

GROUP ACTIVITY

This activity can be used in a small group at church or even with your kids at home!

Promises of God

Say: In our Bible story today, God made promises to Abraham. He also makes promises to us, too. We can find God's promises to us in the Bible. We're going to play a game right now that will help us learn about some of the promises that God gives us.

Directions: Read the sentences below one at a time. Tell the kids that they have to decide if each sentence is a promise from God in the Bible or if it's NOT a promise from God. If they think it's a promise **from** God, they should stand up, reach high in the air, make a twinkling motion with their fingers, and say, "God always keeps His promises." If they think it's **not** a promise from God, they should remain seated, cover their mouth, and stay absolutely silent. After each sentence, tell the children the correct answer.

- When you pray to God, He will always hear what you say. PROMISE (Psalm 116:1)
- God will give everyone who loves Him a puppy. NOT A PROMISE
- God will always give you everything you need. PROMISE (Philippians 4:19)
- God will help you when you are sad. PROMISE (Jeremiah 49:13)
- If you are good, God will make it rain candy in your room. NOT A PROMISE
- If someone is mean to you, God will make their nose fall off. NOT A PROMISE
- God will always love you, no matter what you do wrong. PROMISE (Romans 8:39)
- God will give you as many popsicles as there are stars in the sky. NOT A PROMISE
- God will always be with you, no matter where you go. PROMISE (Joshua 1:9)

• If you believe that Jesus has died for you, you will live with Him forever in heaven. PROMISE (Romans 6:23)

Question: Which of those true promises from God was your favorite? Why?

Question: Can you tell us about a time that God came through on one of His promises to you or answered one of your prayers?