

The homework is divided into multiple parts

One part is less difficult. One part is more difficult. Lee also has a couple of additional questions.

## Less difficult

1. What was the name of Moses' brother?
2. How did God catch Moses' attention?
3. What were the 3 signs that Moses would perform in the sight of the elders in case they would not believe him?
4. Who did God offer to Moses as a spokesman?
5. What did Pharaoh command the taskmasters to do when Moses first requested him to let Israel go?
6. Who told Moses to cast his rod on the ground?
7. What did the rod become?
8. Did God instruct Moses to pick it up by the neck or the tail?
9. What happened when he did?

## More difficult

1. 4:21 KJV "but I will harden his heart" What does this mean and what are the implications?
2. [Lee] 4:23 "I will slay thy son, even thy first born" Discuss the possibility that the Egyptians knew of this 'prophecy' because it was already 'contained' in their own writings.
3. [Lee] At 5:1-4, Moses and Co. request a short vacation to worship Yahweh. This was a test for Pharaoh. Pharaoh rejected the request. Comment on his SOP for alien slaves and vacation requests. (This is a question that relates to the known history of Egypt with their slave forces)
4. At 4:24-26, we have a very short story that is large with possible interpretations. Take a read and then early next week, I'll try to frame a question or two that we can discuss. In verse 25 and 26, two key words that need to be examined are 'hatan' and 'damim'. Remember, 'dam' is singular (blood) and 'damim' is plural.