Resurvection Life of Jesus Church WHAT IS THE FUTURE FOR OUR MINISTRY? RLJ-1165 JOHN S. TORELL DECEMBER 21, 2008 PART 4B: VICTORY OR DEFEAT?

Moses ended his life in victory but experienced a number of defeats during his life time:

- Fleeing as a murderer. Exodus 2:10-15
- Becoming a shepherd for 40 years. verses 16-22
- Arguing with God. Exodus 4:1-14
- Rejection by the Israeli leadership. Exodus 5:14-23
- Facing the Red Sea. Exodus 14:9-12
- All the murmuring. Exodus 16:1-3;
- Seeing the weakness of his brother Aaron and facing the Golden Calf. Exodus 32:15-21
- Having his brother and sister turn on him. Numbers 12:1-15
- Israel's refusal to enter the Promised Land. Numbers 14:1-10
- The rebellion of Korah. Numbers 16:1-15
- Provoking Moses to anger so that he struck the Rock, the Son of God. Numbers 20:1-13

Moses didn't know in advance how his life would end! Nor did he know if the mission of bringing Israel out of Egypt into the Promised Land would be successful.

Moses had to live just like us, ONE DAY AT THE TIME!

But Moses finished the task given him and finished victoriously.

Why? Because Moses had faith in God! Hebrews 11:23-29

DO YOU HAVE AN EAR TO HEAR WITH?