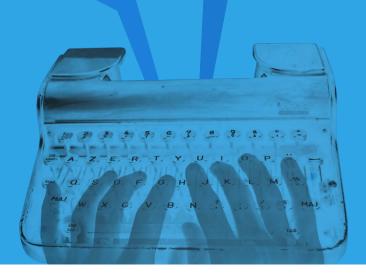


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WEEK 3



YOUR STORY

This week was week 3 of Your Story!! Everyone has a story, and we are learning how to recognize and share how God impacted our Stories. This is important because our story is part of God's story. We get to play a huge part in HIS story.

DID YOU ? KNOW •

The longest name in the Bible is "Mahershalalhashbaz". (Isaiah 8:3) Good luck pronouncing that!

It took over 1,000 years to write the Old Testament.

It took only about 75 years to write the New Testament.

The first Bible printed with chapters and verse was the Geneva Bible in 1560.

The Nano Bible is the world's smallest Bible. It is roughly the size of a grain of sugar.

God worked through shepherds, kings, farmers, priests, poets, and fishermen to write all the books in the Bible. God can use anyone!

Adam's name is from the Hebrew word "a-da-ma" which means "the ground". God made Adam from the dust of the ground... so the name works!

MEMORY VERSE

They triumphed over him by the blood of the lamb and the word of their testimony.

Revelation 12:11



The blood of Jesus, the Lamb, was shed on the cross for us. Evil has already been defeated, and we get to continue to fight the enemy with God, by the word of our testimony.

Another word for that is witness. We are witnesses, and we are people who are watching God work in and around us. And we get to share that with others.



S.R.D.P. (sr-dp: kind of sounds like syrup, but actually means something!) Each week, we have been learning about each part of **SRDP**.

S = Surrender We should give up what we think is best in our lives, and let God take the lead. R = Remember. We can't talk about the things God has done unless we remember the big and little things He does. D = Deliver
We should
share or give
our story with
someone

P = ? Any guesses?



When we **DELIVER** our stories to others, that's showing 1-that we've surrendered, we've remembered what God has done and now, we are handing it to whoever we are sharing with. When we deliver our stories to other people, we don't know what they are going to do after they hear it, some might turn their lives around and accept Jesus into their hearts, and others might not do anything at all. But none of that is in your control, you've shared your story, just like we are called to do.

Let's try writing our story. You can ask your parents or another adult to help you with this.

Step 1

What was your life like before you surrendered to God?

What things did you surrender to God? Why?

Step 2

What God moments do you remember?

What is your favorite God moment so far?

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Step 3

Who are 2 people you want to share your story with?

Who are the 2 people you think will be hardest to share your story with?

What do you think will happen because you share your story?

Pray: Ask God to give you courage to tell your story.

You can read about John's witness/testimony of Jesus in John 5:31-39.

John 5:31-39

³¹ "If I tell people about myself, they cannot be sure that what I say is true. ³² But there is someone else who tells people about me, and I know that what He says about me is true.

³³ "You sent men to John, and he told you what is true. ³⁴ I don't need anyone to tell people about me, but I remind you of what John said so that you can be saved. ³⁵ John was like a lamp that burned and gave light, and you were happy to enjoy his light for a while.

³⁶ "But I have a proof about myself that is greater than anything John said. The things I do are my proof. These are what

my Father gave me to do. They show that the Father sent me. ³⁷ And the Father who sent me has given proof about me Himself. But you have never heard his voice. You have never seen what He looks like. ³⁸ The Father's teaching does not live in you, because you don't believe in the one the Father sent. ³⁹ You carefully study the Scriptures. You think that they give you eternal life. These same Scriptures tell about me!