

Bible History Puzzle 35

The day came that it was time for the little Moses to be brought to the _____. This was also in the Lord's plan, because there he would learn many things that he would need to know later when he became Israel's _____.

The years in Pharaoh's palace went by. Moses wore the beautiful clothing of a prince and lived a rich life, well educated. But he realized he wasn't an Egyptian. He never forgot what his _____ taught him about the Lord, the God of his people, Israel. He did not want to live in the middle of the _____ worship of the Egyptians. He often thought about his father, mother, Miriam, and Aaron.

As he walked outside, he would walk near the brick ovens. He saw the Israelites working hard in the hot sun. He also saw the Egyptian _____ with their whips driving them to work harder. When he saw the whip come down on the shoulders of an Israelite, his heart would hurt for them, because he knew he was one of them. He didn't care about the easy life and the riches of the palace. Moses knew that the Redeemer would be born out of this nation and that was much more precious.

One day, Moses, was walking near the brick ovens again, watching the Israelites. They baked the _____ and carried them to the building ground, all day long. He wished he could help his people. Suddenly, he saw an Egyptian _____ an Israelite. Maybe the Israelite was sick and couldn't work hard, or maybe he just hadn't made enough bricks that day, or maybe he had taken a

rest. Moses couldn't stand it anymore. He looked around to see if anyone was nearby and then he quickly walked to the Egyptian and slew him. 'This one will not beat my _____ anymore,' he thought. 'We should rise up and stand up to the Egyptians!'

But it was not yet the Lord's time to free the people of Israel. And it wouldn't be _____ that freed them, but the Lord Himself!

The next day Moses was there again watching his people. He saw something that made him very sad. Two Israelites were fighting each other. Instead of helping each other, they _____. "Why are you fighting?" Moses asked.

"What does that matter to you?" they answered. "Stay out of our business. Or are you going to kill _____ like you killed that Egyptian?"

Moses was frightened! If the Israelites were talking about what had happened, Pharaoh would find out too, and then Pharaoh would certainly kill him. Moses had thought that the Israelites would understand that he was on their side, but now he knew that he would not be able to _____ his people. It was all because he had tried to do it his own way. Why hadn't he waited for the Lord? Instead of freeing his people, Moses now had to _____. But this was also in the Lord's plan.

Word Bank

leader	idol	Moses	flee	fought
people	bricks	mother	taskmasters	
free	palace	us	beating	

Break the Code:

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Fill in the Blanks: In Acts 22, Moses' story is retold:

And when he was cast out, Pharaoh's _____
 took him up, and nourished him for her own
 _____.

And Moses was _____ in all the wisdom of
 the Egyptians, and was mighty in _____
 and in deeds.

And when he was full _____ years old, it
 came into his heart to _____ his brethren the
 children of Israel.

And seeing one of them _____ wrong, he
 defended him, and avenged him that was oppressed,
 and _____ the Egyptian:

For he supposed his brethren would have understood
 how that God by his _____ would deliver them:
 but they _____ not.

And the next _____ he shewed himself unto them
 as they _____, and would have set them at
 one again, saying, Sirs, ye are brethren; why do ye
 _____ one to another?

But he that did his neighbour wrong _____ him
 away, saying, Who made thee a _____
 and a judge over us?

Wilt thou _____ me, as thou diddest the
 Egyptian _____?