《天路导向(粤)》双语讲义

英雄的肖像——摩西 - 4 PORTRAIT OF A HERO - MOSES - 4

- Hello, listening friends. 亲爱的朋友,你好,
- Thank you for tuning in. 很感谢你的收听,
- We have been talking about Moses, the hero of God, 我们正在讲有关摩西的事迹,他是神的英 雄。
- and we left you the in last time where Moses has gone from the Egyptian school to the wilderness school, 上次节目结束时,我们讲到摩西离开了埃及 学校,进入旷野学校。
- and we know the condition of Moses in the wilderness school, 我们知道摩西在旷野学校的情况,
- and the way we know his condition is from Exodus, Chapter 18, verses 3 and 4. 我们是透过出埃及记 18 章 3-4 节的记载,得 知他的情况的。
- We know his condition from the naming of his children.
 从他为他的孩子所起的名字,我们知道了他的处境。
- Moses was depressed when his first son was born, 当他的长子出生时,摩西很消沉,
- so he named him "Gershom", 所以他给儿子起名叫革舜,
- which means 'alien and stranger in a foreign land';
 意思就是在外邦寄居的。
- but, then, he was in a happy mood when the second son was born, 但当他第二个儿子出生时,他心情愉快,
- so he named him "Eliezer," which means 'God delivered me from the sword of Pharaoh.' 所以给他起名叫以利以谢,意思就是,神救 我脱离法老的刀。

- For Moses, the wilderness university was very different from the university of Heliopolis.
 对摩西来说,这所旷野大学跟赫利俄普里斯 大学很不一样,
- The curriculum of learning at the university of the wilderness was taking care of sheep. 旷野大学里所学的科目是,如何牧羊,
- It was very different from architecture, geometry and mathematics. 这一科跟建筑学、几何学和数学大不相同。
- His teacher in the wilderness was the Lord Himself. 在旷野里,神亲自担任他的老师。
- Here, in the wilderness, there were no sun worshippers, 在旷野里,没有人拜太阳神,
- only the One Who made the sun. 只有创造太阳的独一真神。
- Here, in the wilderness, no worshippers of nature, 在旷野里,没有人拜大自然,
- but he could commune with the very One Who made nature, 但他可以跟大自然的创造主沟通。
- 21. and, just as his emotions began to heal, 就在他的情绪得到医治时,
- and, just as Moses was beginning to get over the past pain, 正当摩西开始从过去的伤痛里复原时,
- something happened that caused all of these past painful emotions to surface again. 发生了一件事,又勾起他过去一切的痛苦。
- God showed up in Person in the burning bush, 神在燃烧的荆棘丛里向他显现,
- and he said to Moses, "You are going back to deliver My people." 神对摩西说,你要回去,解救我的百姓。
- Suddenly, all of the forgotten fears gripped Moses' heart once more.
 忽然之间,那些被遗忘的恐惧,又充满了摩 西的心。

- 27. It was not surprising, therefore, that Moses instantly gave God four excuses as to why he should not go back.
 摩西立刻提出四个他不能回去的理由,实在不足为怪。
- Let's look at these excuses.
 让我们来看看他的理由:
- 29. First, 第一,
- 30. Moses said, "Who am I?" 摩西说,我是什么人?
- Think about the answer to that question with me, please.
 请跟我一起来思想一下这个问题的答案。
- You are Moses. 假设你是摩西,
- You were the heir to the throne of the most powerful nation of the world. 你曾是当时全世界最强盛国家的王位继承 人;
- You are powerful physically and intellectually. 你体格魁梧,学识过人;
- You were the general who led victories for Egypt, 你是率领埃及军队的常胜将军。
- but Moses would say that all that had been stripped off me.
 但摩西说,我的这一切都被剥夺了,
- Now, I feel worthless. 如今我一文不值;
- Now, I feel incapable. 如今我一无长处;
- Now, I feel inadequate. 如今我一事无成;
- Four decades ago, oh yeah, that would have been true." 不错,四十年前这些都是事实,
- 41. Is Moses pretending to be humble here? 现在摩西是否假谦虚?
- 42. Not at all. 不是的。
- 43. He is actually feeling worthless at this point of his life.
 在他人生的这个阶段,他的确感到自己毫无价值,

- 44. He still feels deep rejection in his heart. 在他心里仍然深深感到被排斥。
- 45. Ah, but this is good news. 但这却是个好消息,
- 46. You say, "How can feeling worthless be good news?"你会说,他这么自卑,算什么好消息?
- 47. It means that God can now use you in a far more powerful way than you have ever thought possible.
 这意味着,现在神可以大大地使用你,甚至 超过你所求所想的。
- 48. My listening friends, God specializes in those who feel inadequate.
 我亲爱的朋友,神最擅长于帮助那些觉得自己一事无成的人;
- 49. God specializes in those who feel empty.
 神最擅长于帮助那些觉得自己一无所有的人。
- God said, "I will be with you, Moses, and that is enough." 神说, 摩西, 我与你同在, 这就足够了。
- 51. In fact, that is everything that you need. 事实上,这就是你所需要的一切。
- 52. The second excuse was this 他的第二个理由是:
- 53. "Who shall I tell them sent me?" 我该如何告诉他们,是谁叫我来的?
- 54. Names are very important in many countries. 在许多国家里,名字是很重要的,
- 55. Names represent who you know. 名字代表你认识什么人;
- 56. Names reveal who your family is. 名字显示你的家世背景。
- 57. Moses once had a big name in Egypt. 摩西过去属于埃及显赫的家族,
- 58. In fact, it was one of the biggest. 事实上,他出自最显赫的家族。
- 59. His name opened doors. 他的名字使他通行无阻;
- His name got people to salute.
 人们因他的名字,向他敬礼;
- His name was a power house. 他的名字等于权力;
- His name made things happen, 他的名字能呼风唤雨;

- 63. but, one day, his name really meant nothing. 直到有一天,他的名字不再有意义;
- 64. His own people rejected him. 他自己的同胞拒绝他;
- 65. His grandfather, Pharaoh, wanted to kill him, 他的祖父法老要杀害他。
- 66. and, now, Moses needed a name bigger than his own.现在,他需要一个比他自己更伟大的名字;
- Now, Moses needed a name more powerful than his own 现在,他需要一个比他自己更有权威的名字。
- 68. and God gently and lovingly said to him, "Go and tell them that 'I am Who I am' sent you." 于是神温柔又仁慈地对他说:去告诉他们, 是自有永有的那一位打发你去的。
- **69.** What was God telling Moses here? 神对摩西说的意思是什么呢?
- 70. He was telling him, "I am the eternal God of your forefathers."他的意思是,我是你祖先的永生神;
- 71. "I am the God of the past, the God of the present, and the God of the future."我是过去、现在、将来永远不改变的神;
- God did not say, "My name is 'I was'." 神没有说,我的名字叫做"我曾是",
- He would have been only the God of the past. 那么他就仅是过去的神;
- God did not say that, "My name is 'I can'." 神没有说,我的名字叫做"我现在能",
- He would have only been the God of, the present.
 那么他就仅是眼前的神;
- God did not say that, "My name is 'I will'." 神并没有说,我的名字叫做"我将是",
- 77. He would only have been the God of the future. 那么他就仅是将来的神。
- 78. No wonder Jesus Christ who was God in human flesh declared Himself to be "I Am." 难怪道成肉身的耶稣基督,宣告祂的名字为 "我是"。
- Jesus said, "I am the bread of life. 耶稣说,我是生命的粮;
- 80. I am the door to life. 我是生命的门;

- 81. I am the resurrection and the life. 复活在我, 生命也在我;
- 82. I am the way, the truth and the life." 我是道路、真理、生命。
- 83. I am... I am... I am... 我是,我是,我是.....
- 84. Without Him, no one could ever get into Heaven-若不借着祂,没有人能到天堂去。
- 85. and, then, there is a third excuse. 他的第三个理由是:
- 86. Moses said, "What if they don't believe me?" 摩西说,他们不相信我,怎么办?
- 87. Now, this excuse truly reveals Moses' root problem.
 这个借口反映出摩西最根本的问题。
- 88. "I once thought that I could do this, but I was rejected."
 我曾经认为我可以做得到,但我被人拒绝了。
- My listening friends, listen carefully to God's response to this excuse.
 亲爱的朋友,请注意神如何回答他这借口。
- 90. Did God say to Moses, "Stop wallowing in your emotional pain." 神是否回答摩西说,不要再自怨自艾了?
- 91. Is that what God said? 神是这么说的吗?
- 92. No. 不是!
- 93. In Exodus, Chapter 4, verses 2 to 9, 出埃及记第四章 2-9 节,
- 94. God gently and lovingly said to Moses, "I am going to give you three signs.
 神温柔而仁慈地对摩西说:我要给你三个神迹。
- 95. I am going to give you three supernatural miracles to authenticate My mission for you." 我要给你三个神迹奇事,证明是我授权给你,差派你去的。
- 96. He said, "First, you are going to turn the shepherd's staff into a serpent and, then, back to a staff again; 神说,你要把你牧羊的杖变成蛇,再把蛇变 回杖;

- 97. then, I'll cause your hands to be struck with leprosy and then whole again 然后,我要使你的手长大痲疯,再复原;
- 98. and I will turn waters of the Nile River into blood and then back to water again."
 我还要使尼罗河的水变作血,再变回水。
- 99. Not just one sign, but three. 不仅一个神迹,而是三个。
- 100. Now, Moses keeps his fourth and biggest excuse to the end. 最后摩西提出第四个借口,也是最大的借 口。
- 101. Exodus, Chapter 4, verse 10, Moses said, "I am slow of speech and stutter.
 出埃及记第四章第十节,摩西说:我是拙口 笨舌的。
- 102. How can I get Pharaoh to respect me with the impediment that I have?" 我有口吃,说话结巴,法老怎么会看得起我 呢?
- 103. I want to remind you of something very, very important.
 请注意一件非常重要的事,
- 104. In the last message, I told you that the Book of Acts said that Moses was powerful in speech and action. 在上次节目里我曾告诉你,使徒行传里说, 摩西说话行事都有才能。
- 105. What happened to this powerful speech? 他说话的才能到哪里去了?
- 106. Ah, when Moses experienced rejection, he lost his eloquence. 原来当他被排斥,被放逐之后,他失去了他 的口才。
- 107. He had been away from civilization for 40 years. 他远离文明 40 年之久,
- 108. He has been away from the halls of learning for 40 years. 他离开了学术中心有 40 年了,
- 109. He didn't even know how to speak any more, 他甚至不懂得该怎么说话。
- 110. but also you must remember that, with rejection, comes a loss of confidence.
 同时要记得,当一个人遭受排斥,就会失去 信心。

- 111. With rejection came the feeling of incompetence.遭受排斥,使人觉得自己无能。
- 112. Some believe that Moses actually developed his stuttering problem because of his emotional pain, 有些人相信,摩西因为精神受刺激,感到痛 苦而形成口吃的毛病。
- 113. but, once again, you find God sympathetic and understanding. 但你再度看见神的怜悯和谅解。
- 114. God said, "Who gave man his mouth? 神说: 谁造人的口呢?
- 115. Who makes him deaf or mute? Who gives the eye?谁使人口哑、耳聋、目明、眼瞎呢?
- 116. Is it not the Lord? 岂不是我耶和华吗?
- 117. Now go. 现在去吧!
- 118. I will help you speak and I will teach you what to say." 我必赐你口才,指教你所当说的话。
- 119. But what brought about the Lord's anger is that, after all of these gracious responses to Moses' excuses, 然而,当神如此慷慨地回答摩西的借口后, 摩西却惹起神的怒气。
- 120. Moses was still reluctant to cooperate with God's will for his life.
 摩西仍然不愿意合作,顺服神在他生命中的 计划。
- 121. My listening friends, please listen carefully as I conclude. 亲爱的朋友,在我结束前,请留心听。
- 122. God is very compassionate with those who are fearful.神非常怜悯那些充满恐惧的人;
- 123. God is very compassionate with those who are anxious.
 神非常怜悯那些充满焦虑的人;
- 124. God is very compassionate with those who are in physical or emotional pain, 神非常怜悯那些身心灵都很痛苦的人,
- 125. but the one thing that is an affront to God 但有一件事直接冒犯神,

- 126. is a deliberate refusal to obey Him. 就是故意拒绝顺服祂。
- 127. Our God is an awesome God. 我们的神是可敬畏的神,
- 128. Our God keeps His promise, even if it takes 400 years, 我们的神信守诺言,即使经过了 400 年,祂 仍然守约。
- 129. and, when God spoke to Moses through the burning bush, and the bush never burned or was consumed, 当神透过燃烧的荆棘丛向摩西说话时, 荆棘 却没有被烧毁,
- 130. that was a sign in itself. 这本身就是一个奇迹征兆。
- 131. It is a sign that those who are protected by the Lord can never be destroyed.
 这个神迹显示,凡受神保护的人,是不会被 摧毁的。
- 132. When Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego were thrown into Nebuchadnezzar's fiery furnace, 当沙得拉、米煞和亚伯尼歌被丢进尼布甲尼 撒的火窑中时,
- 133. God came down and walked with them as if they were walking in a garden 神来到他们中间与他们同行,就好像他们是 在花园里散步似的,
- 134. and not one single hair of their head was singed.
 他们连一根头发都没有被烧焦。
- 135. When you are walking with the Lord, the fire of trials and difficulties will never consume you.
 当你与神同行,试炼与困难之火绝不会伤害 你;
- 136. When you are walking with the Lord, the very gates of Hell will not overcome you.当你与神同行,地狱之门不能胜过你;
- 137. When you are walking with the Lord, you are eternally secure in Him.当你与神同行,你就在祂永远的平安里。
- 138. For Jesus said, 因为耶稣说:
- 139. "those whom the Father has given me, I will loose none."凡父所赐给我的人,一个也不失落。
- 140. When you are walking with the Lord, 当你与神同行,

- 141. the Holy Spirit will burn bright in you and through you.圣灵就在你里面燃烧,发出明光。
- 142. My friends, God keeps His word. 亲爱的朋友,神说话算话,
- 143. The question is are you willing to believe his word and obey it?问题是,你愿意相信祂的话,并顺服祂吗?
- 144. My prayer is that you would say, "yes." 我祈求神让你说,我愿意。
- 145. Until next time, I wish you God's richest blessing.愿神大大地赐福给你,我们下次节目再会。