



Memory Verse:

"David said to the Philistine, 'You come against me with sword and spear, but I come against you in the name of the Lord Almighty." —

(1 Samuel 17:45 (NIV))

Theme: God gives us courage to face any giant when we trust Him.

Watch the Video On Youtube:

Scripture Passages:

1 Samuel 17

Lesson Summary:

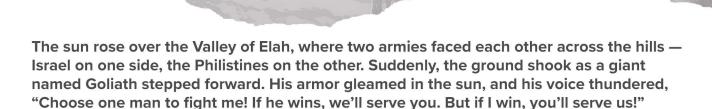
- God chose David because he had faith and courage.
- David trusted God when everyone else was afraid.
- The same God who helped David helps us too.
- God is with you, even when things seem too big.
- Goliath had armor, but David had faith and faith won!
- God used David's small sling in a big way.
- David gave all the credit to God.
- No matter what your "giant" is, God is bigger!

Discussion Questions

- 1. What made David brave enough to face Goliath when everyone else was afraid?
- 2. What are some "giants" or big problems you face in your own life?
- 3. How did David show his faith in God during the battle?
- 4. What do you think it means to trust God even when things look impossible?
- 5. How can you give God credit when He helps you, just like David did?







Goliath was nearly ten feet tall, and his spear was as big as a tree. For forty days he shouted the same challenge, and every day, King Saul's soldiers grew more afraid.

Far away in Bethlehem, a young shepherd named David was caring for his sheep. The air was peaceful as he played his harp. Suddenly, a lion roared! David grabbed his sling, prayed, and sent a stone flying. It struck the lion, and David rescued the lamb. "The Lord who saved me from the lion," he said, "will save me from anything."

Soon after, David's father Jesse told him, "Take this food to your brothers on the battlefield." David hurried to the camp, where he heard Goliath shouting again. The soldiers hid in fear. David asked, "Why are you hiding? Don't you know God is with us?" His brothers laughed. "You're just a shepherd boy!"

But David went to King Saul and said, "Don't be afraid. I'll fight the giant." Saul said, "You're only a boy! Goliath has been a warrior all his life." David replied, "God helped me fight lions and bears—He'll help me now!"

Saul gave David his armor, but it was too heavy. David smiled. "I'll use what God has given me." He picked up five smooth stones from the stream and stepped onto the battlefield.

When Goliath saw him, he laughed. "Am I a dog that you come at me with sticks?"

But David said, "You come with sword and spear, but I come in the name of the Lord!"

David swung his sling and released a stone. It struck Goliath between the eyes, and the giant fell to the ground with a mighty crash. The Israelite army shouted for joy as David knelt and thanked God.

That evening, David played his harp and smiled.

"You don't have to be big or strong," he said. "You just have to have faith. With God, giants still fall."





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Parent Corner

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Today Your Child Learned:

- God gives us courage to face our giants.
- God looks at my heart, not my size.
- Just like David, I don't have to be the biggest or strongest for God to use me.
- I can be brave because God is with me.
- I don't have to be afraid when I face my own "giants."
- Faith is stronger than fear.
- David trusted God completely, and that made him victorious.

Talk About It:

- What was David's giant?
- What "giants" do we face as a family?
- How can we remember that God is bigger than any fear?

Family Challenge:

Create a "Faith Jar."

Each week, write one way God helped you overcome something hard. At the end of the month, read them together and celebrate your "Giants Still Fall" moments.





Devotion: "The Battle Before the Battle"

Scripture: "You come against me with sword and spear, but I come against you in the name of the Lord Almighty." – 1 Samuel 17:45

REFLECTION

Before David ever faced Goliath on the battlefield, he had already won the fight in his heart. The battle was not about size, weapons, or strength — it was about faith.

While others trembled, David remembered.

He remembered the fields where God had protected him from lions and bears.

He remembered that when everyone else saw danger, God saw opportunity.

He remembered that victory doesn't come from what's in your hand, but who's in your heart.

You see, David didn't walk onto that battlefield to prove his strength — he went there to prove God's faithfulness. He had no armor, no sword, no army backing him up.

But he had something greater — an unshakable belief that God fights for those who trust Him.

DEVOTIONAL THOUGHT

We may not face a 10-foot warrior today, but our giants still stand in the valley — loud, intimidating, and unrelenting. They take many forms:

The giant of fear that whispers you'll never make it.

The giant of doubt that says your faith is too small.

The giant of past mistakes that tries to chain you to guilt.

The giant of worry that steals your peace before the battle even begins.

These giants are just as real as Goliath was — and they shout the same lies: "You can't win."

But the truth is, we were never meant to fight them alone.

God doesn't call us to battle because we are strong; He calls us because He is. He calls us to trust Him when the odds look impossible, to believe that even when we feel small, His power is mighty through us.

PRAYER

"Lord, I thank You that You are greater than any giant I face. Remind me of Your faithfulness when fear tries to shout louder than my faith. Give me the courage to take my stand, not in my strength, but in Yours. And when the battle ends, let my victory point others to You — the One who still makes giants fall. Amen."

CHALLENGE

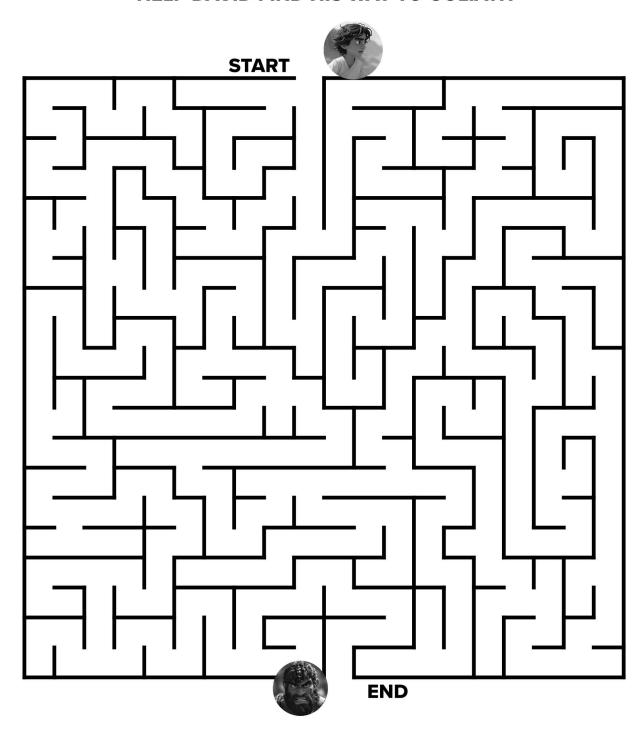
Today, take time to pray over the valleys in your life and remember:

You're not fighting alone. The same God who helped David in the valley of Elah is still with you now.





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