

God is Good at Life

God is good at Life: In this theme in our OSH classes we are learning that God is our **Creator** and **Provider**. We are studying stories of **life** (and death). God created life. He is in charge of life. Without Him we would die physically and spiritually. We are important to God. Through Christ He offers us eternal life.

Date: April 26 – May 2, 2020

Lesson: 4. AARON'S ROD BUDS

Text: Numbers 16 & 17

Memory Verse: Psalm 46:10

Dear Parents, A Maker of Life is our God! This week as you study the lesson with your child, talk about God's authority. He is in charge of life. He tells us what to do in the *Bible*. We need to follow His plan without complaining or questioning that plan. That plan can get us to heaven!

Prayer & Praise

Praise Verse: Psalm 106:48

*Praise the Lord, the God of Israel,
who lives from everlasting to everlasting!
Let all the people say, "Amen!"
Praise the Lord!*

Use the praise verse to lead into praise of our God and then into praying to Him.

**Open My Eyes that I may see... God, my Leader,
gave parents to me.**

Theme Song: ["I Stand Amazed"](#)

Theme Psalm: [Psalm 23](#)

When Wall

Use the ["When Wall – Purple Cards Key"](#) file to do the When Wall cards at home. This week scramble the purple cards and have your child tell the story of the Bible as he/she puts them in order. (Want bigger [Purple Cards](#)? [These](#) are the ones we use in the classrooms. They are designed to be printed front and back so that the words for each card is on the back.)

Lesson

As you introduce the lesson, talk about where in the Bible timeline this lesson occurs (which purple card this lesson falls under). See the [Life-When Wall](#) file for guidance. "Aaron's Rod" falls under the "Moses" purple card. Tell carefully or read dramatically today's lesson using your child's lesson folder. Make sure you use some sort of visuals as you teach the lesson, here are some [lesson 4 visuals](#) created by Renee! *Remember to emphasize how God is the hero of the story.*

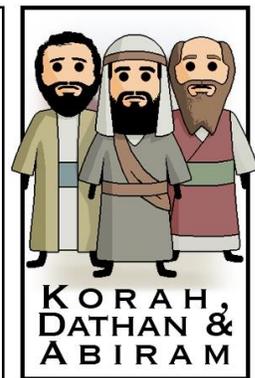
FACTS TO KNOW

The **WHO:** AARON, KORAH,
DATHAN, ABIRAM, & LEVI

The **WHEN (Purple Card):** Moses

The **WHERE:** MT SINAI, SINAI
PENINSULA, CANAAN

The **WHAT for:** God tells us everything that we need to do. He does not like us to whine and complain about it. We should not question God's authority like Korah did of Moses and Aaron's. God showed the Israelites that only He can bring life. The miracle of Aaron's rod budding shows power. Isn't God just?



Activities

In the back pocket of your child's lesson folder you will find activities to do for lesson 4.

Additional Resources

Songs to Sing: "God Had a Plan", "Murmur, Mumble, Mope & Mourn"

Bible Fun for Kids – [Aaron's Life](#)

Family Study Questions:

Make this a study for your entire family!

Read Numbers 16-17

1. What one word best describes the sin of Korah and his followers?
2. What does God's taking Korah's life teach us about His tolerance for rebellion?
3. Read Romans 9:20-21. Be ready to explain this passage.
4. Did God have the right to take the life of Korah and his followers?
5. What caused Him to do this?
6. Why doesn't God treat those who rebel against Him today the same way? Consider 2 Peter 3:9 in your answer.