**Brief Timeline on Moses’ life:**

**Before Moses’ birth:**

Joseph saves children of Israel from the famine

Jacob and family move to Egypt

430 years the children of Israel multiply and prosper in the land of Egypt

Under new Pharaoh, the Hebrew people become slaves

**First 40 Years:**

Moses hidden in the bulrushes; found by Pharoah’s daughter

Moses raised as Egyptian prince

Moses kills an Egyptian and flees to Midian

Moses marries Jethro’s daughter

Burning Bush experience; God calls Moses to lead the people out of bondage

**Second 40 Years: Rescue of Israelites**

Pharaoh refuses to let the Hebrew people go

Ten Plagues

Passover inaugurated

Flight to Red Sea; Crossing of the sea and defeat of the Egyptians

**Escape and First Year of Wandering**

Trek to Sinai

Complaining and murmuring to Moses

Manna and Quails appear

*Moses Sets up a Government*

Ten Commandments on Mt. Sinai; God gives them to Moses orally

God gives Moses tables of stone with commandments

God tells Moses how to build the tabernacle

**Wilderness Wanderings Second Year**

Israel disobeys God, builds a golden calf

Moses’ anger, he is the first to literally break the commandments (of stone)

Goes back up the mountain; Moses is now the one to hew the stone tablets and write

God’s words again

Skin of his face shone

cloud by day and pillar of fire by night: all centered around the tabernacle

spies sent out into Canaan

**38 Years of Desert Wanderings**

Children believe the evil report of the 10 spies: want to return to Egypt

Condemned to 40 years of wandering

Kadesh-barnea area

passage through Moab

**Commandments Repeated: End of Moses’ Human Experience**

Joshua to succeed Moses

Allotment of tribes

Children of Israel told to destroy all high places and pictures in Canaan (they do not do that)

Shema is instigated

Death of Moses – body never found (Deut 34:6)—120 years old

***Deut 34:6,7***

***6 And he buried him in a valley in the land of Moab, over against Bethpeor: but no man knoweth of his sepulchre unto this day.***

***7 ¶ And Moses was an hundred and twenty years old when he died: his eye was not dim, nor his natural force abated.***