

But I Killed Him For You

Kevin Caudle – October 18, 2020

11 Many years later, when Moses had grown up, he went out to visit his own people, the Hebrews, and he saw how hard they were forced to work. During his visit, he saw an Egyptian beating one of his fellow Hebrews. 12 After looking in all directions to make sure no one was watching, Moses killed the Egyptian and hid the body in the sand. (Exodus 2:11, 12 NLT)

23 "One day when Moses was forty years old, he decided to visit his relatives, the people of Israel. 24 He saw an Egyptian mistreating an Israelite. So Moses came to the man's defense and avenged him, killing the Egyptian. 25 Moses assumed his fellow Israelites would realize that God had sent him to rescue them, but they didn't. (Acts 7:23-25 NIV)

Moses doesn't just kill him...he buries him.

The next day, when Moses went out to visit his people again, he saw two Hebrew men fighting. "Why are you beating up your friend?" Moses said to the one who had started the fight. The man replied, "Who appointed you to be our prince and judge? Are you going to kill me as you killed that Egyptian yesterday?" Then Moses was afraid, thinking, "Everyone knows what I did." And sure enough, Pharaoh heard what had happened, and he tried to kill Moses. But Moses fled from Pharaoh and went to live in the land of Midian. When Moses arrived in Midian, he sat down beside a well. (Exodus 2:13-15 NLT)

See you later integrity

The lesson is always the same...Trust Me.

Life Group Questions

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For the week of October 18, 2020

This guide is designed to help you digest Sunday's teaching in a deeper way. It is intended to be used alongside the Sunday teaching notes. While the questions are written to be used in Life Groups, you can also use it individually or as a family.

Warming Up

1. Tell us about a time when you did something to impress someone and it didn't go as planned.
2. Why do you think it's so tempting to drop our integrity a little in order to find favor with people?

Jumping In

3. Moses' mother knew there was something special about her boy and Moses knew that God had more for him, more than he was currently experiencing. Talk about a time when you knew God was calling you out of your current situation and into more.

4. Read Acts 7:23-25. Luke tells us that Moses thought he could gain the trust or allegiance of the Hebrews by killing the Egyptian. Is that a natural response for us too?

5. Talk about a time when you struggled with waiting for God's timing? How did that play out?

6. Kevin said, "Any situation that starts in rebellion ends in disaster." Have you found this to be true in your own life? Explain.

7. Read Proverbs 3:1-8. Which part of this proverb stands out the most to you? What in your life needs to change based on that part of the proverb?

Making It Stick / Living It

8. How can this group pray for you to no lean on your own understanding but to allow the Holy Spirit to guide your path?