

FIRST GIVE YOURSELF...

Exodus 3:1-5

Theme: The believer's engagement in missions

WBC, Sunday 9:30 a.m., November 26, 2023, Pastor Dan Unruh

The Macedonian believers "first gave their own _____ to the Lord" (2 Cor 8:5).

I. "H_____ AM I" (1-5)

A. Moses' Existing Con_____tion (1)

God takes t_____ to prepare His man for His task.

Horeb, the mountain of God, is also called S_____ (Ex 19:11 cf. Dt 4:10).

B. Moses' Extraordinary Con_____tion (2-5)

1. The B_____ of the Appearance (2a)

The "angel of the Lord" (2) is _____ Himself (4).

In order to serve, so that God gets the glory, we must g_____ upon that glory!

2. The U_____ of the Appearance (2b-3)

Moses is not slothful or idle but b_____ in his current occupation – "he led the flock to the backside of the desert."

Mount Horeb became known as the "mount of the b_____", as Dt 33:16, "him that dwelt in the b_____."

3. The P_____ of the Appearance (4)

4. The R_____ of the Appearance (5)

...THEN GUAGE YOURSELF

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The s_____jective dimension of a "call" would be what Paul calls a "desire" in 1 Timothy 3:1. The fact that God will not call to the pastorate a man who does not meet the 1 Timothy 3:2-7 qualifications would be the o_____jective dimension.

II. W_____ AM I? (6-12)

A. THE E_____ OF THE NEED (6-9)

1. The I_____ation of the One Who communicates the Need (6)
2. The D_____ation of the One Who communicates the Need (7-8)
 - a. I have surely s_____ (7a)
 - b. I have h_____ (7b)
 - c. I k_____ (7c)
 - d. I am come d_____ (8)
 - (1) To d_____ them out
 - (2) To bring them u_____o_____
 - (3) To bring them u_____

3. The Admonition of the One Who communicates the Need (9)

We sometimes have to be a_____ to see the need.

B. THE E_____ OF THE DELIVERER (10-12)

1. I will send thee – the Promise of the power of _____ight (10-11)

The great truth: "God is _____ me."

This is the first of _____ occasions where Moses uses weakness as an excuse (3:13; 4:1, 10, 13).

2. I will be with thee – the Promise of the power of _____ight (12)

The great truth: "God is _____ me."

a. The S_____ of the Promise

"God never c_____ without equipping, and the very fact of equipment proves the c_____ (Eph. 4:11)." (W. H. Griffith Thomas quoted by Hankins)

b. The S_____ of the Promise