



# PARENT BIBLE LESSON 2: "THE POWER OF WATER: NOAH'S ARK"

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• Genesis 6:17: "I am going to bring floodwaters on the earth to destroy all life under the heavens, every creature that has the breath of life in it. Everything on earth will perish.

**Objective:** To teach children about Noah's Ark and the power of water as a force of both destruction and restoration.

#### **Materials:**

- A small toy boat or paper boat
- A container of water

**Scientific Object Lesson:** Place the toy boat or paper boat in the container of water. Discuss with your child how water can be both gentle and powerful. Relate this to the story of Noah's Ark, where God used water to cleanse and renew the earth.





### **Script:**

**Parent:** "Today, we're going to talk about the power of water and how it played a significant role in the story of Noah's Ark. Water can be gentle, like when it quenches our thirst or helps plants grow. But it can also be powerful, like when it rained for 40 days and 40 nights, flooding the earth."

Child: "That's a lot of water!"

**Parent:** "Yes, it was. But through that powerful water, God cleansed the earth and brought restoration. Just like the water in Noah's time, we can trust in God's power to restore and bring new beginnings. Let's remember to respect the power of water and be grateful for its many blessings."

Here are daily biblical questions for each day of the week for the lesson "The Power of Water: Noah's Ark":

#### **Day 1:**

- Question: What does the Bible say about the power of water in the story of Noah's Ark?
- Discussion: Discuss Genesis 6:17 and how God used floodwaters to cleanse the earth and bring restoration.

#### Day 2:

- Question: How can water be both gentle and powerful?
- Discussion: Reflect on the different ways water can be gentle, such as quenching thirst and helping plants grow, as well as its power in the form of floods or ocean waves.

#### Day 3:

- Question: What is the significance of the 40 days and 40 nights of rain in the story of Noah's Ark?
- Discussion: Talk about the duration of the rain and its impact on the earth, emphasizing God's control over the power of water.





## Day 4:

- Question: How did water bring restoration and a new beginning in the story of Noah's Ark?
- Discussion: Reflect on how God used water to cleanse the earth, preserve Noah and the animals in the Ark, and bring about a fresh start for humanity.

#### **Day 5:**

- Question: How can we show respect for the power of water in our daily lives?
- Discussion: Discuss ways to be safe around water, such as swimming responsibly, conserving water resources, and being mindful of the environment.

#### Day 6:

- Question: How does the story of Noah's Ark teach us about God's power to bring restoration and new beginnings in our lives?
- Discussion: Reflect on how God's power to cleanse and renew the earth in Noah's time can give us hope for His restoration and new beginnings in our own lives.

### Day 7:

- Question: What are some other stories in the Bible where water plays a significant role?
- Discussion: Explore other biblical stories involving water, such as the parting of the Red Sea or Jesus walking on water, and discuss the lessons we can learn from them.

Remember to adapt these questions and discussions based on your child's age and understanding.

