

# In God's Big Story

King Saul and the nation of Israel overcome a giant challenge when they face the mighty Philistines and their powerful champion, Goliath. But God brings a miraculous victory through a young shepherd boy named David.

**Wonder Truth:** God Will Always Be Victorious

**Scripture:** 1 Samuel 17

## WATCH GOD'S BIG STORY



**DAVID AND GOLIATH** 

ELEMENTARY VIDEO
EARLY CHILDHOOD VIDEO

# WONDER ABOUT IT!

- What is one thing you're curious about from this week's part of God's big story?
- How can you live differently or respond to God with what you're learning?

## **WORD OF WONDER**



Work together this week on memorizing this verse!

#### **ELEMENTARY:**

Here is what I am commanding you to do. Be strong and brave. Do not be afraid. Do not lose hope. I am the LORD your God. I will be with you everywhere you go.

—Joshua 1:9 (NIrV)

#### **EARLY CHILDHOOD:**

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—from Joshua 1:9

## **WORSHIP@HOME**



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Families, use this to prompt conversations at the table, in the car, and anywhere else your family experiences life together.

- What do you think it means that God is always victorious?
- How can God always be victorious?
- What kind of victories, or wins, does God give us when we trust in Him?
- What can we do when we don't experience a victory or win?





## Ready, Set, Go!

It's fun when we get to compete for the victory! Hold some simple races where you live. They could be in your home, in your yard, at a local park, or anywhere else that provides enough space to run and move. Consider adding some creativity and complexity to the races by challenging your child to hop like a bunny, crawl backwards, hop on one leg, or crab walk. Take some time afterward to have a family conversation about victory. Ask:

- What does the word victory mean?
- Do we always have to win at everything? Why or why not?
- Can we always see God's victory right away? Or do we need to wait to see it sometimes? Why do you think that is?





## **Everywhere You Go**

The Victory series Word of Wonder, Joshua 1:9, is a great reminder to keep in front of us throughout the week. Consider posting the verse in various spots around your home, such as on walls, near doorways, in kids' lunchboxes, or maybe even in the garage, carport, or in your car—as the verse says God will be with us "everywhere you go"! The posted reminders can be as simple as sticky notes or as elaborate as framed calligraphy. Then, each time you notice the verse, say it out loud!

