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THE TEN COMMANDMENTS STORY

Long ago, God chose a man named Moses to lead His people, the Israelites, out of Egypt where they were treated badly.

After they were free, Moses led them to a mountain called Mount Sinai. There, God spoke to Moses and gave him special rules to help people live good and loving lives. These rules were called the Ten Commandments.

God wrote the commandments on two stone tablets. They taught people to love God, respect others, obey their parents, tell the truth, and not take things that are not theirs.

Moses brought the commandments down the mountain and shared them with the people. From that day on, the Israelites tried to follow God's rules so they could live in peace and happiness.

Even today, Catholics follow the Ten Commandments to show love for God and others.

Answer the questions in complete sentences.

1.) Who did God choose to lead His people?

2.) Where did Moses receive the Ten Commandments?

3.) What were the Ten Commandments written on?

4.) Why did God give the Ten Commandments?

5.) Name one thing the commandments teach us to do.
