

The Graduate School of the Desert

Exodus 2:15-25

After completing his schooling in Egypt, Moses enrolled in The Graduate School of the Desert. It was time to get an education.

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- God speaks to his people in the desert (Deuteronomy 32:10-12)

- God often trains his servants in the wilderness
 - Jacob (Genesis 28)
 - Elijah (1 Kings 19)
 - John the Baptist (Matthew 3)
 - Jesus (Matthew 4)
 - Paul (Galatians 1:17)

- Adversity is part of God's curriculum (Psalm 119:67, 71-72)
 - Trials teach us to obey (67)
 - Failure makes us teachable (71)

At The Graduate School of the Desert (Exodus 2:15-25), Moses took courses in:

Humble Service (16-17)

- Moses learned to serve those in need
- He learned to keep his temper in check

Advanced Obscurity (18-22)

- Moses learned to be content
- He learned how to lead
- He learned the topography of the Sinai desert

Remedial Waiting (23-25)

- Moses learned to rely on God's timing
 - Change of leadership in Egypt
 - The Hebrews prayed
 - God was ready to act

When you find yourself in the desert, listen for God's voice and learn the lessons he has for you