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Consider the plight of Israel in Egypt. God's nation was in incredible ruin, with widespread apostasy. Satan had Israel under his heel, manipulating the political powers of the day to make laws against them and persecute them. The enemy was ridiculing and mocking God's testimony on earth.

It was a dark hour in Israel's history and over time the people grew discouraged. They began backsliding, indulging in the pleasures and sensuality of Egypt. Idolatry and fornication became rampant. Israel's situation seemed hopeless and the faith of the nation was slowly dying.

What was God's response to this rising power of darkness? Did He stir up surrounding empires to act as His rod against Egypt? Did He incite a civil war among the Egyptians? Did He send avenging angels? No! God did no such thing. He had a totally different plan and laid His hand on a single man, raising up Moses!

"The Lord executeth righteousness and judgment for all that are oppressed. He made known his ways unto Moses, his acts unto the children of Israel. The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy" (Psalms 103:6-8).

Moses was a man of prayer, totally shut in with God. He said no to the pleasures, ease and temptations of Egypt, living instead under the total rule of the Holy Ghost. He had no agenda or ambition of his own. He forsook all his human ability, relying on the great I AM as his sole provision and resource. And he came from holy ground, with a firsthand vision of God's holiness.

So, in the blackest hour of Israel's history, when it looked as if God's people would succumb to the enemy, the Lord raised up a man who would act as a testimony in the midst of it all. And this one man brought down a whole nation while raising up another. God did it all through one man!