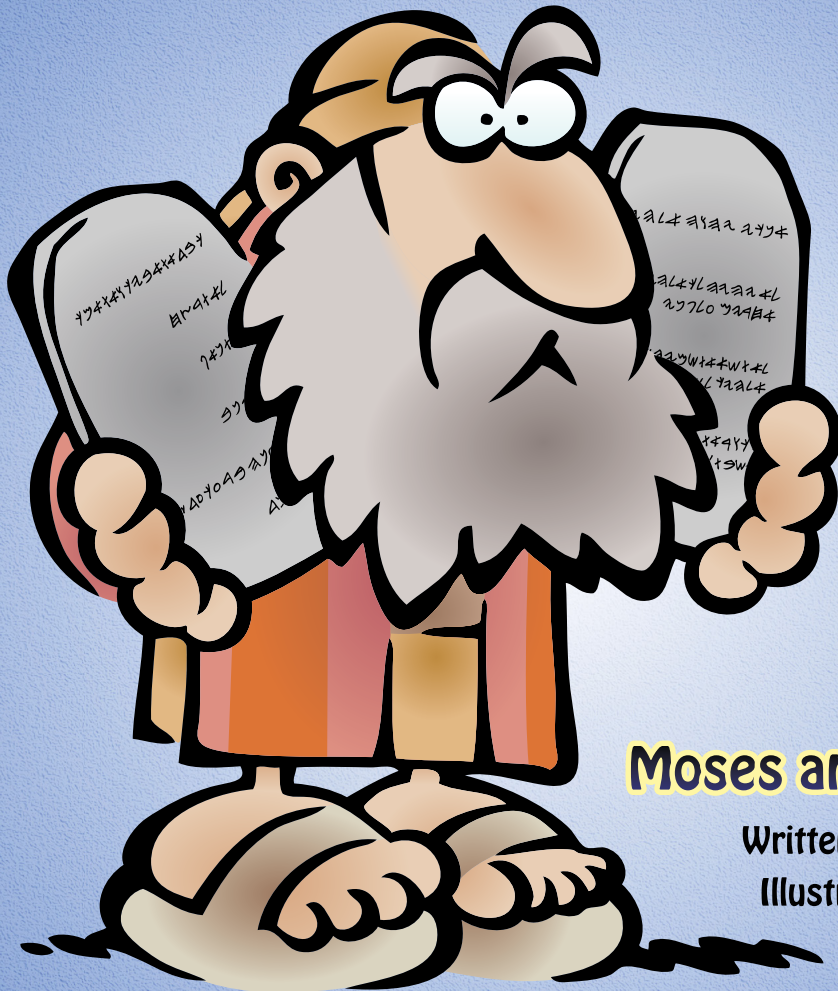


MATTHEW'S BIBLE STORIES



Moses and God's Law

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Matthew walked into the big room.
He was ready for Sunday school.





Matthew's teacher was ready, too.
She signed, "Good morning, Matthew!"



Matthew smiled.
It was fun to learn at church.

Matthew's teacher signed a true
story from the Bible.





She signed a story about a man named Moses.

Matthew watched her sign the story...

A long time ago, many
people who loved God
were slaves in Egypt.



God spoke to Moses through
a burning bush.

God told Moses that the
people should leave Egypt.

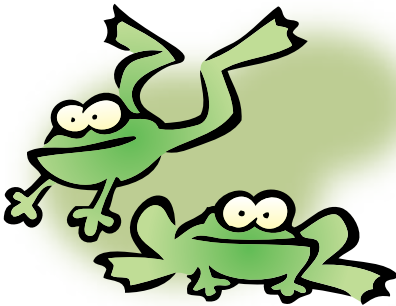
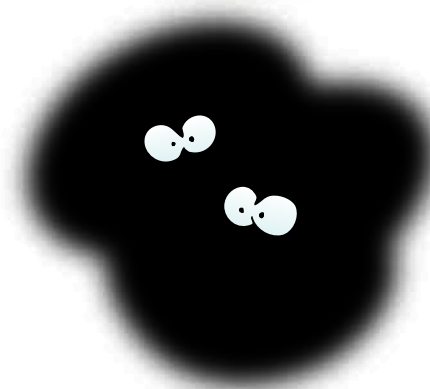


Moses told the Egyptian king what God said. But when the king would not let the slaves leave...

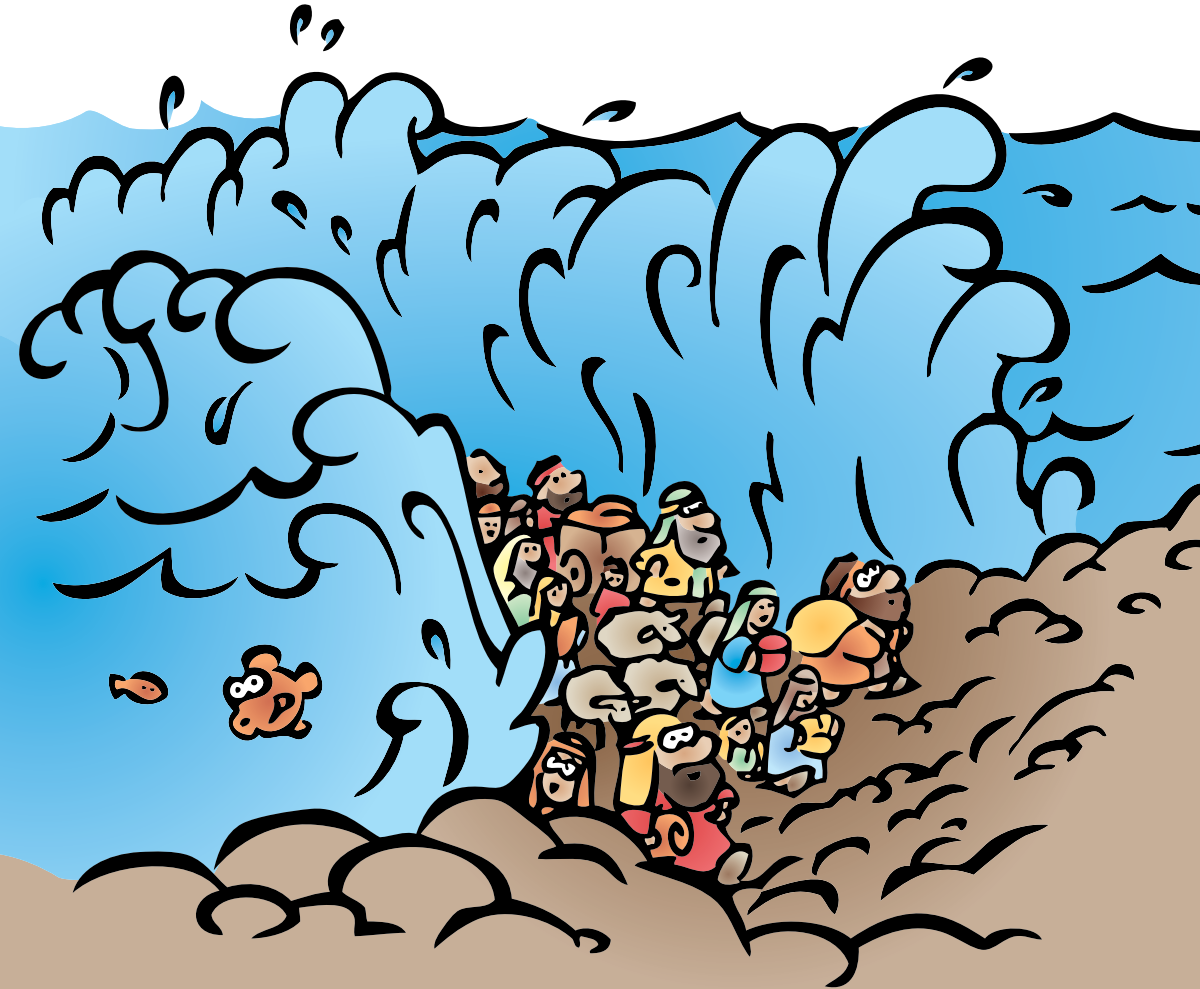




...bad things happened.



Finally, the king let Moses and the people leave.
God helped Moses lead the people out of Egypt.



The people traveled a long way!



God told Moses to go alone
to a mountain.

The mountain was called
Mount Sinai.





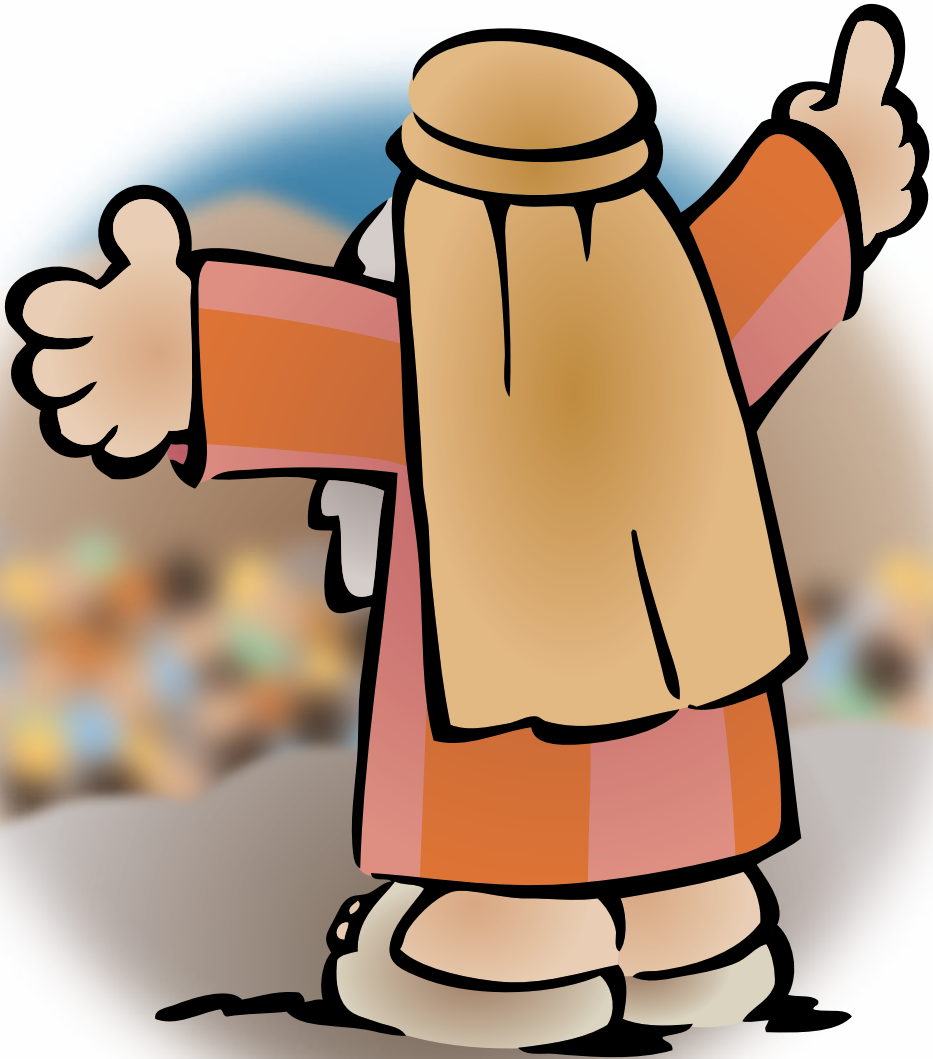
God wanted to give Moses something very special.

God gave Moses laws for the people.

Moses brought God's
laws from the mountain.



He told the people what God said.



Moses gave the people God's laws.



YHWH is the only real God.
Don't worship anything
but Him.

Don't make any idols.

Don't use God's name
in a bad way.

Remember the Sabbath
and keep it holy.

Honor your father and
your mother.

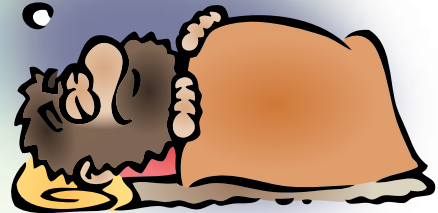
Don't murder.

Don't commit adultery.

Don't steal.

Don't lie.

Don't covet things that
do not belong to you.



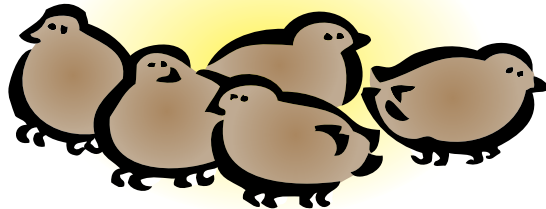
The laws taught the people what
was right and wrong.

If the people obeyed the laws,
God would be pleased.



Moses led the people for many years.

God helped Moses take care of the people.





Moses was very important.

He told the people about God.

He told the people about God's laws.



The people knew what God
wanted them to do because
Moses told them.





Matthew liked this story.

Matthew wanted to tell others about God, too.



God was happy with Moses. Why?

Because Moses told the people about God.

Matthew could tell others about God, too.
It would make God happy.





Matthew was ready to learn more!
He would come to church again.

Matthew wondered what Bible story
his teacher would sign next week.





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Rachel Burkum is a hearing author who specializes in novels, short stories and devotionals. Developing her sign language skills as a child, God led her to work at Deaf Missions where she continued her involvement with deaf people and ministry. Later, she combined her writing and Bible knowledge to create *Matthew's Bible Stories* for deaf children. Rachel is the Store Manager at Deaf Missions.

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Matthew is a young deaf boy who loves going to Sunday school. Join him in the classroom as he learns how Moses told people about God and why telling people about God is so important. You'll read about a burning bush, a special mountain and God's laws!

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