## DEUCES | The Call of Moses [Exodus 3]

## Intro Question: 5 minutes

- What is something you have a passion for?
  - I know some of the typical answers might be sports, music or the like.
    However, really push here to get them to think deeper about what the students really like to do when it comes to people. It very well could be extracurriculars, which is fine, but I would like the students to go deeper if they can.
  - For example, when I was in high school, I was very passionate about sports, specifically football. However, while in high school I learned I am very passionate about helping and serving others.

## **Context Question: 1-2 Minutes**

- If you saw a burning bush, or another miracle like this, and you knew it was God speaking to you, how would you react?
  - This question is being used as an assessment of what the students think about God. The "correct" answer to this question is to fall on our faces in fear of the Lord of His great power. However, the students may say curious or scared. I really want the students to know this is an amazing miracle, and it is from God, and He has amazing power that we should have a respect for.

## DQs [Discussion Questions]:

- Looking back at v. 11, Moses challenges God's calling on his life. Too many times we feel inadequate or not equipped to share the Gospel with people. What is the difference between God using Moses, and God using you for His purpose?
  - a. The answer here is no difference. Moses was educated (as I will teach about) but he felt inadequate because he could not speak well. He also murdered someone (He probably felt guilty). Even initially in v. 11, Moses asked God, "Who am I?". Essentially saying, I am not special to do such a thing as lead the Israelites out of Egypt. However, Moses is chosen because God wanted to use him.

- b. The same goes for us. We are nothing without Jesus. However, because we are in and with Jesus, we have a calling to continue His work here on Earth! We have been chosen by God (Eph 1) to do His purposes!
- 2. Think back to the opening question about your passion. Has God brought opportunities while you are doing your passion for you to share about Him? If not, what are ways you could share about Jesus while doing your passion?
  - In case of the first question here, odds are the Lord has given the students opportunities but the students may not be aware of those opportunities because they 1) May not have the Holy Spirit working in them. and 2) May not be looking and aware of God's working.
  - b. For the second part, push here that the passion the students have is from God. God has designed the students in such a way that they have giftings, desires, and passions that are from the Lord. Why? Because God wants them to use their giftings for His glory!
- 3. Extra time question- Look up these verses. What is God saying from these verses?
  - a. Colossians 3:23-24
    - i. Work for the Lord! Paul is writing in the previous part of this chapter about how we need to put on Christ. Paul is then encouraging how to live as a Christian, specifically in a Christian household. If we are seeking to work for the Lord, we will earn an inheritance as a reward!
  - b. Matthew 28:18-20
    - Regardless of the students' specific passion, all believers' passions should be to fulfill the great commission! We should all leverage our lives and our passions in order to glorify the Lord and for others to see Jesus in us. Thus then having conversations about Jesus with those we come into contact with.