Stan & Scott **September 29, 2024**
Exodus 3:1-22

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The king of Egypt died
- **The Israelites groaned**
  - **God heard their cry and remembered His covenant**

Vs. 1-6
Moses the shepherd
- **Came to Horeb (Mountain of God)**
- **Angel of the LORD in unquenched flaming bush**
  - **Moses turned aside**
    - **Voice of LORD God**
    - **Moses: Here am I**
      - **No further: Holy ground**
      - **I am the God of your forebears**
        - **Moses feared**

Vs. 7-12
The LORD:
- **I have observed/ heard my people's misery**
- **I will deliver them**
- **So … I will send you**
  - **But Moses:**
    - **Who am I?**
- **I will be with you**
  - **Here's a sign: You shall worship here**

Vs. 13-15
But Moses:
- **What's your name—if Israelites ask?**
- **God: "I AM who I AM"**
  - **Tell them: "The LORD God has sent you …"**
    - **My Name forever**

Vs. 16-22
The LORD
- **Go and assemble the elders and say**
  - **The LORD God has sent me**
    - **He knows your misery**
    - **He will lead you to a land of milk and honey**

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- **They will listen to you**
    - **And you and they will approach Pharaoh**
        - **Let us worship a three-day's journey**
    - **Pharaoh won't listen unless**
        - **So I will strike Egypt**
        - **They will let you go with bounty**

Key words and Thoughts: to know (יָדַע); Jethro (יִתְרוֹ); Horeb/ waste (חֹרֵב); messenger (מַלְאָךְ); eat (אָכַל); bush (סְנֶה); LORD (יְהוָה) call (קָרָא); ground (אֲדָמָה); holy (קָדוֹשׁ); fear (יִרְאָה); affliction (נָבַט); to look (נָבַט); cry of wound (אָנַק); pain (מַכְאֹב); grinding oppression (לַחַץ); send (שָׁלַח); serve/work (עָבַד); name (שֵׁם); to be (הָיָה); forever (עָלַם); sacrifice/slaughter (זָבַח); strength/power (חֹזֶק); strike (נָגָה); favor/grace (חֵן); go/walk (הָלַךְ); strip (נָצַל)

Questions:

1. **Why do you think God used a burning bush to get Moses' attention? Why is that area around the bush holy ground?**
2. **In what ways have you heard God's voice? Through scripture, through the Holy Spirit in you, through others, through circumstances, through prayer?**
3. **Why do you think Moses questioned God? If you had been Moses, how do you think you would have reacted?**