

The Lord told me that he will raise up a Prophet and put words into his mouth, a Prophet who will tell you all that the Lord commands.

Then the Lord told Moses to climb Mount Abarim where he would be gathered up to join his fathers. And so Moses did so and then died. And they buried him in the valley of Moab: but no man knows his sepulcher unto this day.

Moses was one hundred and twenty years old when he died. And the Children of Israel wept for Moses for thirty days. And never again was there a prophet in Israel like Moses, one who knew the Lord face to face.

Aaron, It is time that Aaron be gathered up to his fathers for he shall not enter the Promised Land because you doubted my word at the water of Meribah. Strip Aaron of his holy garments and put them on Eleazar, his son.

Moses did this and then Aaron died there on the top of the mountain. And the people mourned Aaron for thirty days.

The Children of Israel continued to wander in the wilderness. And the Lord said to Moses, Go up Mount Abarim where you will look out upon the Promised Land. After you have seen it, you will be gathered up to your fathers, for you doubted me by the water of Meribah. And take Joshua, a man in whom there is spirit, and lay your hand upon him and he shall be their leader.

Then Moses spoke to the Children of Israel, saying: There words which I command you this day shall be in your heart. And you shall teach them to your children and you shall speak of them when you sit and when you walk and when you lie down.

*Hear, O Israel! The Lord Our God, the Lord is One. You will love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. You must observe the Lord's commandments and remember always how the Lord your God led you these forty years in the wilderness. For the Lord your God brings you to a good land, a land with brooks of water; of wheat and barley and vines and honey. When you have eaten and are full, then you shall bless the Lord your God for the good land which he has given you.*