

WEEK 2

4th-5th Grades | "Possible or Impossible?" Activity



Need to Know: *Nothing Is Impossible for God Bible Story: An Angel Visits Mary (Luke 1:26-55)*

Supplies: *Attached Headline Cards (printed & cut) & Answer Sheet, Bible*

"Possible or Impossible?"

Note: If you have enough in your family, you can divide into teams to play. If you don't just have children participate individually.

1. SAY: *Now, let's play "Possible or Impossible?" by reading some news headlines about things God did in the Bible that are impossible for us to do. You will get a set of North Pole News **Headline Cards** and a **Bible**. You (or your team) will read each Headline Card and look up the verse so you can find out more about it. When you find the verse, you will read it to decide if the headline is true or false. You'll place all the true headlines together in one stack and all the false headlines in another stack. The person (or team) who gets the most Cards separated correctly wins!*
2. GIVE each child (or team) a set of North Pole News **Headline Cards** and one **Bible**.
3. TELL them to start and ALLOW them to read each headline and look up the verse(s) to decide if the headline is true or false. They should place true headlines in one stack and false headlines in another.
4. Once everyone has looked up all the verses, USE the **Headlines Answer Sheet** to go over each **Headline Card** as a group. HAVE teams count how many headlines they got correct.
5. REVIEW the Need to Know: *Nothing Is Impossible for God*

Option 2: Generate Group Discussion

1. SHARE a personal story about a time when you realized nothing is impossible for God! MAKE SURE your story is age-appropriate.
2. GENERATE additional group discussion for 5 to 6 minutes by asking the following questions:
 - *What's going on in your life that feels like it's impossible for something good to come of it?*
 - *What are some things you know God can do?*
 - *Is there anything impossible for God?*
3. REVIEW the Need to Know with the group: *Nothing Is Impossible For God*

Adam is no longer alone in the Garden of Eden! Sources say God has made a woman!

Find out in Genesis 2:22.

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Eyewitnesses say God parted the entire Red Sea!

Find out in Exodus 14:21-22.

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Jesus tried to feed 5,000 people with just two loaves of bread and five small fish, but there wasn't enough for everyone.

Find out in Matthew 14:17-21.

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Joshua prayed for the sun to stand still, but God was not able to make the sun stop setting.

Find out in Joshua 10:12-14.

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Disciples were caught in a violent storm on the lake. Jesus told the storm to "Be still!" but the storm only got worse!

Find out in Mark 4:35-41.

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A man who has never walked is now able to after believing in Jesus – he says God healed him!

Find out in John 5:5-9.

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Mary claims an angel said God would give her a baby!

Find out in Luke 1:29-33.

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Noah claims to have heard from God, so he's building a giant boat.

Find out in Genesis 6:13-16.

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Eye witnesses report seeing Jesus sink while trying to walk on water!

Find out in Matthew 14:25.

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Reports are saying that Jesus has risen from the dead three days after dying on the cross!

Find out in Matthew 28:5-6.

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HEADLINES ANSWER SHEET

- ***Adam is no longer alone in the Garden of Eden! Sources say God has made a woman!*** (True; Genesis 2:22)
- ***Eyewitnesses say God parted the entire Red Sea!*** (True; Exodus 14:21-22)
- ***Jesus tried to feed 5,000 people with just two loaves of bread and five small fish, but there wasn't enough for everyone.*** (False - Jesus performed a miracle and everyone was able to eat; Matthew 14:17-21)
- ***Joshua prayed for the sun to stand still, but God was not able to make the sun stop setting.*** (False - God was able to make the sun stand still; Joshua 10:12-14)
- ***Disciples were caught in a violent storm on the lake. Jesus told the storm to "Be still!" but the storm only got worse.*** (False - The storm did obey Jesus, and the water became still right away; Mark 4:35-41)
- ***A man who has never walked is now able to after believing in Jesus--he says God healed him!*** (True; John 5:5-9)
- ***Mary claims an angel said God would give her a baby!*** (True; Luke 1:29-33)
- ***Noah claims to have heard from God, so he's building a giant boat.*** (True; Genesis 6:13-16)
- ***Eyewitnesses report seeing Jesus sink while trying to walk on water!*** (False - Jesus was able to walk on water; Matthew 14:25)
- ***Reports are saying that Jesus has risen from the dead three days after dying on the cross!*** (True; Matthew 28:5-6)