



Preschool Lesson



Lesson 3: Shout



Whatchagaddaknow:

“God’s Won The Victory. It’s Time To SHOUT!”



Power Verse:

“...With my whole being, body and soul, I will shout joyfully to the living God.”

- Psalm 84:2

Before the Lesson

- * Collect the items for the activities you plan to use, referring to the Classroom Supplies and Lesson Manual Supplies listed in the chart.
- * Pray for your students and for God’s direction in teaching the class.

This Lesson at a Glance

Activity	Classroom Supplies	Lesson Manual Supplies
Bible Story – This week, the kids will learn from the story of Joshua leading the Israelites to SHOUT for victory (Joshua 6).		Bible Story Pictures (pg. 5-8)
Hands-On-Learning – The kids will learn that we can SHOUT for joy because God will always win!	Pom poms, a megaphone	
Craft Option #1 – Bible Story Coloring Page	Crayons or markers	Bible Story Coloring Page Print Piece (pg. 9)
Craft Option #2 - Megaphone Craft	Crayons or markers, cardstock, scissors, tape	Megaphone Craft Print Piece (pg. 10)
Craft Option #3 – Shout For Victory Coloring Page	Crayons or markers	Shout For Victory Coloring Page Print Piece (pg. 11)



Bible Story

Supplies Needed: Bible Story Pictures (provided on pg. 5-8)

Teacher Instruction: Before class begins, print the Bible Story Pictures. Have the children gathered around so they can see the pictures.

Say- God's people had waited a long time to get to their new home, the great city of JERICHO.

Say- (Show pic) Now they were at Jericho, but there was a big, giant wall built all around the city! They could not get in. Oh no!

Say- Joshua prayed and asked God what to do. God told Joshua to have the people march around the walls of the city one time every day for six days. (Show pic)

Say- While the people marched, they had to be very quiet, no talking. Shh!

Say- That sounded like a strange plan. How would they manage to get inside a city and win the battle by marching around the walls, not talking?

Say- Joshua trusted God, so they obeyed and marched.

Say- On the seventh day, they went out to march, but this day God told them to do something a little different. Something big was about to happen! Are you excited to hear what it was?

-Allow time for response-

Say- On the seventh day, the people marched around the city, not one time, but seven times. Count to seven with me! (Count to seven along with the kids)

Say- (Show pic) Then, after the last lap, they started shouting! It was SOOO LOUD! They shouted in VICTORY, even though the wall was still standing, they trusted God!

Say- As they shouted, the coolest thing happened. (Show pic) The bible says the walls of that city came crumbling to the ground!

Say- God kept his promise. After the walls fell down, they rushed in and took the city. They had their new home!

Say- We can trust God just like Joshua and the Israelites. God will always do what He says He will do.

Say- We can shout for victory because God always wins!

Pray



Hands-On Learning

Supplies Needed: Pom poms; a megaphone

Teacher Instruction: Before class begins, gather classroom materials. Have the children gathered around so they can see any illustration materials.

Ask- Have you ever walked around a house, and it fell down? What about a church or a school building?

-Allow time for response-

Say- No way! We can't just decide to go march around the grocery store, and the walls will come down!

Ask- So why did the walls of Jericho come crashing down?

-Allow time for response-

Say- They fell because God made it happen! God is big enough to make awesome things happen, like the walls of the city falling down!

Say- God's asked his people to shout in VICTORY even before the walls fell. Joshua and the people trusted God and obeyed.

Ask- Have you ever been to a sports event like a basketball or football game? What do people in the crowd do when their team does something awesome?

-Allow time for response-

Say- They cheer and shout! (Use megaphone and pom poms as you talk)

Say- Did you know that we are on a team? It's true! The team we're on isn't a sports team, it's God's team!

Say- Sometimes sports teams lose the game. They don't win.

Say- But guess what? God's team NEVER loses. God always wins!

Say- God wins over sickness and sadness. God wins over trouble and bad times. God always wins!

Say- We can't fight life's troubles on our own, so we trust God to fight for us, just like Joshua did.

Say- We can shout for victory because our God always wins! We can even SHOUT for victory because God always wins!

Say- Say this with me: God's won the victory. It's time to SHOUT! (Say the phrase aloud with the kids)



Craft #1: Bible Story Coloring Page

Supplies Needed: Bible Story Coloring Page Print Piece (provided on pg. 9); Crayons or markers

Teacher Instruction: Before class begins, print the Bible Story Coloring Page Print Piece. Make sure you have enough for each kid to have one. Gather the classroom materials as well. Have the kids sit in an area that is appropriate for coloring.

How To Do Craft - Kids can color freely as they choose.



Craft #2: Megaphone Craft

Supplies Needed: Megaphone Craft Print Piece (provided on pg. 10); Cardstock; Scissors; Tape

Teacher Instruction: Before class begins, print the Megaphone Craft Print Pieces. Make sure you have enough craft pages for each kid to have one. This will work best if printed on cardstock. Gather the classroom materials as well. Have the kids sit in an area that is appropriate for crafting.

How To Do Craft - Allow the kids to decorate their megaphone with crayons. Cut out the design and fold so the two ends meet to form a megaphone shape. Place a piece of tape inside the megaphone where the ends meet to hold it closed. As you help the kids with the craft, talk about how we can shout for victory because God always WINS!



Craft #3: Shout For Victory Coloring Page

Supplies Needed: Shout For Victory Coloring Page Print Piece (provided on pg. 11); Crayons or markers

Teacher Instruction: Before class begins, print the Shout For Victory Coloring Page Print Pieces. Make sure you have enough for each kid to have one. Gather the classroom materials as well. Have the kids sit in an area that is appropriate for coloring.

How To Do Craft - Kids can color freely as they choose.





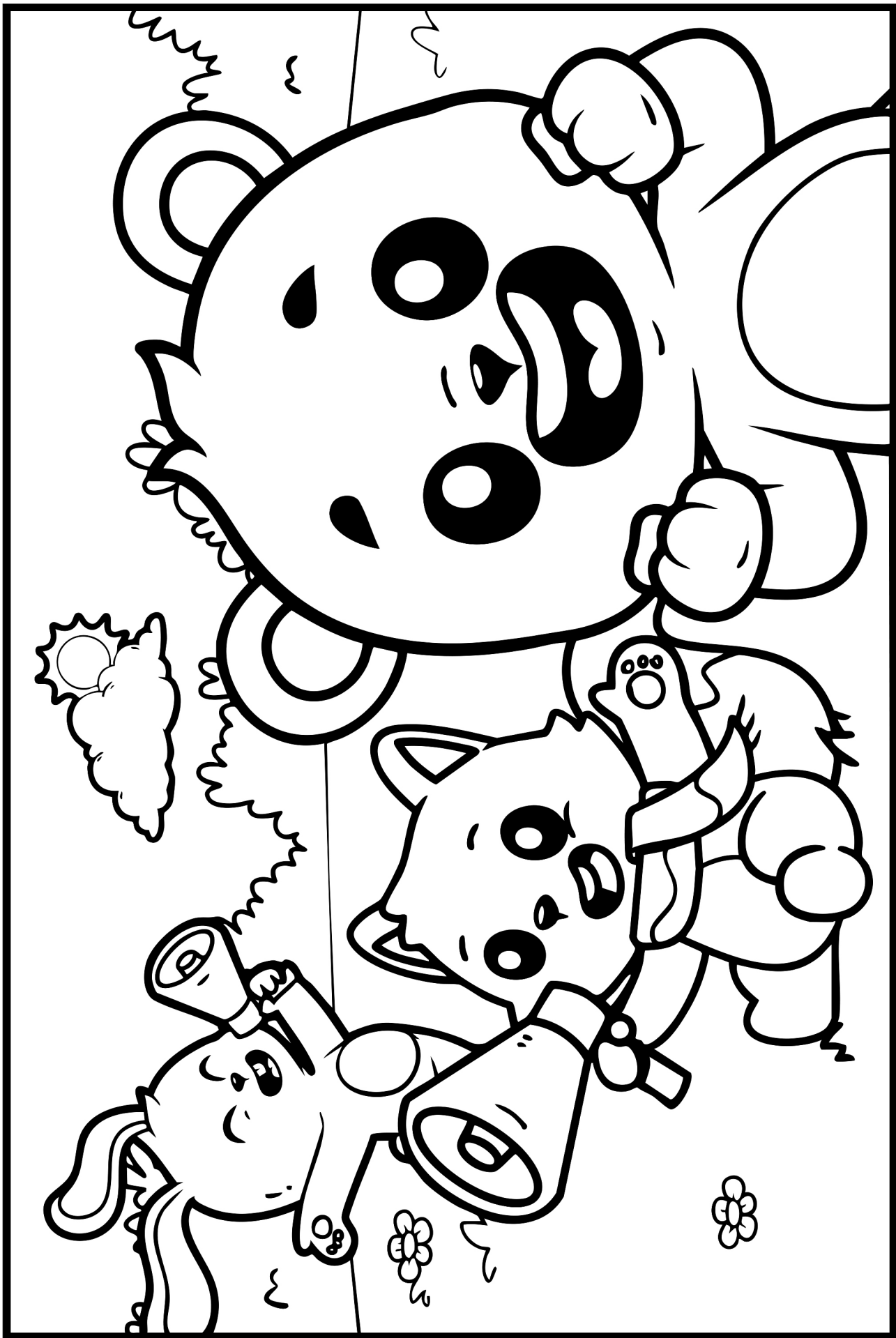






**JOSHUA LED HIS PEOPLE IN A MIGHTY SHOUT
AND GOD GAVE THEM THE VICTORY!**





GOD WINS! IT'S TIME TO SHOUT!