The story of Naaman, Elisha and the little girl



INSTRUCTIONS FOR EDUCATORS

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This Bible story teaching pack is titled "A leper made clean: The story of Naaman, Elisha and the little girl". The story summarises the events leading to the healing of Naaman's leprosy. In the story, we discussed the role of Elisha and the little helper who told Naaman's wife about Elisha, the prophet in Samaria.

What does the story mean for kids? Kids will learn the benefits of listening to good advice. They will also learn that it is good to obey. Lastly, kids will be reminded that while they may be little, they are not too young to share the good news of Jesus Christ.

The bible references for the story are as follows: 2 Kings 5:1-3, 9-15.

We ask that you take the time to prayerfully read the bible references provided and study the materials too. We pray "that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give unto you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of him" (Ephesians 1:17)

We do not take for granted the call and ministry of training kids in a godly way — right from their childhood. Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it (Proverbs 22:6).

We do not underestimate the potentials for kids to understand and store God's word in their hearts from their early age. And that from childhood you have known the Holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus

(2 Timothy 3:15).

Ultimately, we do not underestimate the power and will of God to bring these children into an enduring relationship with Him. But Jesus said, "Let the little children come to Me, and do not forbid them; for of such is the kingdom of heaven" (Matthew 19:14).

This is our desire, hope and joy — that each child might come to experience love and grace in Jesus as they understand His words.



In this Bible story teaching pack, you have the following:

I. Story book/cards.

You will get a book or a pack of large cards depending on how you print yours. This is the section that contains the retelling of the story of Naaman, Elisha and the little girl. There are words and pictures to hold the attention of the children.

2. Conversation cards

These cards will provide some questions for you to explore with the Kids. Encourage them to explore the story and lessons from the story of Naaman, Elisha and the little girl using the questions in these cards. Use these cards in a group activity. You will be amazed at what you find out.

3. Story starter cards

Each of these cards contains a story prompt or beginning sentence and a corresponding picture to help kids retell the story of Naaman, Elisha and the little girl in their own words. Use these cards in a group activity. They will feel confident that they can tell the story and even go on to tell their friends and families. Are you a parent? You will enjoy listening to your child retelling this story.

4. Memory verse and prayer cards

Print these memory verse cards and ask the children to recite them a few times after the study. Then, ask them to take them home, so they can learn to recite the verses during the week. You can quickly ask them to recite the verse before the next study in the following week.

A prayer card is also provided – please use this only as a guide. The end goal is for each child to be able to use their own words while praying to God.

5. Quiz cards

Questions are provided in the quiz cards. The questions are related to the study; thus, you can assess their understanding in this group activity.



6. Crossword puzzle

Print the puzzle to be used as assignment or solved after the study. The answers are included in the puzzle sheet.

7. Maze

Print the maze to be used as assignment or solved after the study.

8. Word search

Print the word search to be used as assignment or solved after the study. The answers are included in the word search sheet.

9. Word scramble

Print the word scramble sheet and get the kids to unscramble the words. A list of words is provided to make this quick, easy, and fun. If you are using with an older kid, you might want to cut out the word-list section and get them to unscramble the words without using the wordlist.

10. Learn and colour

Another activity aimed at emphasizing the study as kids interact with the pictures and the words.

Please note that the instructions are generic to educators. You know your child/children best; so feel free to adapt the contents as relevant to the different age groups you are in charge of.

We hope you will find these resources useful in your homes, classes, churches, or any other location where you teach children the word of God.

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A leper made clean: The story of Naaman, Elisha and the little girl

A title in the Bible story teaching pack by Godly Pearls

Bible References: 2 Kings 5:1-3, 9-15

- * Explain the healing of Naaman and the role Elisha and the little girl played.
- Discuss lessons from the story and what it means for kids today. Some suggestions are provided in the main story.
- * Engage Kids in the various activities to reinforce the story and the lessons.

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There was a man called Naaman. He worked for the King of a place called Syria. Naaman was the leader of Syria's army. The King of Syria really liked Naaman because he was very good at his work. But Naaman was a leper, he had painful sores all over his body.

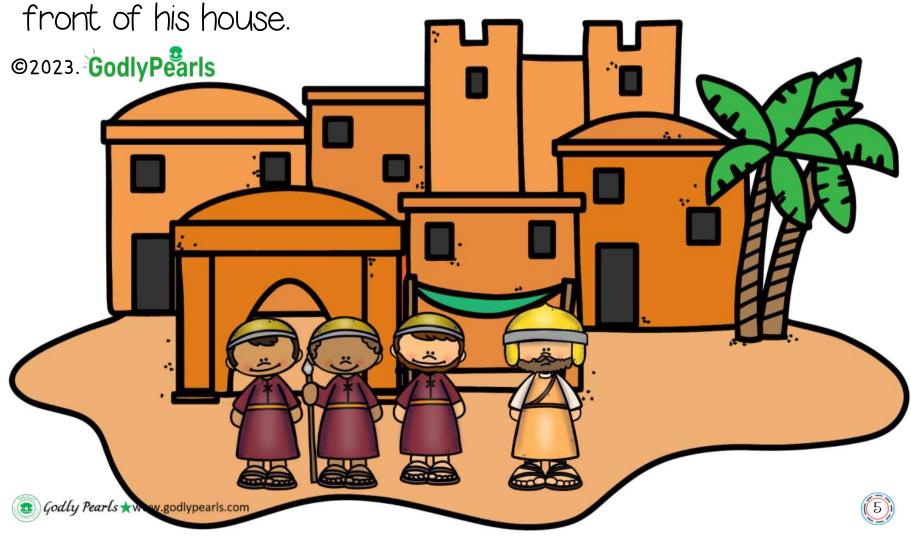


Naaman's wife had a little girl who helped her do some work at home. One day, the little girl told Naaman's wife, "If Naaman could meet the prophet in Samaria, the prophet would heal him of his leprosy!"

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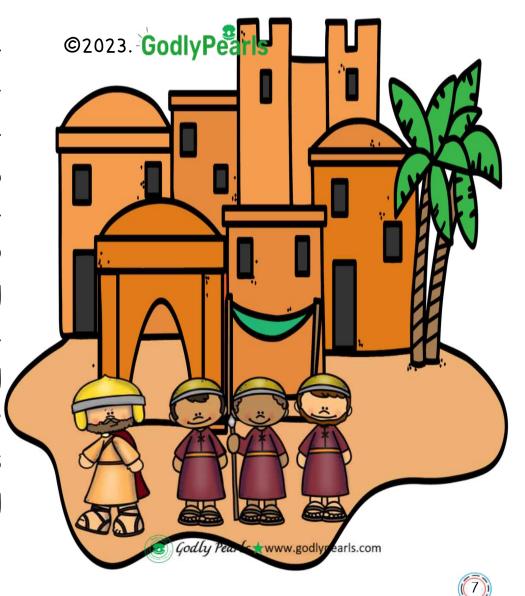
Naaman went with some helpers to meet Elisha in Samaria. When they got to Elisha's house, they waited in front of his house



Elisha sent a helper to speak with Naaman. The helper said to Naaman, "Go and wash in the river of Jordan seven times and your skin will become clean and smooth".



When Naaman heard what. the helper said, he became very angry and went away. Naaman complained and said, "I thought Elisha would come and meet me and pray to God, wave his hand over my body and heal me of the leprosy. The rivers in my country are much better than all the rivers in this place. Why can't I wash in my country and be clean?".



Then, Naaman's helpers came to him and said, "If the prophet had told you to do something very big so that you can be healed, would you not do it? What he is asking you to do is very simple — just to wash in the river and be clean".



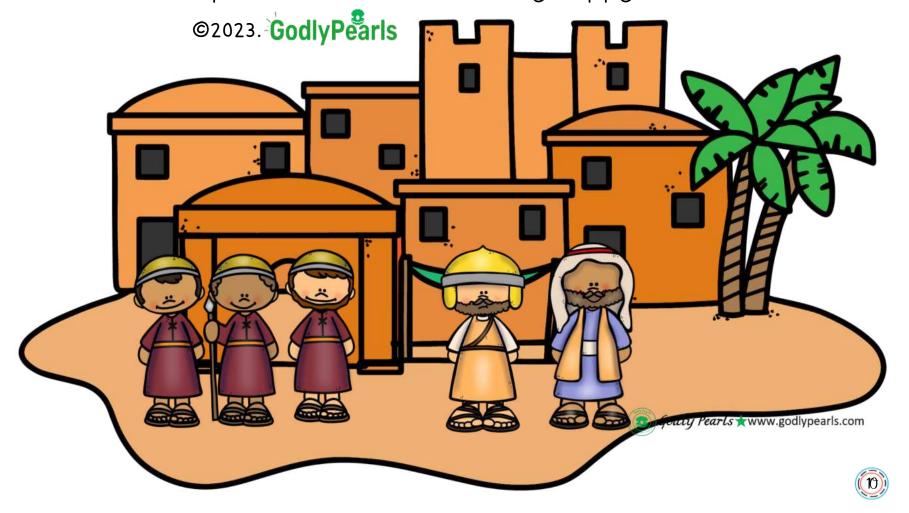
Naaman listened to his helpers. He went to the Jordan river and dipped himself in the river seven times.

One — two — three — four — five — six — seven!

At the seventh time, he got out of the water and his skin was very clean and soft like that of a little child.

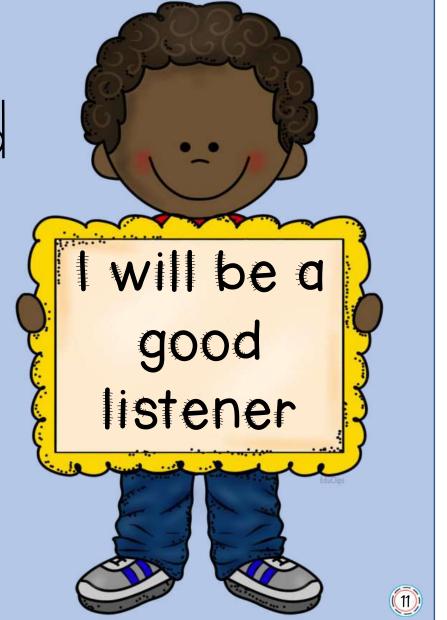


Naaman and his helpers went back to Elisha to say thanks. Naaman said, "I now know that there is no God in all the earth, except in Israel". He was very happy!



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Naaman listened to the good advice from his helpers.





When Naaman obeyed and went to river Jordan, he was healed.



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The little girl told Naaman's wife about Prophet Elisha. She didn't say she was too

I am not too young to share the good news



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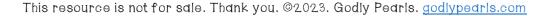
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Why did Naaman go to see Elisha?

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Mention three lessons from the story of Elisha and Naaman

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What did the little girl say to Naaman's wife?

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What did Elisha's helper tell Naaman to do?

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How many times did Naaman dip his body in river Jordan?

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Why did Naaman initially refuse to go to river Jordan?

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What happened when Naaman dipped his body in river Jordan?

What was the name of the city where Elisha lived?

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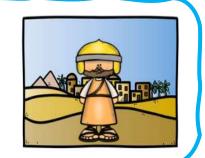
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Naaman was...







Naaman's wife had...







Naaman and his helpers...

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Elisha sent...

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But Naaman was...

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His helpers said...

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Naaman went...

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They all went....

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How can you be a better listener?

of how you can obey your parents

Give examples



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How can you share the good news of Jesus to other people?

How can you help others to make the right decisions just like Naaman's helpers did?



"Jesus said to him,

"If you can
believe, all things
are possible to him
who believes".

Mark 9:23

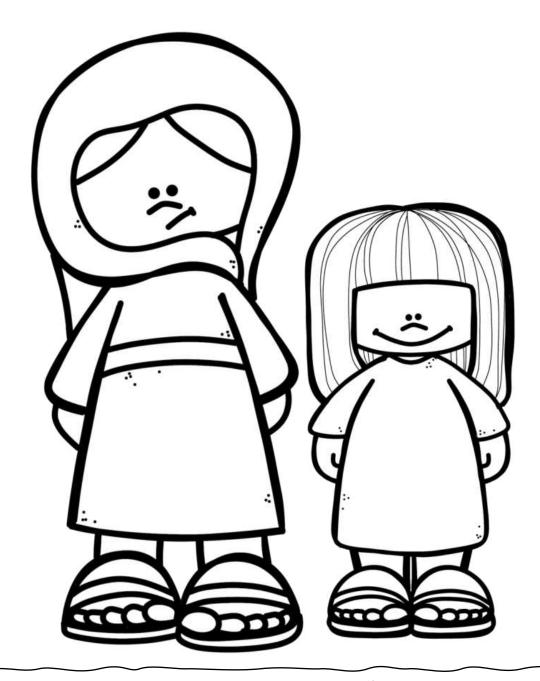
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Dear God, thank You for always healing me when I am sick. I ask that you continue to keep me strong and healthy in Jesus' name.

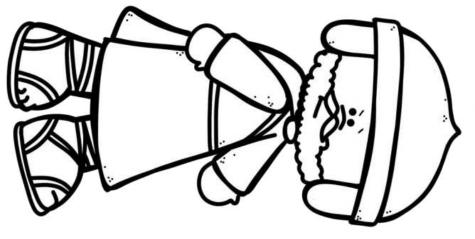
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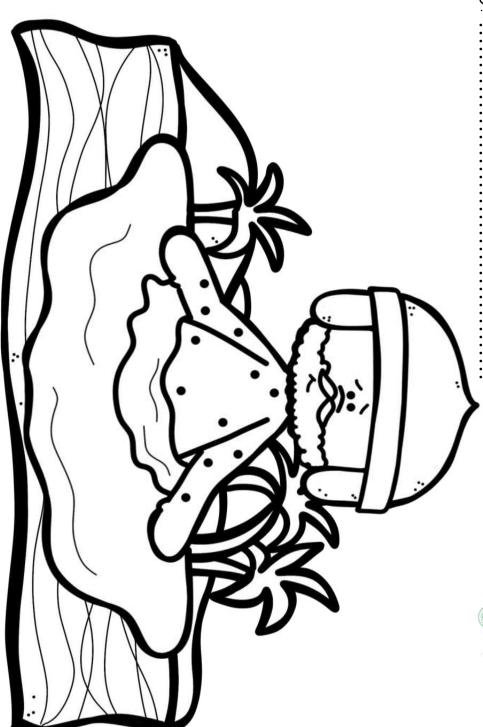


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Elisha sent a message to Naaman, "Go and wash in the river of Jordan seven times and your skin will become clean and smooth" ©2023. GodlyPearls



Naaman dipped his body seven times in river Jordan and his skin was very clean and soft like that of a little child. ©2023. GodlyPearls

The story of Naaman, Elisha and the little girl Word Search

Find and circle the words below

Name:

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Prophet Seven Jordan Syria



Clean Leper Helpers Samaria







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A LEPER MADE CLEAN

The story of Naaman, Elisha and the little girl Crossword Puzzle

Read each clue. Then, write the missing word in the puzzle.

Name:

Across

- 2. A.... girl said a prophet would heal Naaman (6)
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- 7. Naaman worked for the King of a place called (5)

Down

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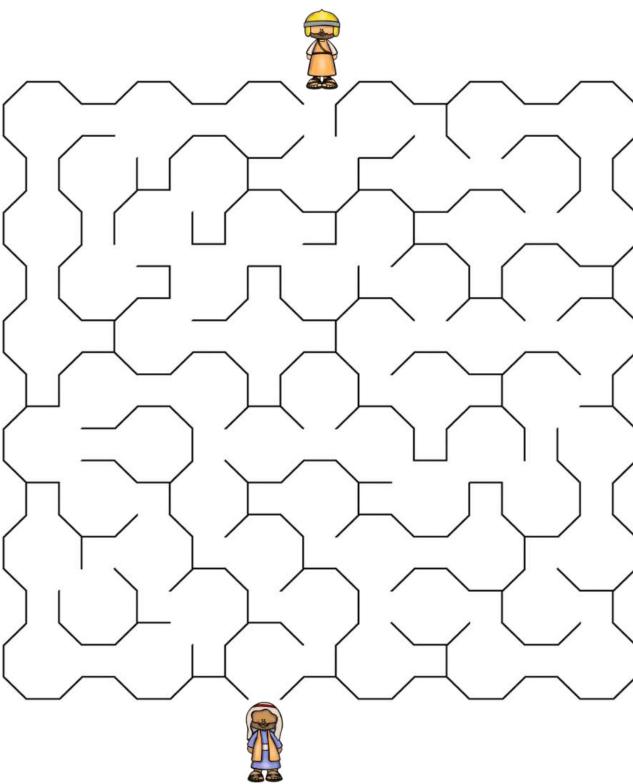




The story of Naaman, Elisha and the little girl Puzzle sheet

Help Naaman find his way to Elisha. He wants to be healed of his leprosyl

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Word Scramble

nstruction: Unscramble the	words below using clues from the word list
Name:	
PEPTOHR	
SHEILA	
JDAONR	
ASRAMAI	
RRIVE	
OESPRYL	
NANAAM	
ZIHGAE	

Word list

Naaman Samaria Gehazi Prophet



Leprosy River Elisha Jordan







