

How **Slow** Can You Go?

Exodus 4:1-12



So come, **I will send you** to
Pharaoh to bring my people, the
Israelites, out of Egypt.

-Exodus 3:10 (NRSV)

“Who am I that I should go to
Pharaoh, and bring the Israelites
out of Egypt?”

- Exodus 3:11 (NSRV)

But Moses said to the LORD, “O my Lord, I have never been eloquent, neither in the past nor even now that you have spoken to your servant; but I am **slow of speech and slow of tongue.**”

- Exodus 4:10 (NSRV)

Then the LORD said to him, “Who gives speech to mortals? Who makes them mute or deaf, seeing or blind? **Is it not I, the LORD?**

¹² Now go, and I will be with your mouth and teach you what you are to speak.”

- Exodus 4:11-12 (NSRV)

Moses' sense of failure had him thinking that his disability was bigger than what God could do in him.



I have been **crucified with Christ**; and it is no longer I who live, but it is Christ who lives in me. And the life I now **live in the flesh** I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. — Galatians 2:19-20 (NSRV)