

## **WEEK I: The Humble King**



- 1 Samuel 3:9-10
- Luke 19:37
- Luke 19:8-10

God sent Jesus to save us, and he grew up as a humble man who did everything he could to show the love of God to a hurting world. God knows how hearts, and even when we mess up, we can ask for forgiveness and God will forgive us. He asks that we listen to His teachings from the Bible so we can also praise Him go out and show the love of God to a hurting world.

Question: How have you thanked God this week?

Challenge: Take five minutes to have quiet time with God! You can draw a picture, sit outside and listen to the birds and watch clouds, or take a walk around your backyard.

## **WEEK 2: We Are the Champions**



- 2 Samuel 17:48-49
- Luke 24:6
- Luke 22:28-30

Jesus saved us! He loves us so much, he wants us to celebrate with him in Heaven! Jesus died, but he rose again to show that death has no power over us when we have a friend-ship with Jesus. When we go to church, read our bible, and pray and talk to him, we are strengthening our relationship with God, and showing him that we love him too!

Question: What is something new you learned about Easter this year?

Challenge: Find time to thank Jesus for his sacrifice today!

## **WEEK 3: Life-Changing Conversations**



- 2 Samuel 7:12-13
- John 3:16-17
- John 4:13-14

God has shown us who he choses to speak to, He speaks to people like you and me even if it's how we expect him to! He has important things to say to us, especially about how he wants us to love and follow him. Sometimes he talks to us at church through the storytellers and songs, sometimes he talks to us when we read the bible, and sometimes he talks to us when we quietly pray with him. It takes practice to learn how to hear him, and you will continue to grow close with him!

Question: What is your favorite thing to listen to?

Challenge: HopeKids has a podcast called God's Story for Kids on our YouTube channel: @HopeKidsOnline.

Find some time this week to listen to this week's episode with Hank and Sophie!



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# WEEK 4: Can You See the Light?



- 1 Kings 3:9
- John 9:6-7
- John 8:12

God knows that we will make mistakes. But sometimes sin is like a shadow that blocks out God's love. When we keep making the same mistakes, the darkness keeps creeping in and gets bigger. But Jesus, the light of the world, made sure that the darkness will go away when we ask for forgiveness! God showed the Israelites through wise kings and prophets to prepare for Jesus. And in the New Testament, Jesus shows us through miracles that he will heal our brokenness from sin. Praise Jesus!

Question: What does it feel like to be in a dark room?

Now, how does it feel when someone turns on the light? How can we feel the same feelings with God? Challenge: Go outside on a sunny day, and have someone trace your shadow in chalk. Now, step away and make your shadow outline colorful and bright just like God's light in our lives!

# WEEK 5: The Surprising Road of Restoration



- 2 Kings 8:5-6
- John 21:17
- John 16:7

When something is broken and then is fixed it has been resorted to what it originally looked like. The world was broken for a long time. When God sent Jesus to die for our sins, and be raised to life again, he fixed or restored our path to Heaven! God fixed what was broken, and there are stories all through the bible that show how he was fixing it, physically through miracles that fixed people and spiritually that fixed friendships!

Question: Have you ever broken something that belonged to someone else? Did you try to cover it up? When we don't tell the truth, how does that affect our relationships with friends and family?

Challenge: Take a sheet of paper and crumple it up into a small little ball. Now, try to make the paper smooth again. Did it work? We can't fix out sins by ourselves, but we can ask for forgiveness from Jesu! When we get to heaven, our "paper" will be all smooth again, he is the only one that can do that!



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