

## **EPISODE NO. 48**

### **Exo. 2:15b-22**

#### **Moses in the Desert**

15 Moses went and lived in the land of Midian.

Moses was sitting beside a well. 16 There were seven daughters of a Midianite priest who came there to draw water. They filled the troughs to water their father's flock. 17 However, some male shepherds came and drove them away. Moses got up and defended the women. Then he watered the flock of the women.

18 When the women returned to their father Reuel, he asked them, "Why have you come back so early today!?"

19 They answered, "An Egyptian man rescued us from some aggressive shepherds. He even drew water for us and watered the flock."

20 Reuel asked his daughters, "Where is he? Why did you leave the man? Invite him, so that he may eat a meal with us!"

21 Moses agreed to stay with Reuel. Reuel gave his daughter Zipporah for Moses to marry. 22 Later, Zipporah gave birth to a son. Moses named him "Gershom." Moses said, "I have become a foreigner in a foreign land."