

Toddling Through God's Word: Noah Obeyes God

"Noah was a Righteous Man" to the tune of "Old King Cole"

Noah was a righteous man, and obeyed his God, did he!
Noah built an ark, and animals came,
And safe was his family!

Activity 1: God is sad. (Genesis 6:1-8)

You Need:

- Emotion Chart printable at the end of this PDF

Say: "God saw people disobeying Him. People thought about evil things. People hurt other people. They were mean.

"Everyone disobeys sometimes, but these people were not even trying to obey God. This made God sad. Noah was the only one who tried to obey God."

1. Show the Emotion Chart to your child. Find the sad emotion.
2. Ask your child what makes him or her sad.
3. Ask your child what made God sad in the story.

Activity 2: The Ark (Genesis 6:9-18)

You Need:

- Blocks

Say: "God told Noah that he was going to send a flood. He told Noah to build a very BIG boat called an ark. Noah obeyed."

1. Help your child create a boat out of blocks. My child used Woody as Noah.



Activity 3: The Animals (Genesis 6:19-7:16)

You Need:

- Matching Animal Game Printable
- Scissors
- Crayons or markers

Say: "God told Noah to let two of every kind of animal onto the ark. God brought the animals to the ark, and Noah let them in just as God had told him to."

1. Cut out the Animal Matching Game Printable at the end of this PDF.
2. Play the matching game with your child. Younger children might have trouble understanding how to play the game. You could start with just two matches (4 cards) to teach them the idea. You could also leave the cards face up.
3. Your child can color the cards if he or she wants to.

Activity 4: Food on the Ark (Genesis 7:2)

You Need:

- An easy to prepare snack

Say: "God told Noah to bring food onto the ark. Noah spent quite some time on the ark. The floods rose for forty days and forty nights. Noah obeyed, and he had food."

1. Prepare an easy snack with your child. Let your child help! This could be as simple as assisting your child in spreading peanut butter on bread or pouring cereal into a bowl.
2. Thank God for the food. Eat and enjoy.

Activity 5: God's Promises (Genesis 7:17-9:17)

You Need:

- Rainbow Printable at the end of this PDF
- Red, yellow, and blue finger paints

Say: "God kept Noah and the animals safe. God showed Noah when it was time to come out of the ark. When Noah came out, God put a rainbow in the sky. It was a promise between God and all life on earth."

1. Help your child finger paint the red, yellow, and blue stripes on the rainbow printable.
2. Explain to your child that red and yellow always make orange. Mix the red and yellow paint together to make orange. Help your child paint the orange stripe.
3. Mix yellow and blue to make green and paint the green stripe.
4. Mix blue and red to make purple and paint the purple stripe.
5. Say, "Red and yellow always make orange. Yellow and blue always make green. Blue and red always make purple. And God always keeps His promises."



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Happy



Sad



Excited



Proud



Scared



Loved



Embarrassed



Angry



Nervous



Jealous



Surprised



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