God Speaks To Us Kidzone Lesson Sun Am 8/27/23

# Memory Verse: Isaiah 30:21 NKJV

# 21Your ears shall hear a word behind you, saying, “This *is* the way, walk in it,” Whenever you turn to the right hand Or whenever you turn to the left.

Target Thought: We can hear from God.

# Exodus 3:1-15 NKJV

# 3 Now Moses was tending the flock of Jethro his father-in-law, the priest of Midian. And he led the flock to the back of the desert, and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. 2And the Angel of the Lord appeared to him in a flame of fire from the midst of a bush. So he looked, and behold, the bush was burning with fire, but the bush *was* not consumed. 3Then Moses said, “I will now turn aside and see this great sight, why the bush does not burn.”4So when the Lord saw that he turned aside to look, God called to him from the midst of the bush and said, “Moses, Moses!” And he said, “Here I am.”5Then He said, “Do not draw near this place. Take your sandals off your feet, for the place where you stand *is* holy ground.” 6Moreover He said, “I *am* the God of your father—the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob.” And Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look upon God.7And the Lord said: “I have surely seen the oppression of My people who *are* in Egypt, and have heard their cry because of their taskmasters, for I know their [[a](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=ex+3%3A1-15&version=NKJV#fen-NKJV-1587a)]sorrows. 8So I have come down to deliver them out of the hand of the Egyptians, and to bring them up from that land to a good and large land, to a land flowing with milk and honey, to the place of the Canaanites and the Hittites and the Amorites and the Perizzites and the Hivites and the Jebusites. 9Now therefore, behold, the cry of the children of Israel has come to Me, and I have also seen the oppression with which the Egyptians oppress them. 10Come now, therefore, and I will send you to Pharaoh that you may bring My people, the children of Israel, out of Egypt.”11But Moses said to God, “Who *am* I that I should go to Pharaoh, and that I should bring the children of Israel out of Egypt?”12So He said, “I will certainly be with you. And this *shall be* a sign to you that I have sent you: When you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall serve God on this mountain.”13Then Moses said to God, “Indeed, *when* I come to the children of Israel and say to them, ‘The God of your fathers has sent me to you,’ and they say to me, ‘What *is* His name?’ what shall I say to them?”14And God said to Moses, “I AM WHO I AM.” And He said, “Thus you shall say to the children of Israel, ‘I AM has sent me to you.’ ” 15Moreover God said to Moses, “Thus you shall say to the children of Israel: ‘The Lord 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 to all generations.’

# God called Moses from a burning bush to get his attention and talk to him. God had an important job for Moses. He told Moses to take off his sandals because he was standing on holy ground. At first, Moses was confused and wasn’t sure God could really be speaking to him. God wanted Moses to lead His people, but Moses wasn’t sure he was the right guy for the job. But God wanted to get Moses to pay attention.

Why do you think the burning bush got Moses to pay attention to God? Father God speaks to all of us. He has a special plan for each one of us just like He did for Moses.

When God speaks to us to give us direction and help we need to ask God what He wants to tell us, we need to listen to what He says and we need to obey what He told us to do.

God gives us daily instructions to keep us safe, to provide for us and to give us a good life. He does all of this for us just like He did for Moses and the Israelites because He loves us so much.

God, thank You for giving us instructions. Thank You for speaking to Moses and for speaking to us. Help us remember to listen to You. In Jesus’ name we ask amen.

1. Did God call Moses? Does He call us?
2. Does God speak to us?
3. When God speaks to us, what 3 things do we need to do?
4. Why does God speak to us?
5. Does God loves us?