



MISSION & VISION (ACTS 7:20-36)

Introduction: : You've Got Mail!...from yourself. Did you get some mail from yourself last week?

On January 15, 2012 (Sunday PM) we presented a lesson entitled "Leading Through 2012." If you were here, and participated, then you filled in an outline and made some notes to yourself. How are you doing leading yourself, your family and in this local church?

Moses was a man with a mission and a vision. His life gives us all some lessons in this area.

I. Moses was _____ a Mission & Vision

- A) Exodus 2:1-10; Hebrews 11:23
- B) Stephen in his final sermon (Acts 7:22)
- C) 1st 40 years: Moses learned how to be _____.
- D) Moses realized who he was and what he wanted to do.
 - 1. Hebrews 11:24
 - 2. Acts 7:23-25

II. Moses _____ & Determined His Mission & Vision

- A) Exodus 2:11-4:17; Hebrews 11:24-27
- B) Developing a Mission & Vision is a learning process
- C) Moses wrestled with questions:
 - "Who am I?" "What shall I say?" "Suppose they will not believe me?"
- D) Do you struggle with questions about your walk as a Christian?
- E) 2nd 40 years - Moses learned how to become a _____.
- F) Moses realized his role was actually in a vision that was much bigger than he was.

III. Moses _____ His Mission & Vision was for All the People

- A) Exodus 4:18-14:31
- B) Hebrews 11:28-29
- C) 3rd 40 years - Moses learned how his mission involved _____

Conclusion:

Back to your mail. Spend some time thinking and praying about leading through this year. Lead yourself in your mission for the Lord. Lead your family as you all learn together your mission and work to together in His service. Be a leader in this local church and realize that you are a part of a body, assembly, kingdom and that what we are do and develop has an effect on everybody.

"By faith Moses, when he was born, was hidden for three months by his parents, because they saw that the child was beautiful, and they were not afraid of the king's edict. By faith Moses, when he was grown up, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter, choosing rather to be mistreated with the people of God than to enjoy the fleeting pleasures of sin. He considered the reproach of Christ greater wealth than the treasures of Egypt, for he was looking to the reward. By faith he left Egypt, not being afraid of the anger of the king, for he endured as seeing him who is invisible. By faith he kept the Passover and sprinkled the blood, so that the Destroyer of the firstborn might not touch them. By faith the people crossed the Red Sea as on dry land, but the Egyptians, when they attempted to do the same, were drowned."
(Hebrews 11:23-29)