

**Moses Crossing the Red Sea**

**Bible Story Lesson Plan (Ages 2-6)**

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| **Books** | **Read and reread the story of Moses Crossing the Red Sea*** [***Safe at Last! The Story of Moses and the Red Sea* by Patricia L. Nederveld**](http://www.amazon.com/gp/product/1562122827?keywords=Moses%20crossing%20the%20Red%20Sea%20children%27s%20books&qid=1444227746&ref_=sr_1_2&sr=8-2)
* [***Moses Parting the Red Sea***](http://www.amazon.com/Moses-Parting-Cheryl-Mendenhall-8x8s/dp/1403709645/ref%3Dsr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1444227854&sr=1-1&keywords=Moses+and+the+Red+Sea)**by Tess Fries**
* [***The Parting of the Red Sea***](http://www.amazon.com/Childrens-Bible-Stories-Parting-Red-ebook/dp/B00480OE78/ref%3Dsr_1_2?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1444227854&sr=1-2&keywords=Moses+and+the+Red+Sea) **by Miles Kelly**
* [***Moses Crosses the Red Sea***](http://www.amazon.com/Moses-Crosses-Red-Sea-Courage/dp/0849958520/ref%3Dsr_1_3?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1444227854&sr=1-3&keywords=Moses+and+the+Red+Sea) **by Mary Manz Simon**
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| **Discussion Questions** | **What do you remember?*** **Who was in the story?**
* **Was Pharoah nice or mean?**
* **Who was chasing Moses and the children of Israel?**
* **Why did they have to cross the Red Sea to get away?**
* **What did God do to the Sea?**
* **Were the people afraid?**
* **What did Moses do?**
 | **What lessons can we learn from Moses crossing the Red Sea?*** **to trust God completely no matter what the human situation**
* **to not be afraid**
* **to know “with God all things all possible”**
* **to be a good listener**
* **to be obedient**

**What values can we learn from the story?**[**“Moses’ prayer from Josephus, the Jewish historian”**](https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B5m7P2KoYGgvS1otd2gyaklockU/view?usp=sharing) |

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| **Extension Activities** |
| **Language Arts** | * **Memory Verse:** Josh 1:9

 Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the  Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest. |
| **Math** | * [Find the number of the Children of Israel that followed Moses out of Egypt.](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_Exodus) (Scroll down to “numbers and logistics”
* How many tribes went with Moses on this journey?

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| **Science** | * Look up where the Red Sea is today and where it was in Moses’ day

How deep is the Red Sea at the spot where the Children of Israel crossed? (watch the video in the Parent’s resource section) |
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| **Crafts** | * [**Moses and the Red Sea crossing**](https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B5m7P2KoYGgvVDdxamNsRmhpcFk/view?usp=sharing) **(from DLTK.bible.com)**
	+ [**Printable version of the directions**](http://www.dltk-bible.com/crafts/ppaperredsea.asp)
* [**Example craft: Moses and the Red Sea**](https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B5m7P2KoYGgvcDZ4WkdNZktHU2M/view?usp=sharing)
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| **Snacks** | * [Moses Crossing the Red Sea Snack](http://www.dltk-bible.com/recipes/moses_crossing_the_red_sea_snack.htm)
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| **Parent Resources** | [**Steps out of Bondage**](https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B5m7P2KoYGgvTVAxdDN1bVB5ek0/view?usp=sharing) **(from Kathy Merrill)*** [Video of the Red Sea Crossing](http://www.arkdiscovery.com/red_sea_crossing.htm) (food for thought for parents)

“**Go Forward,” by Tressie C. Bomberg, *Christian Science Sentinel*, Feb. 1924** |

