

JESUS IS THE KING OF ALL KINGS

GOD'S KINGDOM

YOUR KINGDOM COME



EVENT PLAN

Introducing the theme

A fun skit to show what we expect a king to be like.

But today we are going to learn about a King like no other.

What's needed:

A king (with a crown, sword and treasure)

Two security guards

Two servants (with a fan and food).

Have you ever seen a king before? If we were to meet a king what do you think he would be like? We know that most kings wear fancy clothes and have a shiny crown. *(A king enters all dressed up)*

We also know that most kings have lots of security guards around them. *(Two security guards enter and stand in front of the king)* and because of that it's impossible to get close to the king. *(Try and reach the king but get blocked by the security guards)*

Kings sometimes fight a lot of battles. *(The king pulls out a sword and pretends to fight)*

Sometimes a king might share some of his leftovers, but many kings only care about keeping their treasure for themselves. *(King picks up and holds his treasure close)*

We also know that most kings have lots of servants around them *(Two servants enter and fan the king and offer him food)*

But I don't want to talk about these kinds of kings.

(Point and send them all off. They all walk off disappointedly)

Today, I want to tell you about my King.

Message: My King

Let the children try and work out who your King is as you tell them all about Him.

Soon they will see that He is a King like no other. Jesus is the perfect King.











Before you begin, prepare five boxes with the following posters on each side.

You will turn the box and discuss what each poster means.

Watch this lesson in action : King Of All Kings

- Quick Truth

<https://youtu.be/p6OCK4IMXCM?si=oE3AwOHARcYPcySb>

Box 1	Box 2	Box 3	Box 4	Box 5
				
 My King is the King of all kings	 My King says "Come close to Me"	 My King loves me and saved me	 My King wins every battle	 My King gives me everything I need
Loving Perfect Forgiving Made everything Knows everything Everywhere	Hears me Strong Never changes Alive Humble Can do anything	God's son Caring Truthful Powerful Coming Without sin Holy	Generous Awesome Protecting Keeps His promises Faithful I am	In control Lives forever Provides The greatest Prince of peace Kind
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Message: My King continued...

Begin with the blank colours showing and then turn the box to show the respective picture as shown.



Box 1: My King is the King of all kings

I want to tell you about my King. My King is the King of all kings. He is the greatest King of all. He is perfect and He never does anything wrong. In fact, all other kings will bow down to Him. Do you know who my King is?

Box 2: My King says "Come close to Me"

My king doesn't want me to be far away from Him. He wants me to always come close to Him. In fact, He wants you to come close to Him too and He promises that when you come closer to Him, He will come closer to you. Do you know who my King is?

Box 3: My King loves me and saved me

My King knew that I would make bad choices and I would sin. The punishment for sin is death and separation from Him but my King loves me so much that before I was even born He made a way for my sin to be removed from me. My King willingly went to the cross and died to pay the price, not only for my sin but for your sin too. Do you know who my King is?

Box 4: My King wins every battle

After three days the most amazing thing happened. My King came back to life. He had won the battle over sin and death. No one else has ever been, or will ever be able to win this battle, except for my King. My King wins every battle. Do you know who my King is?

Box 5: My King gives me everything I need

My King wants me to help build His Kingdom. To do this I need to do things His way and not my own way. My King is so generous that He gives me everything I need to live a life that will please Him. He gives me His Word, the Bible, and He gives me His Holy Spirit to always be with me and guide me. Do you know who my King is?

There is so much more to tell you about my King. (Turn boxes to side with the words.)

Loving Perfect
Forgiving
Made
everything
Knows
everything
Everywhere

Hears me
Strong
Never changes
Alive Humble
Can do
anything

God's son
Caring
Truthful
Powerful
Coming
Holy Without
sin

Generous
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There is so much more about my King. I wish I could describe Him to you. Do you know who my King is? Let's turn the boxes and see.



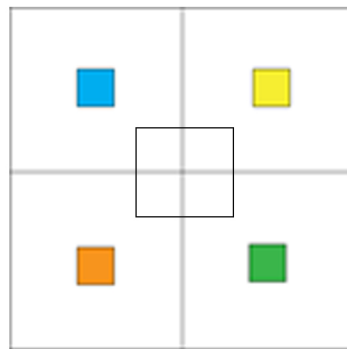
Jesus is my King! Jesus is the King of all kings! Jesus loves you, Jesus died for you and Jesus wants you to come close to Him. Will you choose Jesus as your king?

Game: God's Kingdom lasts forever

Main Idea: To teach that God's Kingdom lasts forever

Bible Verse: Psalm 145:13 For your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom. You rule throughout all generations.

Watch in action: <https://youtu.be/dKI2VKYHxfo?si=H8Tc6o1e4fM1GX0i>
God's Kingdom - (Games) - Leaders resources



Tape out the play area as follows. Each team will build in their marked off area.

No one is allowed in the inner square

Part One: Teams build their kingdoms as long as they can

Do you know what a kingdom is? A kingdom is a place that is ruled by a king. A king wants their kingdom to last forever. Even when they come under attacks from enemies.

Here are some boxes for you to work together to build your own kingdoms.

Divide the children into 4 teams. Have each team build a "kingdom" using their coloured boxes on top of their team's table.

Part Two: Teams protect and rebuild their kingdoms

Wow, those are some great looking kingdoms. Let's put them to the test and see if they stay standing.

Teams use the foam balls to try and knock down the other teams' kingdoms. At first the teams can protect their own kingdom using their bodies as shields and rebuild their kingdom should it get knocked down. In the last round, do not allow them to rebuild or protect, the kingdoms will soon be a pile of boxes on the floor.

Note: They must not leave their marked off area!

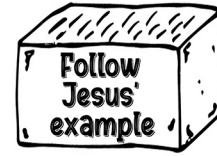
Object Lesson : God's Kingdom lasts forever

What's needed:

A wall to represent God's Kingdom

Bible (Psalm 145:13)

"God's Way" brick shaped statements



Straight after the game leave their kingdoms broken and gather the children in front of the "God's Kingdom" wall.

None of our kingdoms managed to last. We know that God's Kingdom is much greater than this wall but let's pretend it is God's Kingdom.

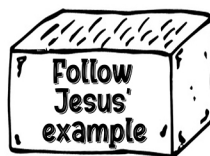
There is only one way to be part of God's Kingdom. John 1:12 "But to all who believed Him and accepted Him, He gave the right to become children of God."

Choosing Jesus as our King is the only way that we can become part of God's Kingdom. As children of God's great Kingdom we choose to live a certain way.

Briefly explain each brick as you stick them onto the wall one by one.



We love God and we love others. We spend time speaking to God and listening to what He says to us. We read the Bible and do what it says as we know this is God's message to us. We allow the Holy Spirit guide and lead us. We show love to God by being generous with our time and with what we have. We trust God in good and tough times. And we always follow the perfect example of Jesus so we know how He wants us to live too.



It is so wonderful to be part of this Kingdom because Jesus is the King in charge and He loves us perfectly. And unlike the kingdoms we may try and build, God's Kingdom lasts forever. Psalm 145:13 "Your Kingdom is an everlasting Kingdom"

Let's have some fun and see just how much stronger and perfect God's Kingdom is.

Allow the children to throw balls at the wall to show that God's Kingdom lasts forever!

Game: Kings Call

Main Idea: To know, love and live for Jesus

Call out a statement, if it is true, the children will run to the person wearing the green cape, alternatively if it is false, to the person wearing the red cape.

When a king speaks the people in the kingdom listen. As children of God's Kingdom we need to know, love and live for Jesus as we listen and follow everything He says.

Game Instructions:

Start off slowly calling out only a few instructions. Children respond as per the actions listed below. Gradually add more and get faster.

GREEN CAPE: Call out a true statement about Jesus. They must then run to the person wearing the green cape and say "Yes, Amen!"

RED CAPE: Call out a statement which is a lie and they then run to the person wearing the red cape and say "No way!"

	Truths	Lies
Jesus is the King of kings	Jesus made everything	Jesus only listens to some people
Jesus hears me	Jesus is everywhere	Jesus is small
Jesus is our Saviour	Jesus is generous	Jesus is mean
Jesus is strong	Jesus lives forever	Jesus is always cross with me
Jesus is loving	Jesus is our provider	Jesus won't forgive me
Jesus is God's Son	Jesus is our protector	Jesus is weak
Jesus is forgiving	Jesus never changes	Jesus is not real
Jesus can do anything	Jesus is powerful	
Jesus is alive	Jesus keeps His promises	

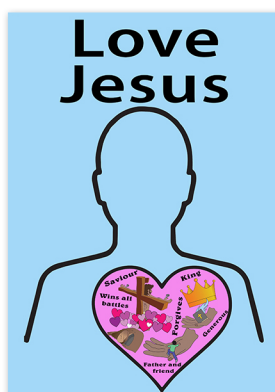
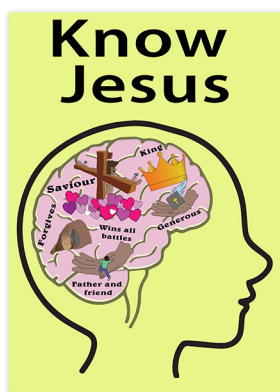
SOUND THE TRUMPET: Make a trumpet sound and say "Jesus is the King of kings"

CHILDREN OF THE KING: Children run to the posters and say "know" "love" and "live for Jesus"

BRING IN THE HORSES: Trot around like horses and make sound effects with hands and chest in the designated area.

KNEEL BEFORE THE KING: Kneel where you are with hands like you are praying

MUSIC PLAYS: Pick up a flag and dance in the designated area.



An active listening game that focuses on knowing, loving and living for Jesus our King.

Items needed:

Green cape
Red cape
Posters
Paper flags
Music

Devotional Booklet: Your Kingdom Come

Download the booklets to work through with the children as they use their Bibles.



Main Idea: Jesus is the King of all kings

God wants us to have soft hearts that hear and accept His message to us as we choose to get to know Him and make Him the King of our lives.

Message: Choose Jesus as your King

Main Idea: Jesus is the King of all Kings

If you had to choose a king to follow and do what they say over everyone else...who do you think would be the best choice to be your king? Yes, Jesus because He is the King of all kings. Let's say that altogether.

(Another leader interrupts)

(Leader 2) I heard you say you were choosing who should be your king. These friends look cool. Should I not make one of them my king?

Children, who should she choose as her king? *Jesus, He is the King of all kings.*

(Leader 2) But my teacher is really smart. She knows the answers to things I don't know. Should she be my king?

Children, who should she choose as her king? *Jesus, He is the King of all kings.*

(Leader 2) But what about money. We all like money. Should I choose money as my king?

Children, who should she choose as her king? *Jesus, He is the King of all kings.* Jesus is the best choice to be our King. Teachers, friends and money are nice things to have in our lives, but only Jesus is the perfect King. And Jesus is the only way for us to be forgiven and live forever and ever with God in Heaven. He is the King of all kings and He wants us to choose Him as our King.

(Leader 2) I was just teasing you all. Of course I will choose Jesus as my King. Nothing and no one else comes close to Jesus.

Create a safe moment where the children who would like to choose Jesus as their King can take a velcro heart and add it to the felt cross.

Jesus is the best choice to make the King of our lives!



Laminate the small crowns and staple a piece of velcro on the back so that it can cling a cross made of felt

