

Life of Moses

Compared with
(Matthew 2)

Life of Christ

Pharaoh, the king of Egypt, gave orders to slay the male Hebrew children around the time of Moses' birth (**Ex.1**)



Herod, the king of the Jews, gave orders to slay the male Hebrew children around the time of Jesus' birth (**Mt.2:16-18**)

Pharaoh learned of a liberator of Israel arising so he ordered the slaughter (**Ex.1:15**)



Herod learned of a liberator of Israel arising so he ordered the slaughter (**Mt.2:2-18**)

Moses is forced to leave his homeland to seek safety from Pharaoh (**Ex.2:15**)



Jesus is forced to leave his homeland to seek safety from Herod (**Mt.2:12-14**)

After Pharaoh's death, God appears to Moses to tell him to return to Egypt (**Ex.4:19**)



After Herod's death, an angel appears to Joseph to tell him to return to Israel (**Mt.2:19-20**)

Moses, with his wife and children, return to Egypt (**Ex.4:20**)



Joseph, with his wife and child, return to Israel (**Mt.2:21**)