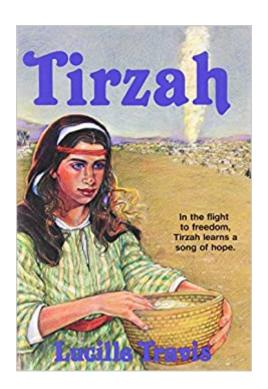


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# **Tirzah**





## **Synopsis**

Tirzah's people, the Israelites, have been in slavery to the Egyptians for many years. Tirzah and her lame brother, Oren, help gather straw to make bricks. She observes the suffering of her people and the injustices that are done to them by the Egyptian police. Moses begs Pharaoh to let them go, but Pharaoh makes them work harder. One night, when the plague of death strikes down Pharaoh's own son, he allows the Israelites to flee on foot, only to pursue them with horses and chariots. He believes he will have them trapped between the mountains and the sea, but God miraculously delivers them. The Israelites celebrate with a song of hope and victory. Tirzah befriends a young Egyptian girl who has fled with them, even though others treat her badly. In spite of hardship and disappointment, Tirzah and her family keep trusting Yahweh to carry them through.

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We just got done reading Tirzah and my daughters and I loved it! It is easy and pleasant to read, it's

engaging and puts you in the times of the Exodus. It made us all think more personally what might have been and what people went through emotionally. I thought the author did a great job turning everything back to God which gave us great discussion. This is fiction and it gives you another aspect of the Israelites that maybe you haven't considered before! We loved it and are looking for other books from the same author!

Excellent book. My kids loved it...so did I!

I'm 10 years old and I'm homeschooled. We are studying Moses, the Israelites and their journey. Since this book took place at that time, it was cool to hear the story from an Israelite's perspective (Tizrah.) It was so cool to see Tizrah and her emotions through out the story. The story needed to be longer. It left me hanging, and I wanted to see what happened next. 4 stars, Tizrah is still a really good book!

Great story! My daughter and I enjoyed it! Loved the perspective of being "in the thick" of the Exodus and beyond.

I needed some literature books to accompany my daughter's ancient history course. This was a wonderful book to add to the collection and was accurate in content for that period.

Great book for learning about the time of Moses. My kids loved this.

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Excellent book.

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