Faith Over Fear
"By Faith… Moses"
Hebrews 11:22

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Introduction:

- **1st Peter 5:8-11**
- **Matthew 28:18-20**
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- **John 8:44**
- **Exodus 1:6-10**
- **Genesis 1-2:10** – We see the murderous edict being carried out.
- Do you realize that each one of us were created by our Creator with a special purpose in mind?
- Are you fulfilling your purpose in Creation?

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1. Moses Runs Ahead of God:
   a. **Exodus 2:11-14**
   b. What do I mean by, "Running ahead of God?" … It is assuming that you know what God wants in your life, and you know how He wants you to get there without ever once asking for God's guidance.
   c. **Ecclesiastes 1:9**
   d. **Exodus 2:13-14**
   e. **Psalm 46:10-11**
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2. God Gives Moses His Identity:
   a. **Exodus 3:1-6**
   b. Gershom … Which means, "An Alien here."
   c. **Exodus 3:4-6**
   d. I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. In other words, Moses, I am YOUR God and you belong to Me.
   e. **Ephesians 2:1-3** - We were – Dead in our sins … Following Satan and the culture of the world … accepting as okay all that the world said was okay … We were filling ourselves with the sinful desires of the world … AND … we deserved the wrath of God.
   f. **Ephesians 2:4-10** - You are - So loved by God that He gave His life for you to pay for your sins … He has saved you because He is gracious and has mercy … You are His creation in His Image … He Created you to do the good works that only you can do.
   g. **Matthew 28:18-20**

3. Moses Chose Faith over Fear:
   a. **Deuteronomy 34:10-12**
   b. Your identity is attached to who God is … If you do not know God … You cannot know yourself … AND … if you do not know God or who you are … You are bound to wander aimlessly in wilderness of life, never finding or really knowing where you belong.
   c. The Presence of God changes things.
   d. **Matthew 28:18-20**
   e. We know what Moses did … **BUT … what about you?** … What will you choose, FAITH … OR … FEAR?