

Story: The Family (Preschool)

SUPPLIES NEEDED

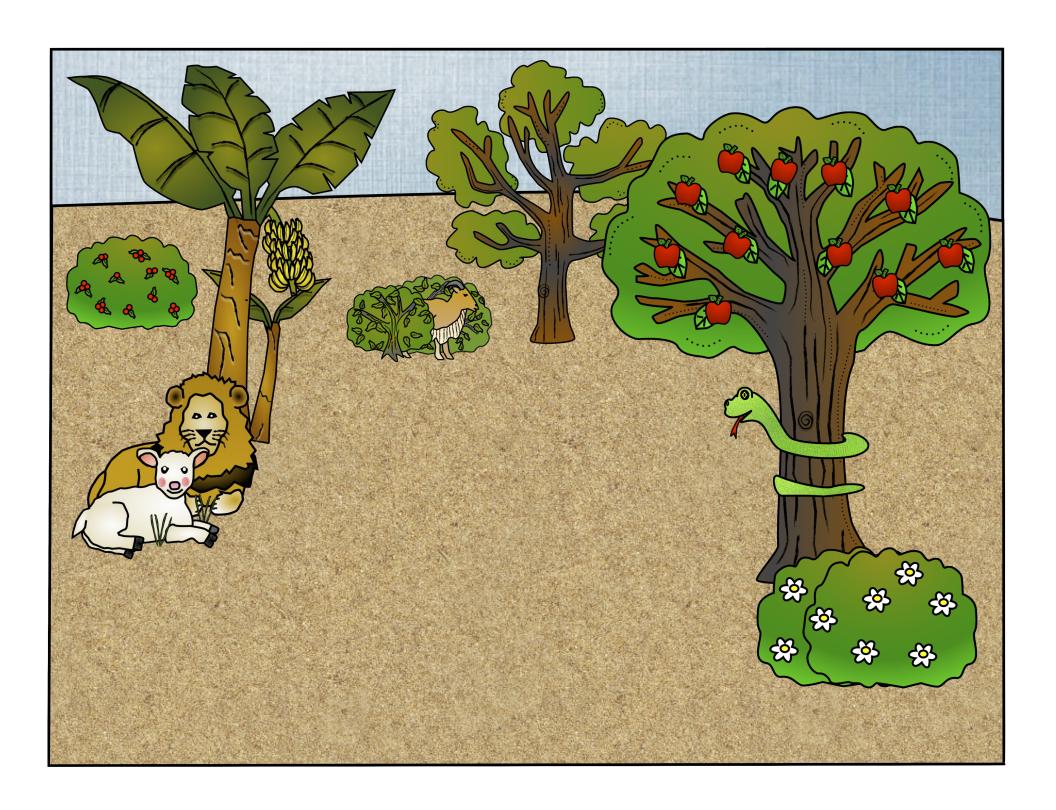
You will need the following:

- 10 Sheets of Cardstock (8.5" x 11")
- 10 3 mil Laminating Film
- 10 Clear <u>Velcro</u> Dots

DIRECTIONS

- Print pages 2-17 two-sided on cardstock paper and laminate them.
- Print pages 18-19 one-sided on cardstock paper, laminate them, and cut out the pictures.
- Use the clear Velcro dots to attach the pictures to the pages they correspond to. Remove the pictures before class, then let the students take turns putting the pictures on as you read the story.

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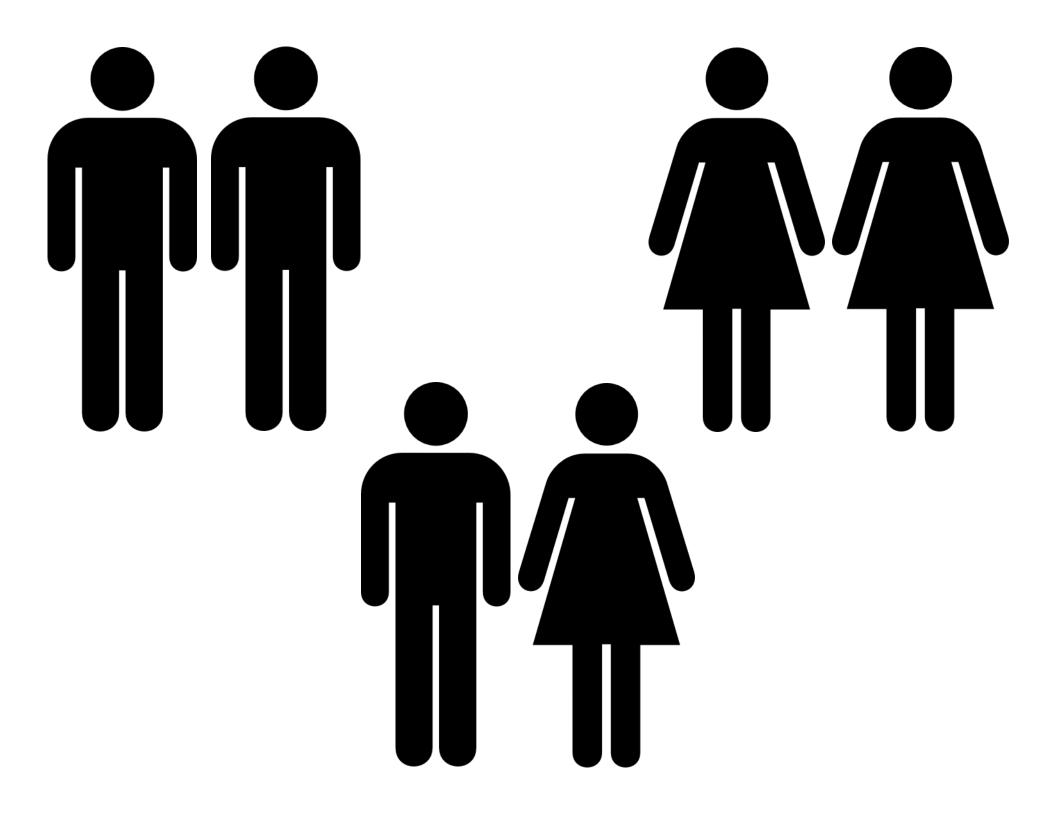
Do you remember who the first man was? (Adam) That's right!

(Put Adam in the Garden of Eden)

Do you remember how lonely Adam was in the Garden of Eden? He asked God to give him a helper, so God made the first woman. Do you remember her name? (Eve) That's right!

(Put Eve in the Garden of Eden)





Even at the very beginning when God was creating the world, God intended for a man and a woman to get married and to make a family together.

Can two men get married? (No)

(Put red X on them)

Can two women get married? (No)

(Put red X on them)

Only 1 man and 1 woman can get married.









God tells us in the Bible that the man is the head of the household. The husband must obey God. The woman must obey her husband and God. Children can you guess who you must obey? (Mom, Dad and God)

(Put the pictures on as you read)

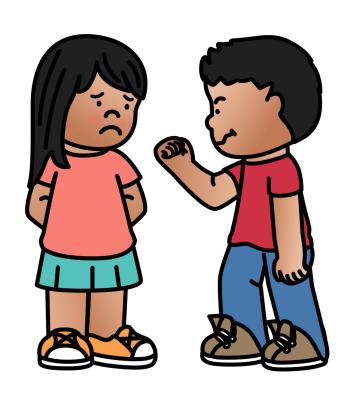


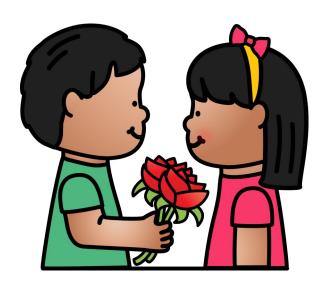


(boy), (boy), and (boy) one day you will grow up and get married and have your own children! God says you are to be the leaders of your family and provide for your family. And you know what that means? That means you will go to work to make money so you can buy a house, a car, food, and clothing for your wife and children. What job do you want to do when you grow up? (answers will vary)









Boys, God also says you are to give honor to your wife as to a weaker vessel. That's like a beautiful, fragile vase. I know my husband and my two boys like to wrestle a lot. Would you wrestle around on the floor with a vase? (No) Because it might break. The same way you would be gentle with a vase, you should be gentle with every girl. You should treasure your wife and protect her. Which of these pictures shows a husband honoring his wife? (Put red X on bad picture)

















(girl), (girl), and (girl) one day you will grow up and get married and have your own children! God says you are to be the keepers of the home for your family. And you know what that means? That means you will clean, and cook, and go grocery shopping, and take care of the children.







Girls, God also says you are to respect and submit to your husbands. God created women to help men, so we need to serve our husbands and obey them. Which of these pictures shows a wife respecting her husband? (*Put red X on bad picture*)



God made the family. And he gave moms and dads jobs to do. Your mom and dad work very hard and they do it because they love God and they love you! So, you should obey them and try to find ways you can help your parents at home. What are some things you can do to help your mom and dad?

(Put pictures on)



