

## **Major Event: EXODUS**

### **Lesson 3: God Meets Moses at Sinai**

#### **Scriptures: Exodus Chapter 3**

#### **Central Text: Exodus 3:14-15**

14 God said to Moses, "I AM WHO I AM"; and He said, "Thus you shall say to the sons of Israel, 'I AM has sent me to you.'" 15 God, furthermore, said to Moses, "Thus you shall say to the sons of Israel, 'The Lord, the God of your fathers, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you.' This is My name forever, and this is My memorial-name to all generations.

#### **Suggested Subjects for Teacher to Cover:**

God is the great "I AM" (Ex. 3:14) - God is the self-existing God with no beginning or end.

God said, "I will be with you" - God is personal.

God knew of the affliction of His people - God is concerned and cares about us.

This chapter reveals the pattern of God's deliverance of His people (it is the pattern for the gospel revealed in the NT).

God comes down from heaven to deliver Israel into the Promised Land. Likewise, Jesus Christ will come down from heaven to save His people by going to the cross and bring them into the kingdom of God.

#### **Suggested Attributes of God for Teacher to Cover:**

Omniscience - God knows the affliction of His people.

Omnipotence - God is all-powerful to deliver His people.

Omnipresence - God is eternal yet able to meet Moses in a particular location (God is personal and available).

Truth (faithfulness) - God is faithful to His promises and never breaks His word (His covenant with Israel).

God's perfect holiness (His presence demands purity and worship).

#### **Suggested Reading for Parents and Child at Home:**

Jesus as the great "I AM" came down from heaven to deliver: John 1:1, 14; 3:16-18; 6:38-40; 8:58; Rev. 19:11-16.

Jesus cares about us: 1 Pet. 5:6-7.