

Excuses for

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Exodus 3:1-12

¹Now Moses kept the flock of Jethro his father in law, the priest of Midian: and he led the flock to the backside of the desert, and came to the mountain of God, even to Horeb.

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²And the angel of the LORD appeared unto him in a flame of fire out of the midst of a bush: and he looked, and, behold, the bush burned with fire, and the bush was not consumed.

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³And Moses said, I will now turn aside, and see this great sight, why the bush is not burnt.

Exodus 3:1-12

4 And when the LORD saw that he turned aside to see, God called unto him out of the midst of the bush, and said, Moses, Moses. And he said, Here am I.

Exodus 3:1-12

⁵And he said, Draw not nigh hither: put off thy shoes from off thy feet, for the place whereon thou standest is holy ground.

Exodus 3:1-12

6Moreover he said, I am the God of thy 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.

Exodus 3:1-12

⁷And the LORD said, I have surely seen the affliction of my people which are in Egypt, and have heard their cry by reason of their taskmasters; for I know their sorrows;

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⁸And I am come down to deliver them out of the hand of the Egyptians, and to bring them up out of that land unto a good land and a large, unto a land flowing with milk and honey;

Exodus 3:1-12

⁸unto the place of the Canaanites, and the Hittites, and the Amorites, and the Perizzites, and the Hivites, and the Jebusites.

Exodus 3:1-12

⁹Now therefore, behold, the cry of the children of Israel is come unto me: and I have also seen the oppression wherewith the Egyptians oppress them.

Exodus 3:1-12

¹⁰Come now therefore, and I will send thee unto Pharaoh, that thou mayest bring forth my people the children of Israel out of Egypt.

Exodus 3:1-12

¹¹And Moses said unto God, Who am I, that I should go unto Pharaoh, and that I should bring forth the children of Israel out of Egypt?

Exodus 3:1-12

¹²And he said, Certainly I will be with thee; and this shall be a token unto thee, that I have sent thee: When thou hast brought forth the people out of Egypt, ye shall serve God upon this mountain.

Exodus 4:1-4

¹And Moses answered and said,
But, behold, they will not believe
me, nor hearken unto my voice:
for they will say, The LORD hath not
appeared unto thee.

Exodus 4:1-4

²And the LORD said unto him, What is that in thine hand? And he said, A rod.

Exodus 4:1-4

³And he said, Cast it on the ground. And he cast it on the ground, and it became a serpent; and Moses fled from before it.

Exodus 4:1-4

4And the LORD said unto Moses, Put forth thine hand, and take it by the tail. And he put forth his hand, and caught it, and it became a rod in his hand:

Exodus 4:10-12

¹⁰And Moses said unto the LORD, O my LORD, I am not eloquent, neither heretofore, nor since thou hast spoken unto thy servant: but I am slow of speech, and of a slow tongue.

Exodus 4:10-12

¹¹And the LORD said unto him, Who hath made man's mouth? or who maketh the dumb, or deaf, or the seeing, or the blind? have not I the LORD?

Exodus 4:10-12

¹²Now therefore go, and I will be with thy mouth, and teach thee what thou shalt say.

Exodus 4:13-14

¹³And he said, O my LORD, send, I pray thee, by the hand of him whom thou wilt send.

Exodus 4:13-14

¹⁴And the anger of the LORD was kindled against Moses, and he said, Is not Aaron the Levite thy brother? I know that he can speak well. And also, behold, he cometh forth to meet thee: and when he seeth thee, he will be glad in his heart.

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excuse of
limited
abilities

1. limited abilities

Exodus 3:11

¹¹And Moses said unto God, Who am I, that I should go unto Pharaoh, and that I should bring forth the children of Israel out of Egypt?

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1. limited abilities

Matthew 14:17-19

¹⁷And they say unto him, we have here but five loaves, and two fishes.



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Matthew 14:17-19

¹⁸He said, Bring them hither to me.

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Matthew 14:17-19

¹⁹And he commanded the multitude to sit down on the grass, and took the five loaves, and the two fishes,

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Matthew 14:17-19

¹⁹and looking up to heaven, he blessed, and brake, and gave the loaves to his disciples, and the disciples to the multitude.

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Matthew 10:42

⁴²And whosoever shall give to drink unto one of these little ones a cup of cold water only in the name of a disciple, verily I say unto you, he shall in no wise lose his reward.

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Luke 16:10

¹⁰He that is faithful in that which is least is faithful also in much: and he that is unjust in the least is unjust also in much.

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Matthew 25:23

²³His lord said unto him,
Well done, good and faithful
servant; thou hast been faithful
over a few things, I will make thee
ruler over many things: enter thou
into the joy of thy lord.

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Psalm 103:14

¹⁴For he knoweth our frame; he remembereth that we are dust.

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1. **abilities**

2

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belief

2. limited belief

Exodus 4:1

¹And Moses answered and said, But, behold, they will not believe me, nor hearken unto my voice: for they will say, The LORD hath not appeared unto thee.

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2. limited belief

Mark 9:24

²⁴And straightway the father of the child cried out, and said with tears, LORD, I believe; help thou mine unbelief.

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2. limited belief

Ephesians 3:20

²⁰Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us,

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2. limited belief

Matthew 13:58

⁵⁸And he did not many
mighty works there because of
their unbelief.

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1. **abilities**

2. **belief**

3

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limited

willingness

3. limited willingness

Exodus 4:10

¹⁰And Moses said unto the LORD, O my LORD, I am not eloquent, neither heretofore, nor since thou hast spoken unto thy servant: but I am slow of speech, and of a slow tongue.

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3. limited willingness

Isaiah 1:19

¹⁹If ye be willing and obedient, ye shall eat the good of the land:

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3. limited willingness

a. willing in word only

Matthew 21:28-31

²⁸But what think ye? A certain man had two sons; and he came to the first, and said, Son, go work to day in my vineyard.

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3. limited willingness

a. willing in word only

Matthew 21:28-31

²⁹He answered and said, I will not:
but afterward he repented, and
went.

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3. limited willingness

a. willing in word only

Matthew 21:28-31

³⁰And he came to the second,
and said likewise. And he
answered and said, I go, sir: and
went not.

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3. limited willingness

a. willing in word only

Matthew 21:28-31

³¹Whether of them twain did the will of his father? They say unto him, The first.

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3. limited willingness

a. willing in word only

Matthew 21:28-31

³¹ Jesus saith unto them, Verily I say unto you, That the publicans and the harlots go into the kingdom of God before you.

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3. limited willingness

b. willing but for the
crowd

Luke 23:20-24

²⁰Pilate therefore, willing to
release Jesus, spake again to
them.

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3. limited willingness

b. willing but for the
crowd

Luke 23:20-24

²¹But they cried, saying, Crucify
him, crucify him.

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3. limited willingness

b. willing but for the
crowd

Luke 23:20-24

²²And he said unto them the third time, Why, what evil hath he done?

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3. limited willingness

b. willing but for the
crowd

Luke 23:20-24

²²I have found no cause of death
in him: I will therefore chastise
him, and let him go.

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3. limited willingness

b. willing but for the
crowd

Luke 23:20-24

²³And they were instant with loud voices, requiring that he might be crucified.

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3. limited willingness

b. willing but for the
crowd

Luke 23:20-24

²³And the voices of them and of
the chief priests prevailed.

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3. limited willingness

b. willing but for the
crowd

Luke 23:20-24

²⁴And Pilate gave sentence that it should be as they required.

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3. limited willingness

c. willingly ignorant

2 Peter 3:5

⁵For this they willingly are ignorant of, that by the word of God the heavens were of old,



3. limited willingness

c. willingly ignorant

2 Peter 3:5

⁵and the earth standing out of the
water and in the water:



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1. **abilities**

2. **belief**

3. **willingness**

4

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obedience

4. limited obedience

Exodus 4:13

¹³And he said, O my
LORD, send, I pray thee, by the
hand of him whom thou wilt send.

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4. limited obedience

Exodus 4:13

¹³Moses said, “Please,
LORD, send someone else.” (HCSV)

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4. limited obedience

Numbers 14:8-9

⁸If the LORD delight in us,
then he will bring us into this land,
and give it us; a land which
floweth with milk and honey.

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4. limited obedience

Numbers 14:8-9

⁹Only rebel not ye
against the LORD, neither fear ye
the people of the land; for they
are bread for us:

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4. limited obedience

Numbers 14:8-9

⁹their defence is
departed from them, and the LORD
is with us: fear them not.

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4. limited obedience

1 Samuel 15:22

²²And Samuel said, Hath
the LORD as great delight in burnt
offerings and sacrifices, as in
obeying the voice of the LORD?

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4. limited obedience

1 Samuel 15:22

²²Behold, to obey is
better than sacrifice, and to
hearken than the fat of rams.

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4. limited obedience

Jeremiah 7:23

²³But this thing commanded I them, saying, Obey my voice, and I will be your God, and ye shall be my people:

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Jeremiah 7:23

²³and walk ye in all the
ways that I have commanded
you, that it may be well unto you.

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4. limited obedience

1 Kings 2:1-3

¹Now the days of David drew nigh that he should die; and he charged Solomon his son, saying,

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4. limited obedience

1 Kings 2:1-3

²I go the way of all the
earth: be thou strong therefore,
and shew thyself a man;

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1 Kings 2:1-3

³And keep the charge
of the LORD thy God, to walk in his
ways, to keep his statutes, and his
commandments,

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1 Kings 2:1-3

³and his judgments, and his testimonies, as it is written in the law of Moses, that thou mayest prosper in all that thou doest, and whithersoever thou turnest thyself:

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