

THE GOD OF THE SECOND CHANCE

Moses: The Power of a Selfless Life – Part 2

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Exodus 2:11-4:11

Two Big Lessons

1. MY SIN HAS CONSEQUENCES.

“When Pharaoh heard of this, he tried to kill Moses, but Moses fled from Pharaoh and went to live in Midian...” Exodus 2:15a (NIV)

“Do not be deceived: God is not mocked, for whatever one sows, that will he also reap.” Galatians 6:7 (ESV)

Moses’ Choice in the Desert: Humility

“...God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble. Humble yourselves, therefore, under God’s mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time.” I Peter 5:5b-6 (NIV)

2. GOD OFFERS A SECOND CHANCE.

“There the angel of the LORD appeared to him in flames of fire from within a bush. Moses saw that though the bush was on fire it did not burn up... And now the cry of the Israelites has reached me, and I have seen the way the Egyptians are oppressing them. So now, go. I am sending you to Pharaoh to bring my people the Israelites out of Egypt.” Exodus 3:2, 9-10 (NIV)

“Then the word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time...” Jonah 3:1 (NIV)

Remember: Failure does not have to be final.

“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come!” II Corinthians 5:17 (NIV)