

### The new situation in Egypt (Exodus 1)

- ❖ q Joseph & his brothers have died (Exod 1:6)
- ❖ The family has grown tremendously (Exod 1:7)
- ❖ A new Pharaoh in Egypt (Exod 1:8f)

### God summons Moses to Lead the People (Exodus 3-4)

Moses' Excuse		God's Response
1. Who am I? (3:11-12)	»»	I will be with you
2. Who are you? (3:13-15)	»»	I am THE LORD (Yahweh or Jehovah)
3. What if they don't believe me? (4:1)	»»	3 miraculous signs
4. I cannot speak well (4:10-12)	»»	I will tell you what to say
5. Send someone else (4:13-16)	»»	Go anyway, Aaron will help

### God uses Ten Plagues to Deliver the People (Exodus 5-12)

#### *Why Ten Plagues?*

- ❖ So Pharaoh will know the Lord (Exod 5:2; 9:13-15)
- ❖ So the Egyptians will know the Lord (Exod 7:5; 14:4)
- ❖ So the Israelites will know the Lord (Exod 10:1-2)
- ❖ So the whole world will know the Lord (Exod 9:16)