DEVOTIONAL for parents



King Solomon is best known for his wisdom and for building God's temple. Thankfully, he passed on his wisdom so others could have a strong foundation for building up their faith. In this 5-week series, kids will hear from Solomon and the wisdom he shared about the kind of life God wants to help us build. They'll see that God gives them directions to follow, listens to their requests, is worthy of their worship, and gives them true wisdom.

Want to learn and grow alongside your kid as we go through this teaching series? You can! Spend a few minutes each week studying the passages of Scripture we'll be teaching, praying about what God wants to do in you and in your family, and growing by putting God's words into practice in your own life.

WEEK 1 God gives us directions to follow. 1 Kings 1:5–14, 29–35; James 1:19–25



STUDY

Take a moment to read the passages we're covering this week. What stands out to you in this passage and why?



PRAY

This week, pray and thank God for guiding you.



GROW

So what's your next step? Do you need help seeing how God is guiding you? Is there a direction that's been difficult to follow? Do you need help knowing where to go next? Whatever your next step is right now, take it.

WEEK 2 God listens to our requests. 1 Kings 3:1–15; Proverbs 22:1–2, 8–9, 22–23



STUDY

Take a moment to read the passages we're covering this week. What stands out to you in this passage and why?



PRAY

This week, pray and thank God for hearing your requests.



GROW

So what's your next step? Is there something you've been wanting to ask God? Do you struggle to believe God hears you? Can you start a conversation about how God answers prayer? Whatever your next step is right now, take it.

WEEK 3 God is worthy of our worship. 2 Chronicles 5:1–14; James 3:9–12



STUDY

Take a moment to read the passages we're covering this week. What stands out to you in this passage and why?



PRAY

This week, ask God to help you worship with every part of your life.



GROW

So what's your next step? Do you need to set aside time to worship God? Is there something that has been keeping you from worshiping with every part of your life? Can you ask someone to help you discover more about worship? Whatever your next step is right now, take it.

WEEK 4 God gives us true wisdom. 1 Kings 3:19–28; James 3:13–18



STUDY

Take a moment to read the passages we're covering this week. What stands out to you in this passage and why?



PRAY

This week, ask God to give you wisdom for a situation you're experiencing.



GROW

So what's your next step? Who can you talk with about wisdom? What wisdom can you share with others? Are there practices that can help you receive more of the wisdom God offers? Whatever your next step is right now, take it.

WEEK 5 God helps us do big things. 2 Chronicles 9:1–12; Psalm 124



STUDY

Take a moment to read the passages we're covering this week. What stands out to you in this passage and why?



PRAY

This week, thank God for being with you as you take on new challenges.



GROW

So what's your next step? Can you do something big by encouraging someone? Could you tell someone you know about Jesus? Are there situations or conversations you've been avoiding because they seem too big? Whatever your next step is right now, take it.