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*ALL THINGS TO ALL PEOPLE*  
**SCRIPT RELEASE**

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**BE MOSES**

**Synopsis:** Moses, the leader of Israel, has just died and left Joshua as his successor. Joshua is beginning to feel the pressure of responsibility that this new position brings. His public relations manager has a whole campaign planned out. Joshua's wife Ashira is excited about the social boost that her husband's new job will provide. It takes his old friend Caleb to remind him that success depends on God, not on Joshua. This drama is written in four parts that can be performed separately or together.

**Scripture Reference(s):** Joshua 1-9

**Topic(s):** Abiding, Ambition, Calling, Character, Dependence on God, Humility, Identity, Leadership, Power, Pride, Purpose, Success

### **Characters**

Joshua  
Public Relations Manager  
Assistant  
Ashira  
Caleb

### **Props**

movie trailer style video introducing Joshua as the new leader of Israel  
cell phone  
"glow machine" (a device with lights beaming at the actor's face)  
costume pieces to turn Joshua into Moses (robe, beard, staff, etc.)  
sunglasses  
stone tablets  
various sound effects  
fruit

### **Costumes**

Modern day with a hint of biblical. For example, just a sash or a headdress.

**Director's Note:** Be creative with the "glow machine" (the original design included desk lamps attached to football shoulder pads). Have fun with the rap, utilizing music and/or beat boxing.

**Running Time:** 15-18 minutes

## Scene 1

*Play Movie Trailer. Lights up on JOSHUA, pacing around the room nervously. Chants are heard in the background: "Joshua! Joshua!" Enter PR MAMAGER and his ASSISTANT.*

PR MANAGER: Josh! You're a star! Can you hear it? That's love, man. Pure love. They love you! Come on, tell me what you thought. How'd you like the trailer?

JOSHUA: Uh... well...

PR MANAGER: Now, remember this is just the first cut. We can re-shoot, re-write, re-edit. But obviously it tested well. How'd you like it? You loved it right?

JOSHUA: Actually, I'm just not sure...

PR MANAGER: Oh, wait! What am I thinking? I forgot the best part. Josh, have a seat. *(Pulls out cell phone)* Hey, it's me. Get it ready to go. *(To ASSISTANT)* Get him whatever he wants. *(Back to JOSH)* Wait here. You're gonna love this!

JOSHUA: *(Sitting)* Oh boy...

ASSISTANT: Can I get you anything, sir?

JOSHUA: No, thanks. I'm fine. *(Pause)* Uh, I don't mean to be rude, but who are you?

ASSISTANT: Oh, I'm your personal assistant. All the patriarchs have one nowadays.

JOSHUA: Oh. Listen; tell me something... what did you think about the trailer?

ASSISTANT: Oh, I'm not paid to think, sir.

PR MANAGER: *(Rushing in)* All right! We're good to go. You're gonna love this, Josh. I guarantee it. Here, put this on. *(Begins strapping "glow machine" around JOSHUA's neck)*

JOSHUA: Hey. Wait a minute. What is this thing?

PR MANAGER: Oh, it's for your big premiere.