Wisdomland - God can help you make the wise choice



DAY 1

Read 1 Kings 3:5

"The LORD appeared to Solomon at Gibeon.He spoke to him in a dream during the night.God said, 'Ask for anything you want me to give you." (NIrV).

Imagine you're at the most amazing theme park, "Wisdomland," and the park owner walks up and asks you, "If you could have anything, what would you want?" What would be your first thought? A lifetime supply of your favorite candy? A private ride on the tallest roller coaster whenever you want?!

King Solomon, a young king from the Bible, had the opportunity to ask for anything. God appeared to him in a dream and asked what he wanted. Solomon could have chosen tons of money, super strength to win all his battles, or even fame to be the most popular king ever. But Solomon made an incredibly smart and humble choice. He knew he was young and needed God's help to lead his people well. So, he asked God for wisdom, the ability to make good, smart choices, and understand what's truly right. God was so pleased with Solomon's choice because it showed he depended on God.

Do you want wisdom, too? Have you asked God to give you wisdom?

DAY 2

Read Proverbs 3:5

"Trust in the LORD with all your heart. Do not depend on your own understanding." (NIrV).

God wasn't just pleased with Solomon's request; He blessed Solomon with incredible wisdom, even more than he asked for! Solomon used this wisdom to rule his kingdom fairly and solve tough problems. He even wrote down many wise sayings, which we can still read today in the book of Proverbs! These proverbs are like guideposts for living wisely, teaching us about everything from being a good friend to using kind words, and even how to handle our anger. Proverbs 3:5 reminds us of a core truth: Don't rely only on your own understanding or what seems best to you at first. Instead, trust in the Lord with all your heart. He knows what's best, even when we don't, and His wisdom is perfect.

FILL IN THE BLANKS TO COMPLETE THE WISE CHOICE:

- If a friend is sad, I can ______
 (comfort/ignore) them.
- If I feel angry, I can take a deep breath and _____ (yell/talk).
- When I don't know what to do, I can _____ (ask God/guess).



THIS MONTH'S MEMORY VERSE:

"It is much better to get wisdom than gold. It is much better to choose understanding than silver." DAY 3

Read James 1:5

"If any of you needs wisdom, you should ask God for it. He will give it to you. God gives freely to everyone and doesn't find fault." (NIV).

You might not be a king like Solomon, but you still make important choices every single day! Should you share your favorite toy with a sibling? How should you respond when a classmate says something unkind? Should you get started on your homework right away or play video games? These are all opportunities to ask God for wisdom. The Bible promises that if you need wisdom and you ask God for it, He will give it to you generously, without making you feel bad for asking! God wants to help you make smart choices that honor Him and bless others. He might give you a new idea, a strong sense of peace about a decision, or even speak to you through the wise advice of an adult or friend who follows Him.

Before you begin something this week, maybe a school assignment, a game with friends, or even deciding what to wear, pause for a moment. Close your eyes and quietly say: "God, please give me wisdom to do my best on this, or to make a good choice." Then, listen for His guidance.

DAY 4

Read Proverbs 2:6

"The LORD gives wisdom. Knowledge and understanding come from his mouth." (NIrV).

This verse tells us something super special: God gives wisdom! Wisdom is like having a secret superpower to make good choices. Think about it: toys are fun, and treats are yummy. But wisdom helps you know what's right, how to be kind, and how to pick the best path. It's even better than any toy!

When you choose to ask God for wisdom, you get a treasure that helps you every day. God sent Jesus to show us the best way to live wisely—to love God and love everyone around us. Living wisely helps you have a happy life, guiding you through all your adventures!

Pray today, thanking God for wisdom! "Dear God, thank You for being so wise. Thank You that you give wisdom! Please help me make wise choices today and every day. I love You, Amen."

You can ask God for wisdom.



BONUS VERSE:

"Lord, may these words of my mouth please you. And may these thoughts of my heart please you also. You are my Rock and my Redeemer."

Psalm 19:14 NIrV

OCTOBER
WEEK THREE

KINDERTGARTEN-3RD GRADE midweek family activity guide



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This Week's Bible Story Video



Talk About the Bible Story

Open the Bible together and read 1 Kings 3:4-15 (supporting: Proverbs 15:1; 3:5-6; 17:17) or watch the video together on the Parent Cue app.

Engagement Questions

- Why do you think Solomon asked God for wisdom instead of asking for treasure?
- If you could ask God to help you make one good choice this week, what would it be?
- ► Who can help you learn more about making wise choices?"

Faith and Character Activity

Scan the QR code below for activities to guide kids at every phase to trust Jesus in a way that changes how they see God, themselves, and the rest of the world.

Scan the QR code to get started



Prayer

"Dear God, we are so thankful that we can talk to you. Today, we ask for wisdom. We love you so much. We pray these things in Jesus' name. Amen."

Weekly Parent Cues

Elementary

ENGAGE IN EVERYDAY MOMENTS TOGETHER



Morning Time

As your kid starts their day, encourage them by sharing a time you saw or heard about them seeking advice or learning more before making a decision.



Meal Time

At a meal this week, have everyone at the table share: "Name an area of your life where you need God's wisdom."



Drive Time

While on the go, ask your kid: "If you could ask God for anything, what would you ask for and why?"



Bed Time

Pray for each other: "God, give us wisdom. We want You to have a say in all of our lives."

More Ways to Engage with Your Kid Faith & Character Activities



Worship Song of the Month



Download the Parent Cue app

AVAILABLE FOR APPLE AND ANDROID DEVICES



