Lesson 5: Salvation

Today's Bible Story

At the time when God's people were serving as slaves in the land of Egypt, God sent Moses and his brother Aaron to speak to the Pharaoh, the King of Egypt. Through many plagues and disasters, God revealed his mighty power to the Egyptians.

Lord commanded Moses: "Rise up early in the morning and present yourself before Pharaoh and say to him, 'Thus says the Lord, the God of the Hebrews: "Let my people go, that they may serve me. For this time I will send all my plagues on you yourself, and on your servants and your people, so that you may know that there is none like me in all the earth.'"

"Go and tell the Pharaoh, 'By now I could have put out my hand and struck you and your people with pestilence, and you would have been cut off from the earth. Now I will show you my power, so that my name may be proclaimed in all the earth. Since you still think you are great and will not let my people go, behold, about this time tomorrow I will cause very heavy hail to fall, like you have never seen before!'"

On hearing this warning, whoever feared the word of the Lord among the servants of Pharaoh hurried his slaves and his livestock into the houses, but everyone else was unprepared. When Moses stretched out his staff toward heaven, the Lord sent thunder and hail upon the land of Egypt. In the midst of the heavy hail, they saw the light of fire flashing across the sky.

The hail struck down everything that was in the field in all the land of Egypt, both man and beast. The hail also struck down every plant of the field and broke every tree of the field. But where God's people lived in the land of Goshen, God let none of the hail fall.



From Exodus 9:13-26

Bible Rhyme

When Pharaoh ruled in Egypt land,
he worked his slaves with heavy hand.
God sent Moses with the plea
to let them go and set them free.

When Pharaoh would not let them go,
God then let his power show.
He sent many signs and plagues.
God was sure to have his way.

After locusts, frogs, and flies,
fiery hail made plants all die.
Though all Egypt was laid waste,
God kept his own people safe!

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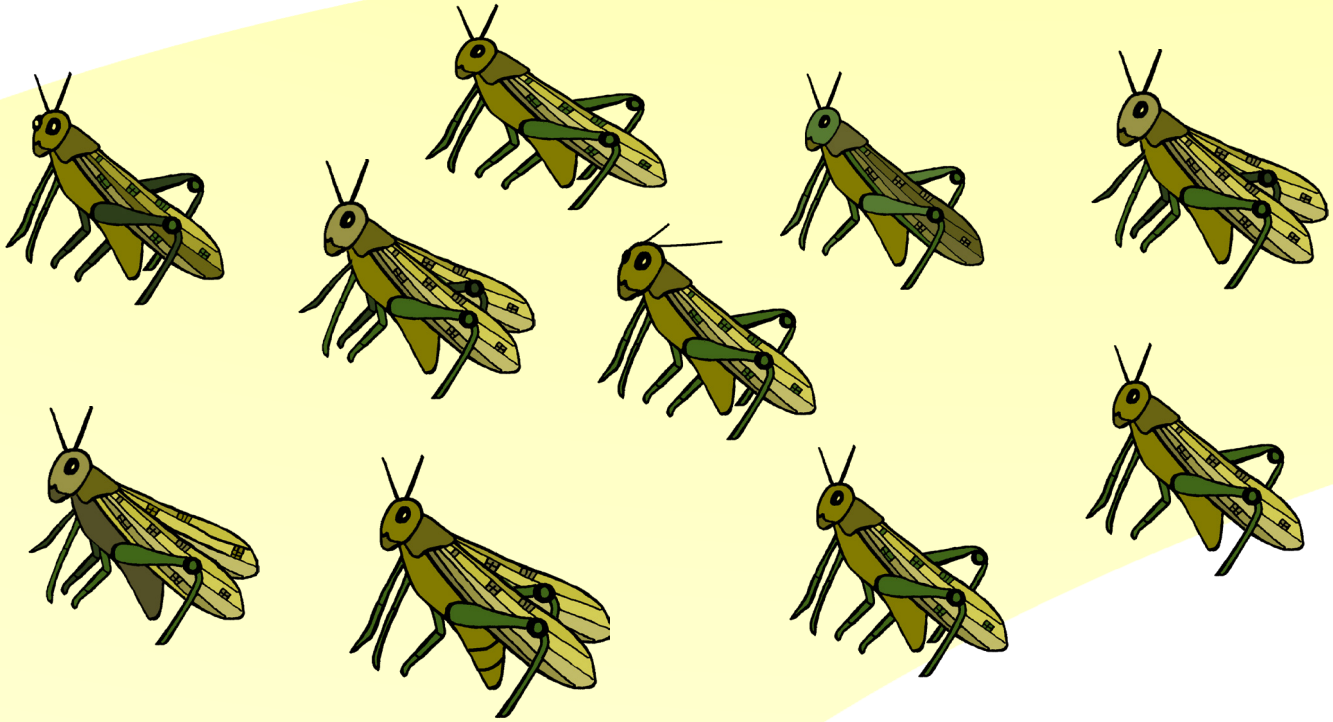
God sent many plagues and disasters upon the land of Egypt to reveal his mighty power and strength to Pharaoh and the Egyptians!

Some of the plagues involved insects. Circle the two locusts below that are exactly the same:



Look up these verses from the Book of Exodus to find out what happened in each plague:

1. Exodus 7:14-24 _____
2. Exodus 7:25–8:15 _____
3. Exodus 8:16-19 _____
4. Exodus 8:20-32 _____
5. Exodus 9:1-7 _____
6. Exodus 9:8-12 _____
7. Exodus 9:13-35 _____
8. Exodus 10:1-20 _____
9. Exodus 10:21-29 _____
10. Exodus 12:29-32 _____

What was the number of the plague we read about in our story for today? _____

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