



# VALLEY REAL LIFE

Experiencing God | Our First Step

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## **Last Week**

Did anyone make any changes in their lives to allow themselves to hear God in their lives?

## **Opener**

Any favorite memories about your Mom you'd like to share in celebration of Mother's Day.

## **Questions**

Have you ever found yourself in a crisis of belief over something you felt God was asking from you? How did you work to resolve it?

Have you ever had a moment where you felt God's presence was absent, but then later realized he was walking with you the entire time?

Why do you think God provided a solution for each of Moses's excuses vs just telling him to be obedient? What does this tell us about the character of God?

What do we learn about faith as we realize it requires us to act upon it? What's the difference between faith and belief?

## **Apply SOAP (Scripture, Observation, Application, Prayer) to:**

Matthew 17:20 (ESV)

He said to them, "Because of your little faith. For truly, I say to you, if you have faith like a grain of mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move, and nothing will be impossible for you."

- *Read the verses out loud together*
- *Share your observations*
- *Discuss Application*
- *Close in Prayer*

## **Next Steps:**

What is an area of life that you need to action to your faith in order to be obedient to God?