

Our Power Versus God's Power  
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Who Am I?

**11** But Moses said to God, 'Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh, and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?' **12** He said, 'I will be with you; and this shall be the sign for you that it is I who sent you: when you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall worship God on this mountain.' Exodus 3:11-12

Who Are You?

**13** But Moses said to God, 'If I come to the Israelites and say to them, "The God of your ancestors has sent me to you", and they ask me, "What is his name?" what shall I say to them?' **14** God said to Moses, 'I am who I am.' He said further, 'Thus you shall say to the Israelites, "I am has sent me to you."' Exodus 3:13-14

What If They Don't Believe Me

Then Moses answered, 'But suppose they do not believe me or listen to me, but say, "The Lord did not appear to you."' **2** The Lord said to him, 'What is that in your hand?' He said, 'A staff.' **3** And he said, 'Throw it on the ground.' So he threw the staff on the ground, and it became a snake; and Moses drew back from it. **4** Then the Lord said to Moses, 'Reach out your hand, and seize it by the tail'—so he reached out his hand and grasped it, and it became a staff in his hand— **5** 'so that they may believe that the Lord, the God of their ancestors, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has appeared to you.' Exodus 4:1-5

I'm Not Good Talking With People

**10** But Moses said to the Lord, 'O my Lord, I have never been eloquent, neither in the past nor even now that you have spoken to your servant; but I am slow of speech and slow of tongue.' **11** Then the Lord said to him, 'Who gives speech to mortals? Who makes them mute or deaf, seeing or blind? Is it not I, the Lord? **12** Now go, and I will be with your mouth and teach you what you are to speak.' Exodus 4:10-12

Can't You Just Choose Someone Else?

**13** But he said, 'O my Lord, please send someone else.' **14** Then the anger of the Lord was kindled against Moses and he said, 'What of your brother Aaron the Levite? I know that he can speak fluently; even now he is coming out to meet you, and when he sees you his heart will be glad. Exodus 4:13-14