The Prophet Like Moses

(Deuteronomy 18:15-19)

Introduction:
1. While discussing Jesus in prophecy last week, we mentioned God's promise to raise up a prophet like Moses.
2. This morning, I would like for us to explore this promise and demonstrate from Scripture that this prophet was Jesus.

I. The Testimony of Scripture

A. (John 1:19-29) The testimony of John the baptizer.
B. (Acts 3:22) The testimony of Peter.
C. (Acts 7:37) The testimony of Stephen.

II. **Similarities Between Moses and Jesus**

A. Both prophets (Deuteronomy 18:15; John 1:29-31).
B. Both preserved in infancy (Exodus 1:22; Matthew 2:16).
C. Both found refuge in Egypt (Exodus 2:1-10; Matthew 2:13-14).
D. Both were inextricably connected to the Passover (Exodus 12:1-28; 1 Cor. 5:7).
E. Both fasted 40 days and nights (Exodus 34:28; Matthew 4:2).
F. Both were shepherds (Exodus 3:1; John 10:11,14).
G. Both were miracle workers (Exodus 4:1-5, 14:1-31; John 20:30-31).
H. Both were deliverers (Exodus 5:1; Luke 4:18, Romans 8:2).
I. Both were lawgivers (Exodus 34:27; Luke 22:20).
J. Both were transfigured (Exodus 34:29; Matthew 17:2).
K. Both were meek/humble (Numbers 12:3; Matthew 11:29, Philippians 2:5).
L. Both spoke with God (Exodus 33:11; John 1:1, Matthew 11:27).
M. Both were intercessors (Exodus 32:11-13; Romans 8:34, Hebrews 7:25).
N. Both offered their lives for sinners (Exodus 32:32; 1 John 3:16).
O. Both appeared after their deaths (Matthew 17:3; John 20:14).

Conclusion:
1. Not only do the similarities demonstrate that Jesus was "the prophet" that was to come, the testimony of inspired men, affirmed it.
2. Now, back to that Old Testament passage and look at it again (Deuteronomy 18:15-19).
3. We must do what he says!
4. Have you obeyed this one-of-a-kind prophet of God?