

# Growth Teams

Week Beginning  
Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2015

## Growth Teams

Growth Teams are a wonderful opportunity to go deeper with other Christians. They are a great place to build real friendships and support networks, to pray for one another and to look more carefully at the topics we consider on a Sunday.

This week we take a break from Mark 14 to look at Exodus 2:1-10, the well-known story of 'Moses in the bulrushes.'

## Going deeper

Women played an important role in supporting Jesus's ministry. This is emphasised most strongly in Luke's gospel. Read the following passages and answer the questions below for each one (not every question will be answerable from every passage!):

### Read:

- Luke 1:26-38
- Luke 7:36-50
- Luke 8:1-3
- Luke 24:1-11

4. In what ways do the women support the mission of God?

5. Why might this have been hard for them?

6. What blessing or privilege do the women gain?

***Now turn over and do 'Applying it to our lives'.***



**Growing in Christ  
to glorify God  
and enjoy Him forever.**

## Saved by a Mother

Exodus 2:1-10 (page 58)

*Space to take notes on the talk*

Moses's \_\_\_\_\_

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### Starter question

- What's your best memory of your mother?

### Responding to the talk

1. What point from this week's talk do you think was most important?
2. Read Exodus 1:22-2:10
  - a. What was Pharaoh trying to achieve? Why? (See 1:9,12)
  - b. How does Moses's mother feel about her son?
  - c. What does she do to protect him?
  - d. What do mothers do to protect their children?
3. Read Exodus 2:4-10
  - a. What is impressive about Moses's big sister?
  - b. What amazing thing does she achieve for her mother?
  - c. What women other than your mother have played an important role in your life?
4. Read Exodus 2:5-10
  - a. Why does Pharaoh's daughter save Moses?
  - b. How does 2:10 reverse what Pharaoh wants?
  - c. Who has thwarted Pharaoh's plans in this instance?
  - d. Where is God in all this?

*If there is time, you may like to do the 'Going deeper' questions over the page. Otherwise please just jump to questions 10 and 11.*

### Applying it to our lives

7. The passage emphasises the important role played by three women in God's plan. How can we better honour the different roles that women play today?
8. Both Moses's mother and Pharaoh's daughter undermine Pharaoh's command in 1:22. When is it right to disregard the rules laid down by government?