speak and then not act? Does he promise and not fulfill? Numbers 23:19 (NIV)**

**FOCUS: God fulfills his promises.**

1. **Does God lie?** (God never lies.)
2. **What is a promise?** (A promise is a declaration that one will or will not do a certain thing.)
3. **What was the Passover?** (One of the 10 plaques of Egypt when the Lord Passover the first born of Israel and killed the first born of the Egyptians.)
4. **What did God tell Moses would happen to the Egyptians the night of the Passover?** ( He would pass through Egypt and strike down every firstborn of both people and animals and bring judgement on the Egypt.)
5. **What did God tell the people to do to prepare to leave Egypt?** (God told each Hebrew family to kill a lamb and place some blood on the sides and top of their door frame and eat the lamb as part of a meal.)
6. **How did God’s promise come true for the Israelites** (God’s promise came true, just as he said, because the Israelites obeyed him, they were released after 430 years of slavery in Egypt.)

**LESSON 6 – Oh, I Can’t Complain**

**SCRIPTURE: Exodus 15:23-17:7**

**MEMORY VERSE: Those who are wayward in spirit will gain understanding; those who complain will accept instruction. (Isaiah 29:24)**

**FOCUS: Grumbling gets us nowhere.**

1. **What is grumbling?** (Grumbling is another word for complaining, being dissatisfied.)
2. **Why were the Israelites unhappy?** (They didn’t have enough food to eat; they thought they would die; they were remembering the food they had in Egypt and wished they had never left.)
3. **What should they have done instead of grumbling?** (They should have trusted in God to help them; they should have prayed to God for help.)
4. **Why does grumbling displease God?** (It shows that we are not trusting Him. He wants us to trust him and to turn to Him for our needs.)
5. **What did God do for the unhappy people?** (God sent quail into the camp. The Israelites caught and ate them. Every morning, except on the Sabbath, the ground was covered with a special kind of bread.)
6. **What was God’s order to Moses?** (Moses was to speak to the rock and water would come out.)
7. **How did Moses disobey God?** (He hit the rock instead of speaking to it.)
8. **If you were making a movie, what would you call it?** (Student answer)