

3s, 4s & 5s

God TIME

January
Week 4

SPECIAL WORDS:

I can talk [hands cupped on side of mouth] to Jesus
[point up] when I am afraid [show afraid face].

BIBLE STORY:

Calming the Storm
Matthew 8:23-27



BIBLE STORY TIME

This week, your kid heard the story of how Jesus calmed a loud thunderstorm. Jesus stopped the rain, the waves, the wind, the thunder, and the lightning. Jesus was with His disciples when they were afraid, and He helped them when they asked for help. They learned that they can talk to Jesus when they are afraid, and Jesus will help them. You can read the story with your child in Matthew 8:23-27; Mark 4:35-41; Luke 8:22-25 of a Children's Bible.

BIBLE VERSE TIME

“Do not be afraid [shake head and finger] **for I am with you”** [hug yourself]
Isaiah 41:10
[open hands like Bible]

BATH TIME



Add a toy boat to bath time. Encourage your kid to act out the Bible story where Jesus calms the storm. Make waves with his/her hands, say, “Stop!” and then freeze his/her hands so the water can calm. Once the water is still, do it again! Talk about how the disciples talked to Jesus when they were afraid, and we can too.

PRAYER TIME



Have your child repeat this prayer after you.

Dear God,
[Dear God]

Thank You for being with me when I am afraid.
[Thank You for being with me when I am afraid.]

In Jesus' Name,
[In Jesus' Name,]

Amen.
[Amen.]