

Passage Outline:

Vs. 1-4

A Levite marries a Levite

- **She conceives and bears a son**
- **She hides him**
- **Her daughter watches**

Vs. 5-10

Pharaoh's daughter bathes

- **She sees basket (among reeds)**
- **She pities crying baby**
 - **Sister: Shall I find a Hebrew nurse?**
 - **Mother nursed/ when grown Pharaoh's daughter raised**
- **Named him: Moses**

Key words and Thoughts: Levite (לֵוִי); good (טוֹב); box (תִּבְיָה); reed (סוּף); wage (שֶׂכָר); pity/spare (חָמַל); draw out/ save (מָשָׁה);

Questions:

1. **What impresses you most about Moses' birth mother: Her courage, her resourcefulness, her faith?**
2. **From your life, would you relate to Moses' mother, Moses the child, or the Pharaoh's daughter in this story? Who do you see as the greater hero in this passage: Moses' mother, Pharaoh's daughter? Why?**
3. **Pharaoh's daughter hears the crying baby and feels pity for the child and saves the child. What has moved your heart to do something drastic?**