

Rock City Church Unoffendables Curriculum

Title: It's Not Fair!

KINGDOM KADETS: FALL LESSON 2
AGE: NURSERY LESSON

Lesson Topic:			
LESSON	WHAT CHILDREN DO	SUPPLIES NEEDED	PREPARATION OVERVIEW
1 Getting Started	Introduction/Ice Breaker: Sticker Sort	-Sticky tack or painter's tape. -Construction paper in different colors. -Dot stickers (same colors as the construction paper)	Put construction sheets up on the wall with sticky tack or painter's tape and give the kids dot stickers. (The construction paper and dot stickers should match in colors).
2 Bible Exploration Key Verse	Key Verse: "But as for you, you meant evil against me: but God meant it for Good". Genesis 50:19-20 Bible Story: Joseph and His Brothers		
2 Bible Activity	Bible Activity for Toddlers: Joseph The Forgiving Prince Bible Activity for Infants: Bible Stick Puppet	-Brown paper or white posterboard. -Construction paper in different colors. -Scissors -Glue -Pencil -Black Marker -Sticky tack -Kids Bible Colorful picture of Joseph. Craft stick Glue	Draw a large picture of Joseph and decorate his coat with construction paper squares. Create puppet and use while telling the story of Joseph to the baby.

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3 Weaving Faith Into Life	Toddlers Craft/Make and Take: Joseph Puppet	-Brown paper bags (one per child). -Markers (black, brown, blue and red). -Glue. -Scissors. -Rainbow fabric OR colored construction paper.	Use a brown paper bags to create “Joseph and the coat of many colors puppets” with the kids.
4 Lasting Impressions	Prayer Points: Asking God for the wisdom of Joseph to avoid taking offense and to trust Him instead of blaming others or circumstances for difficulties in life.		
	Faith at Home: Talk about how to share what they learned with their families.		What parents can do at home: Help your kid(s) to see the times when God took a sad situation in their lives and turned it for their benefit or the benefit of those around them.

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Lesson Background/Foundation for Teachers:

Satan hopes we'll take his bait of offense, so that he will have a foothold into our lives to destroy both our relationships with God and our relationships with others. Joseph was mistreated, slandered, and betrayed by his own family. As a result, he had to learn how to forgive others.

Introduction Activity: Sticker Sort

Sorting is a complex skill that asks children to identify similar characteristic in a group of objects, make decisions, and analyze data. Yes, all that in just a simple sort!. In this activity the kids will be:

- Sorting
- Working on fine motor skills
- Practicing color words / vocabulary

Put construction sheets up on the wall with sticky tack or painter's tape and give the kids dot stickers. (The construction paper and dot stickers should match in colors).



Activity from the busytoddler.com

Praise & Worship:

- Song 1: You Forgive Me (Maker Fun Factory)
- Song 2: Love One Another (Little Praise Party)
- Song 3: One True God (Lifetree Kids)

Key Verse:

"But as for you, you meant evil against me: but God meant it for Good". Genesis 50:19-20

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Bible Story: It's Not Fair!!!

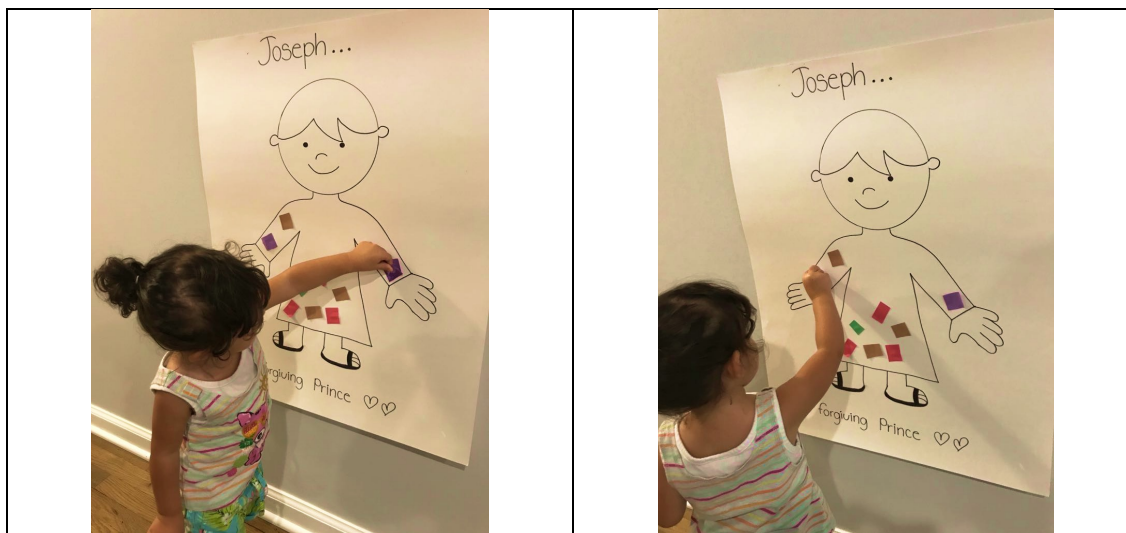
Joseph and His Brothers

- Scripture Reference: Genesis 50:19-20
- Narrative of Story:

When you have been genuinely mistreated, do you have the right to be offended? Consider the story of Joseph (Genesis 37-50), he did not become offended at his brothers even though they put their heads together to plot a way to kill him and ended up selling Joseph into slavery. Joseph forgave his brothers, understood that God always has a plan for our lives and blessed his brothers and his brother's children.

Bible Activity for toddlers: Joseph the Forgiving Prince.

- Read to the kids the Story of Joseph from the kids Bible.
- Draw with black marker a large picture of Joseph on brown paper or white posterboard.
- Cut construction paper into strips and then cut the strips into squares.
- Put the large picture of Joseph on the wall using sticky tack.
- Spread glue on Joseph's coat.
- Have the toddlers take turns putting the paper squares on Joseph's coat until the coat is covered on paper.



Bible Activity for infants: Bible Stick Puppets

- Print out a colorful picture of Joseph.
- cut the picture out and glue it on a craft stick (popsicle stick).
- Use the puppet while telling the story of Joseph to the baby.

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Picture taken from daniellesplace.com

Toddlers Craft/Make & Take:

- Title: Joseph Puppet

- Supplies Needed:

Brown paper bags (one per child).

Markers (black, brown, blue and red).

Glue.

Scissors.

Rainbow fabric OR colored construction paper.

- Directions:

Use a brown paper lunch bag as the puppet and decorate a face with markers.

Purchase some rainbow colored fabric (get remnants whenever possible) and cut the fabric into pieces about the size to fit on a brown paper lunch bag. Have the children glue the rainbow fabric onto the puppet for Joseph's coat.

If you don't want to go to the expense of buying fabric, you can use colored construction paper instead. Cut different colors of construction paper into strips and have children glue the colored strips on the bag. You would need to make the paper strips about one inch narrow and cut them as long as needed for your paper bags.



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- **Closing Prayer:** Asking God for the wisdom of Joseph to avoid taking offense and to trust Him instead of blaming others or circumstances for difficulties in life.

Faith At Home:

- **Description:** Help your kid(s) to see the times when God took a sad situation in their lives and turned it for their benefit or the benefit of those around them.