

THE STORY

READ THE STORY. EXPERIENCE THE BIBLE.

AS YOU READ CHAPTER 11

This week we read Chapter 11 of The Story. This story is always fun to read, but hopefully with The Story book you learn a little more about David's story in defeating Goliath! You can use the questions below as a guide to your discussion and prayer. We encourage you to ask the questions as you read through The Story!

1. Goliath's enormous size (about 7 feet tall) and strength intimidated Israel's army. Why wasn't David afraid of this big bully?

Prayer: God, we thank you for always being with us, even if we are facing many hard times. Help us to always remember you are with us no matter what and will get us through any situation put in front of us. Amen.

2. How did David show faith by facing Goliath while wearing his regular clothes and using rocks as a weapon?

Prayer: God, please remind us that with you all things are possible. We are not ordinary people, but we are gifted people who have you in our hearts. Remind us to never lose our faith in hard times. Amen.

3. Are there any bullies at school that scare you? What's the best way to treat a bully? (Note: The correct answer isn't to hit him in the head with a rock!)

Prayer: God, we pray for those in our school who are being bullied. We pray you give them peace to know you are with them. We pray for the bullies, that they understand what they are doing is wrong and that we may be a light to their lives to shine God's name. Amen.

4. Are there any things in your life that mock God? Maybe you're more focused on video games than God? Perhaps, it's the music you listen to?

Prayer: God, we pray that you remind us what is most important in our life, and that we take time each day to thank you for our blessings and to learn more about you. Amen.

5. What's the main lesson you walk away from after reading about David's faith and trust in God?

Prayer: God, let us have a faith like David's and take on any challenge that may be thrown our way. Help us to remember that you will protect and guide us through the trials of our lives. Amen.



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