

III. CONVICTION & BELIEF

Text

Shemot, Chapter 2:

1 And there went a man of the house of Levi, and took for his wife a daughter of Levi:

2 And the woman conceived, and bore a son; and when she saw that he was a handsome child, she hid him for three months:

3 And when she could no longer hide him, she took for him an ark made of reeds, and daubed it with slime and with pitch, and put the child in it; and she laid it in the rushes by the river's brink:

4 And his sister stood far away, to see what would be done to him:

5 And the daughter of Pharaoh came down to wash herself at the river; and her maidens walked along by the river's side; and when she saw the ark among the reeds, she sent her maid to fetch it:

6 And when she had opened it, she saw the child; and, behold, the baby wept; And she had compassion on him, and said, This is one of the Hebrews' children:



שמות פרק ב

(א) וַיֵּלֶךְ אִישׁ מִבֵּית לֵוִי וַיִּקַּח
אֶת בַּת לֵוִי :

(ב) וַתַּהַר הָאִשָּׁה וַתֵּלֶד בֶּן
וַתֵּרָא אֹתוֹ כִּי טוֹב הוּא וַתְּצַפֵּהוּ
נְהוּ שְׁלֹשָׁה יָרְחִים :

(ג) וְלֹא יָכְלָה עוֹד הַצֶּפִּינוּ
וַתִּקַּח לוֹ תֵבַת גֹּמָא וַתַּחְמְרָהּ
בַּחֲמֹר וּבִצְפֹת וַתִּשֶׂם בָּהּ אֶת
הַיֶּלֶד וַתִּשֶׂם בְּסוּף עַל שֵׁפֶת
הַיָּרְדֵן :

(ד) וַתֵּצֵב אַחֲתוֹ מִרְחֹק לְדַעַת
מִה יַעֲשֶׂה לוֹ :

(ה) וַתֵּרָד בַּת פַּרְעֹה לְרַחֵץ עַל הַיָּרְדֵן וַנַּעֲרֹתֶיהָ
הֵלְכֹת עַל גַּד הַיָּרְדֵן וַתֵּרָא אֶת הַתֵּבָה
בְּתוֹךְ הַסּוּף וַתִּשְׁלַח אֶת אֲמָתָהּ וַתִּקְחֶהָ :

(ו) וַתִּפְתַּח וַתִּרְאֶהוּ אֶת הַיֶּלֶד וְהִנֵּה
נֹעַר בֶּכֶה וַתַּחֲמַל עָלָיו וַתֹּאמֶר מִיִּלְדֵי
הָעִבְרִים זֶה :

7 Then said his sister to Pharaoh's daughter, Shall I go and call for you a nurse of the Hebrew women, that she may nurse the child for you:

8 And Pharaoh's daughter said to her, Go; And the girl went and called the child's mother:

9 And Pharaoh's daughter said to her, Take this child away, and nurse him for me, and I will give you your wages; And the woman took the child, and nursed him:

10 And the child grew, and she brought him to Pharaoh's daughter, and he became her son; and she called his name Moses; and she said, Because I drew him out of the water:

(ז) וַתֹּאמֶר אָחֹתוֹ אֶל בֵּת פַּרְעֹה הֲאֵלֶּךָ
 וְקִרְאתִי לָךְ אִשָּׁה מִיִּנְקוֹת מִן הָעִבְרִית
 וְתִינֶק לָךְ אֶת הַיֶּלֶד :
 (ח) וַתֹּאמֶר לָהּ בֵּת פַּרְעֹה לְכִי וְתֵלְדִי הָעֶלְ-
 מָה וְתִקְרָא אֶת אִם הַיֶּלֶד :
 (ט) וַתֹּאמֶר לָהּ בֵּת פַּרְעֹה הִילִיכִי אֶת
 הַיֶּלֶד הַזֶּה וְהִינִקְהוּ לִי וְאָנִי אֶתֶּן אֶת
 שְׂכָרְךָ וְתִשָּׂח הָאִשָּׁה הַיֶּלֶד וְתִנִּיקְהוּ :
 (י) וַיִּגְדַּל הַיֶּלֶד וְתַבְאֲהוּ לְבַת פַּרְעֹה וַיְהִי
 לָהּ לְבֵן וְתִקְרָא שְׁמוֹ מֹשֶׁה וַתֹּאמֶר כִּי מִן
 הַמַּיִם מְשִׁיתָהוּ :