

Moses as A 'Type' of Christ
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Why does God choose to reveal Himself and His will to us using this strategy of Old Covenant shadows and types finding their completion in the New Covenant?

If you want to get a clear picture of how all the Old Testament scriptures point to Jesus Christ, the life and person of Moses the prophet is a wonderful place to begin. Moses and Jesus are...

Alike in their _____

- Both born in times of foreign dominated rule, under earthly kings that tried to put them to death. Exodus 1:15-22, Matthew 2:16-18.
- Both spent their early years in Egypt. Matthew 10:13, Hosea 11:1
- Though royal, both chose to live among the common people. Hebrews 11:24-27, Philippians 2:6-7, Matthew 4:8-9

Alike in their _____

- Both were shepherds. Exodus 3:1; John 10:11
- Both performed miraculous signs, particularly concerning water. Exodus 14:21, Matthew 14:25
- Both fed many in miraculous displays of provision. Exodus 16, Mark 8
- Both fasted for 40 days. Exodus 34:28; Luke 4:2
- Both rejected by their people. Acts 7:26-27, John 1:11, Luke 19:14
- Both endured the complaints of those they were commissioned to lead.
- Both enjoyed fellowship with God. Deuteronomy 34:10, John 1:18
- Both had transfiguration experiences. Exodus 34:29, 35, Matthew 17:2

Alike in their _____

- Both were judges. Exodus 18:13, John 5:24-30
- Both were teachers. Deuteronomy 4:5, John 18:20
- Both were prophets. Deuteronomy 34:10, John 6:14
- Both were priests. Exodus 40, Hebrews 4:14
- Both were kings. Deuteronomy 33:4-5, John 18:33-40
- Both mediated a covenant. Exodus 34:27, Hebrews 8:6
- Both brought God's people from bondage to freedom

What do we learn from the *differences* we see between these two similar individuals? How is Jesus the mediator of a *better* covenant?

Alike in their _____

- Both had to die before their people could enter the land of promise. Joshua 1:2, John 12:24
- Both experienced controversy over their remains. Jude 9, Matthew 28:11-15
- Both were buried, but their bodies did not remain where they were initially laid to rest. Deuteronomy 34:5-6, Matthew 17:1-9
