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CHARACTERS

IN THE ORDER OF THEIR APPEARANCE

ANATH BITHIAH, *Pharaoh's sister*

TEUSRET, *Pharaoh's daughter*

SETI THE SECOND, *the Pharaoh*

RAMASES, *his son*

MOSES

AARON, *his brother*

MIRIAM, *his sister*

SHENDI, *Miriam's son*

Two overseers, a Minister (KEF)

A guard and a servant

The action of the play takes place in the summer of 1200 B.C.,
alternating between Pharaoh's palace and Miriam's tent