

**Story Time - Read the story to the children**  
**Lesson 54: MOSES DIES**  
**DEUTERONOMY 34**

Sometime later, Moses left the lowlands of Moab. He went up Mount Pisgah, all the way up to the peak of Mount Nebo, which is across the Jordan River from Jericho. The LORD showed him all the land as far north as Gilead and the town of Dan. He let Moses see the territories that would soon belong to the tribes of Naphtali, Ephraim, Manasseh, and Judah, as far west as the Mediterranean Sea. The LORD also showed him the land in the south, from the valley near the town of Jericho, known as The City of Palm Trees, down to the town of Zoar. The LORD said, "Moses, this is the land I was talking about when I solemnly promised Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob that I would give land to their descendants. I have let you see it, but you will not cross the Jordan and go in." And so, Moses the LORD's servant died there in Moab, just as the LORD had said. The LORD buried him in a valley near the town of Beth-Peor, but even today no one knows exactly where. Moses was a hundred twenty years old when he died, yet his eyesight was still good, and his body was strong. The people of Israel stayed in the lowlands of Moab, where they mourned and grieved thirty days for Moses, as was their custom. Before Moses died, he had placed his hands on Joshua, and the LORD made Joshua full of wisdom. The Israelites paid attention to what Joshua said and obeyed the commands that the LORD had given Moses. There has never again been a prophet in Israel like Moses. The LORD spoke face to face with him and sent him to perform powerful miracles in the presence of the king of Egypt and his entire nation. No one else has ever had the power to do such great things as Moses did for everyone to see.

## 54. MOSES DIES (DEUTERONOMY 34)



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**DEUTERONOMY 34:10**

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### **(DEUTERONOMY 34)**

#### **MEMORY VERSE:**

*"There has not arisen in Israel a prophet like Moses, whom the LORD knew face to face."*

**DEUTERONOMY 34:10**

#### **TRUE OR FALSE**

1. Moses went all the way up to the peak of Mount Nebo.  
TRUE or FALSE
2. While Moses was on Mount Nebo the LORD showed him all the land that He had promised to the descendants of the Pharaoh of Egypt.  
TRUE or FALSE
3. The LORD told Moses he would let him cross over to the promised land and live the rest of his life there. TRUE or FALSE
4. And so Moses the servant of the LORD died there in Moab, just as the LORD had said. TRUE or FALSE
5. The LORD buried Moses in a valley near Beth-Peor, but even to this day people go and visit his grave. TRUE or FALSE
6. Moses was 120 years old when he died, and his eyesight was still good and his body was still strong.  
TRUE or FALSE

#### **ANSWER THE QUESTIONS**

1. How long did the people of Israel mourn and grieve for Moses? Was it their custom to mourn for 30 days?
2. Before Moses died, who did he put his hands on? What happened to Joshua when Moses put his hands on him?
3. Did the Israelites listen to Joshua and do what the LORD had commanded Moses?
4. Has there ever been another prophet in Israel like Moses?
5. How did the LORD speak to Moses? Was it on the phone? Was it in a letter?

Moses was in good health, even though he was 120 years old!



# LESSON 54 CRAFT/ACTIVITY

## **Simon Says**

Play a short game of Simon Says. Use it to illustrate faithfulness to obey only what Simon said.

Moses was faithful to obey everything that the Lord asked him to do. God desires us to be faithful too.

## **PRAYER**

Lead the children in a prayer of commitment to faithfully serve the Lord all of their lives. If there are any children who have not yet responded to the Gospel, give them opportunity.