

PRINTABLE BIBLE LESSONS FOR KID'S MINISTRY

DAVID'S JOURNEY

Lesson 1: David Is Chosen A Heart After God

Key Text: 1 Samuel 16: 1-13
Godly Character Focus:
Obedience & Heart Alignment

HOOK

Show two boxes: one beautifully wrapped but empty, and one plain box with something valuable inside. Ask: Which one matters more? Why?

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BOOK

Read 1 Samuel 16:7.

But the Lord said to Samuel, "Do not consider his appearance or his height, for I have rejected him. The Lord does not look at the things people look at. People look at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart."

God chose David not for his appearance, but for his heart. David was faithful even while doing ordinary tasks like tending sheep.

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LOOK

Talk about how people today judge by looks, popularity, or skills but God looks at motives, attitudes, and faithfulness.

TOOK

Encourage learners to focus on pleasing God in small, unseen moments.

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Activity Suggestion

"Heart Check" Craft
Have participants draw a heart and write qualities God loves (obedient, humble, faithful).

Prayer activity: Ask God to shape their hearts like David's.

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