



# LISTEN UP!

Exodus 5:22 – 6:13 – “The Promise”

**STEP 1** – Find the book of **Exodus** in your Bibles ...

**STEP 2** – Follow in the Bible and **listen up!**

- In Exodus chapter 6, verse 11:

In which country are God’s people are being made to work as slaves? E \_ \_ \_ \_

Who has God told to lead his people to freedom? M \_ \_ \_ \_

What’s the title given to the kings of that country? P \_ \_ \_ \_

- At the start of chapter 5:

When Moses and Aaron spoke to Pharaoh, what was his answer (v2)?

**yes**  
 **no**  
 **maybe**

And afterwards, for Moses’ people, was it ...



- **God’s determination to deliver his people** (6:1-8)

Moses says *to God (!!!)* that “you have not rescued your people at all” (5:23). Everything has been worse, says Moses, since he went and spoke to Pharaoh. But God does not give Moses a straight answer. What does he do instead?

**He tells Moses his *name*** (v2). In most Bibles, this is written with the unusual *small capital letters*, like this: the LORD. But that’s much more than just a name: it’s a name with lots of meaning included. Listen to the talk about this. You might want to write a few notes about what “the LORD” means:

God is .....

and .....

and .....

How does this stuff make you feel?



Excited?



Happy?



Confused?



Worried?



Amazed?

**God tells Moses what he has already done and now will do (6:4-8)**

So what has done already? .....

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And what's going to happen soon? .....

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- **Moses' and the people's discouragements (5:22-23 and 6:9-12)**

Can you see the *three* times when Moses (twice) and the people (once) just don't respond to God's promises? Which verses? What do they say? (And why?)

Moses: .....

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The people: .....

Do you ever feel you can't believe what God says? Would it help to talk to someone?

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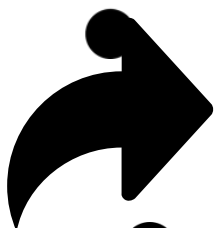
But does that stop God being good and keeping his promises? (Come back next time and find out!)

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**STEP 3 – During / After the preach...**



Have you got any questions about all of this? If so, *write them down*



What is God calling you to do? Write it down...



What do you need God's help with? Write it down...