



Moses Is Born

Exodus 1-2:10, 3:9-10

Long ago, all of God's people had to work hard for a mean leader named Pharaoh. (Pronounced "Feh-roh")

Pharaoh was so mean that he decided to get rid of God's people. He made a rule that all the baby boys who were born had to be thrown into the river.

Let me hear you say this after me, "Oh, no!" (Kids will say, "Oh, no!")



(Point to the woman)

There was a mommy who loved God and loved her baby boy. Instead of throwing her baby in the river, she made a basket for him that would keep him safe as he floated.

She knew that God loved her little boy and would take care of him, so she put her baby in the basket and let it float down the river.



(Point to the little girl. Miriram is pronounced "Mih-ee-um.")

This is Miriam, the baby boy's sister. She loved him so much that she ran along the river, watching him as he floated.



(Point to Miriam)

Miriam hid in the tall grass and watched as the basket floated up to (point to older woman) Pharaoh's daughter who was washing in the water.

She looked in the basket and found a crying baby boy! She felt sorry for the baby and wanted to help him.

When Miriam saw that Pharaoh's daughter wanted to help the baby, she went to Pharaoh's daughter and asked if she wanted someone to take care of him.

On the count of three, let me hear you say, "Yes!" One, two, three! (Kids will say, "Yes!")



Pharaoh's daughter let this special baby be taken care of by his very own mommy! (Point to picture.)

God loved this baby boy and took such good care of him. This boy's name was Moses. God gave Moses a special mommy and sister who loved him and did all they could to help him.

Just like God loved Moses, God loves you and me! Let me hear you say this after me: (Pause to allow kids to repeat)

God (both hands point up)

Loves (hug self)

Me (thumbs to chest)