

The Great Deliverer: Tracing God's Plan from Moses to Jesus

Week 2 June

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Passage: Deuteronomy 8:2-3, Exodus 16:1-3, Matthew 4:1-11

Welcome Question

Write “Who is someone you have no problems trusting, why?” in your journal and answer the question.

Game

"Trust the Guide"

Supplies

- Blindfolds
- Cones or obstacles

Instructions

1. Pair kids up.
2. One child wears a blindfold.
3. The other child guides them through a simple obstacle course using only their voice.
4. Switch roles.

Debrief

Ask:

- Was it easy or hard to trust your partner?
- How did you feel when you couldn't see where you were going?

Discussion Questions

1. Why was the wilderness difficult for God's people?
2. What did God provide for them?
3. Why was Jesus in the desert?
4. What did Satan try to get Jesus to do?
5. How did Jesus fight temptation?
6. What should we do when we face temptation?
7. What is something difficult you're trusting God with right now?

Review Game: Wilderness Challenge Relay

Supplies

- Buckets
- Blue paper "water drops"
- White paper "manna"
- Question cards

Setup

Create two teams.

How to Play

1. One child runs to the pile.
2. Picks up a manna piece or water drop.
3. Returns to the team.
4. Must answer a review question before the next teammate goes.

Questions

- Who led Israel through the wilderness?
- What food did God send from heaven?
- What came from the rock?
- Who tempted Jesus?
- How long was Jesus in the desert?
- What did Jesus use to fight temptation?
- Did Jesus sin?
- Can we trust God when things are hard?

Bonus Round

Have kids finish this sentence:

"When life is hard, I can _____ God."

(Expected answer: Trust)

"When I Worry..." Prayer Card/Prayer time

Supplies

Index cards

Front:

Trust Jesus!

Back:

When I am...

- Scared
- Worried
- Tempted
- Lonely

I can:

1. Pray
2. Read God's Word
3. Trust Jesus

Memory Verse:

"The Lord your God led you all the way..." (Deuteronomy 8:2)

Kids can put it on a mirror, backpack, or refrigerator.

Pray over prayer requests for the week and pray for each student to trust God in all things and to be obedient when they hear His voice.