

**Big Picture of the Bible—Old Testament
Lesson Plan Answer Key
Module 3: Establishing the Nation
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Memory Verses**

Section 1: Exile in Egypt

“For I know the plans I have for you,” says the LORD. “They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope.” (Jeremiah 29:11 NLT)

Section 2: The Call of Moses

“The LORD will work out his plans for my life—for your faithful love, O LORD, endures forever.” (Psalm 138:8 NLT)

Section 3: The Passover Miracle

“Christ, our Passover Lamb, has been sacrificed for us.” (1 Corinthians 5:7c NLT)

Section 4: Out of Egypt

“But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.” (Matthew 6:33 NKJ)

Section 5: The Ten Commandments

“Honor your father and your mother, so that you may live long in the land the LORD your God is giving you.” (Exodus 20:12 NIV)

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Review Answers:

- 1) When the book of Exodus opens, approximately how many years had passed since Jacob and his family migrated to Egypt?
d) 430
- 2) Approximately how many people from Jacob's household originally migrated to Egypt?
b) 70
- 3) Joseph was the patriarch of two tribes. What were the names of these two tribes?
a) Ephraim and Manasseh
- 4) Approximately how many of Jacob's descendants were living in Egypt when the book of Exodus opens?
d) Two and a half million
- 5) What were Jacob's descendants called in the book of Exodus?
b) Hebrews or Israelites
- 6) What happened to Jacob's descendants some time after the book of Genesis and before the book of Exodus?
d) They became slaves of the Egyptians.
- 7) Who did the Lord divinely empower to deliver the Israelites from bondage in Egypt?
b) Moses
- 8) How many plagues did God send that devastated Egypt?
a) 10
- 9) What body of water did God part so that the Israelites could walk across and escape the Egyptians?
c) The Red Sea
- 10) Who divinely guided the Israelites through the desert as they traveled to Canaan?
a) God

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Vocabulary Mix and Match:

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| 1) Patriarch | <u> K </u> | A) Jewish holiday celebrating delivery from slavery |
| 2) Tribe | <u> I </u> | B) The nation or people who are Jacob's descendants |
| 3) Significant | <u> J </u> | C) To set apart to the service or worship of God |
| 4) Hebrews | <u> H </u> | D) To reduce to servitude by a dominant group or race |
| 5) Israelites | <u> B </u> | E) To enable or give power and authority to |
| 6) Enslave | <u> D </u> | F) To care for or foster the growth of |
| 7) Oppress | <u> L </u> | G) An extraordinary or supernatural event |
| 8) Empower | <u> E </u> | H) Israelites or descendants of Noah's son Shem |
| 9) Passover | <u> A </u> | I) A family or group of related people |
| 10) Cultivate | <u> F </u> | J) Important or having considerable meaning |
| 11) Miracle | <u> G </u> | K) Ruling ancestor or founding father of a family |
| 12) Holy | <u> C </u> | L) To cause to suffer or impose excessive burdens |

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Section 1: Exile in Egypt

Review Questions:

- 1) Where were Jacob's descendants living when the book of Exodus opens?
c) Goshen
- 2) After Joseph's death, another Pharaoh (or king) came into power. Why was the new Pharaoh concerned about such a large number of Israelites living in Egypt?
d) The Pharaoh was concerned that the Israelites might take over his kingdom.
- 3) What did the new Pharaoh do to alleviate his concerns about the large number of Israelites who lived in Egypt?
b) He enslaved the Israelites.
- 4) Although the Israelites were being greatly oppressed by the Egyptians, they continued to grow in numbers. What did Pharaoh do to slow down the Israelites' population growth?
d) He ordered all baby boys born to Israelites to be thrown in the river.
- 5) This lesson was about a baby boy born to parents from which of the tribes of Israel?
a) Levi
- 6) In this lesson, how did the mother save her baby from certain death?
c) She put him in a basket and placed it along the bank of the river.
- 7) Who found the mother's baby and named him Moses?
b) Pharaoh's daughter
- 8) When Moses grew into adulthood, what crime did he commit?
c) He killed an Egyptian.
- 9) Where did Moses go when he left Egypt?
a) Midian
- 10) Moses married Zipporah and began working for her father. What kind of work did Moses do for his father-in-law?
c) Moses worked as a shepherd.

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Section 1: Exile in Egypt**

Cross Word Puzzle:

Across

3. **Taskmaster**—One who imposes hard continuous work
5. **Exile**—Forced separation from one’s country
7. **Harass**—Tease, annoy, irritate
8. **Priest**—A person who performs religious duties
10. **Foreigner**—A person who lives outside of his or her native country
11. **Brutal**—Savage, cruel, inhumane

Down

1. **Execution**—Putting a condemned person to death
2. **Orchestrate**—Plan, direct, engineer, or mastermind
4. **Compassion**—Feeling, sorrow or sympathy for, mercy
6. **Cautious**—Careful, watchful, discreet
9. **Generation**—People living during the same time period
12. **Align**—Unite or team up with

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Section 2: The Call of Moses

Review Questions:

- 1) Where was Moses when the Lord called out to him?
c) Horeb, also called Sinai
- 2) How did God get Moses' attention?
b) God called out to him from a burning bush.
- 3) What was Moses' assignment from the Lord?
d) God sent Moses to deliver the Israelites from slavery.
- 4) How did Moses initially feel about his assignment from God?
b) Moses was reluctant about God's plan.
- 5) What name did God tell Moses to call Him?
c) Yahweh
- 6) What does the name God told Moses to call Him mean?
a) I am Who I am
- 7) What did God say when Moses told him that he was not an eloquent speaker?
a) God said, "Your brother Aaron will speak to the people for you."
- 8) What did God give Moses to help him perform miracles?
d) A staff
- 9) When Moses and Aaron confronted Pharaoh demanding that he let the Israelites go, how did Pharaoh initially respond?
a) Pharaoh stubbornly refused.
- 10) In this lesson, how did God demonstrate His power to Pharaoh?
c) God sent ten plagues that devastated Egypt.

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Section 3: The Passover Miracle

Review Questions:

- 1) What did God tell the Israelites to do before He sent the tenth plague to Egypt?
 - c) God told Moses to tell the Israelites to slaughter a lamb that was perfect and without defect, and smear its blood on their doorframes.
- 2) What did God's destroyer (angel of death) do in this lesson?
 - c) Killed the Egyptians' firstborn sons and firstborn animals.
- 3) What was the Passover miracle?
 - b) An event in which God's angel of death spared the Israelites' firstborn sons.
- 4) According to Apostle Paul, who is our Passover Lamb?
 - a) Jesus Christ
- 5) Passover is a Jewish holiday that is still celebrated annually. What does the holiday celebrate?
 - c) How God delivered the Israelites from slavery.
- 6) What did Pharaoh tell the Israelites to do after the Passover miracle?
 - d) Gather their belongings and leave Egypt at once.
- 7) What is unleavened bread?
 - b) A type of flat bread.
- 8) Why did the Israelites travel with unleavened bread?
 - a) Because they left in such a hurry that they did not have time to let their bread rise.
- 9) According to the note on page 87 of your study guide, what does "yeast" or "leavening" represent in scripture?
 - d) Sin
- 10) The Feast of Unleavened Bread is celebrated as part of Passover in today's times. What does unleavened bread symbolize during this celebration?
 - c) Freedom from slavery

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Section 4: Out of Egypt

Review Answers:

- 1) Moses led the Israelites out of Egypt to what body of water?
c) The Red Sea
- 2) What did the Israelites use as a guide as they traveled through the desert?
b) A pillar of cloud and a pillar of fire
- 3) Why didn't the Israelites take the shortest route to Canaan?
d) Because God knew the Israelites would lose a battle against the Philistines.
- 4) When the Israelites left Egypt, they kept a promise their forefathers had made long ago. What was this promise?
b) They promised to take Joseph's remains to Canaan with them.
- 5) Shortly after the Israelites' departure, Pharaoh and his army came after them. How did the Israelites escape?
c) God miraculously parted the Red Sea so that they could walk safely across it.
- 6) What happened to Pharaoh's army after all the Israelites crossed the water and were safe on the other side?
a) They drowned.
- 7) As the Israelites journeyed through the desert what did they complain about in this lesson?
d) They complained about the lack of food and water.
- 8) How did God answer the Israelites complaints in this lesson?
b) God gave the Israelites water to drink and food to eat.
- 9) What did God tell the Israelites to do to prevent sickness and disease?
c) God told them to obey Him.
- 10) What does Jehovah-Rapha mean?
b) The Lord who Heals.

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- 11) God provided manna for the Israelites to eat as food. What does the word “manna” mean?
 - a) Manna means “what is it.”

- 12) What happened in this lesson when Moses struck a rock with the staff of God?
 - c) Water gushed out of the rock.

- 13) Who led the Israelites into a battle against the Amalekites?
 - c) Joshua

- 14) What did Moses hold in his hand when the Israelites fought a battle against the Amalekites?
 - b) The Staff of God

- 15) What happened when Moses lowered his hands during the battle?
 - c) The Israelites began losing the battle.

- 16) After the Israelites won the battle against the Amalekites, Moses built an altar and called it Jehovah-Nissi. What does Jehovah-Nissi mean?
 - d) The Lord is my Banner.

- 17) Who heard about God’s miracles and came to meet with Moses in the desert?
 - a) Moses’ father-in-law

- 18) What advice did Jethro give to Moses?
 - c) Jethro advised Moses to delegate authority to other capable leaders.

- 19) After traveling through the desert for about two months, where did the Israelites set up camp in this lesson?
 - c) At Mount Sinai

- 20) Moses told Israel that they would be God’s treasured possession if they obeyed and kept God’s commandments. How did the leaders of Israel respond to Moses’ message from God?
 - b) They said they would do everything God has spoken.

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Section 4: Out of Egypt**

Crossword Puzzle:

Across

3. **Moral**—Relating to the principals of right and wrong behavior
4. **Nomad**—A person who roams or has no permanent home
8. **Confusion**—Disorder or state of being mixed up
10. **Aggressive**—Pushy, making assaults, unjustly attacking
12. **Retreat**—Withdrawing, pulling away, or going back

Down

1. **Unison**—Harmony, agreement, single-minded
2. **Priority**—Superior in rank or importance
5. **Manna**—Food substance the Israelites ate in the desert
6. **Delegate**—To empower or send as one's representative
7. **Chariot**—A carriage used in ancient wars or races
9. **Social**—Relating to cooperative or interdependent relationships
11. **Equip**—Supply or provide whatever is necessary for action

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Section 5: The Ten Commandments**

Review Questions:

- 1) Which of these was “not” one of the Ten Commandments?
 - c) You shall do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

- 2) In addition to the Ten Commandments, what else did God give to the Israelites in this lesson?
 - b) Numerous other laws that covered social, moral, and religious issues.

- 3) How did the Israelites respond when Moses read God’s covenant laws to them?
 - a) They said they would do everything the Lord.

- 4) What did Moses do after he read God’s covenant laws to the Israelites?
 - b) Moses sprinkled blood on the altar.

- 5) God called Moses to the top of Mount Sinai for more detailed instructions. Who did Moses take with him?
 - d) Joshua

- 6) What did God give to Moses while he was on top of Mount Sinai?
 - c) Plans for building a tabernacle.

- 7) Jehovah—Mekoddishkem is a Hebrew name of God. What does this name of God mean?
 - b) The Lord Who Makes You Holy.

- 8) What did the Israelites do while Moses was on top of Mount Sinai?
 - c) They made a golden calf and worshipped it.

- 9) The Lord became angry with the Israelites because they had sinned. What did God threaten to do to them in this lesson?
 - b) To destroy them and make a great nation of Moses’ descendants.

- 10) God renewed His covenant with the Israelites after someone pleaded with God to forgive them. Who interceded in prayer for the Israelites?
 - d) Moses

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Section 5: The Ten Commandments**

Vocabulary Mix and Match:

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| 1) Idol | <u> G </u> | A) The killing of a person by another |
| 2) Adultery | <u> J </u> | B) An agreement |
| 3) Homicide | <u> A </u> | C) A day of rest and worship |
| 4) Assault | <u> H </u> | D) Complying or submitting to authority |
| 5) Bribery | <u> I </u> | E) To show religious devotion |
| 6) Treaty | <u> B </u> | F) To give in or yield, to show mercy |
| 7) Obedient | <u> D </u> | G) An object of worship, a false god |
| 8) Tabernacle | <u> L </u> | H) To attack with weapons or words |
| 9) Sabbath | <u> C </u> | I) Offering something to gain illegal advantage |
| 10) Sanctify | <u> K </u> | J) The unfaithfulness of a married person |
| 11) Worship | <u> E </u> | K) To set apart as sacred or to make holy |
| 12) Relent | <u> F </u> | L) A mobile tent-like structure used for worship |

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Chapter Review**

Review Answers are on pages 256 – 257 of *Big Picture of the Bible—Old Testament*.