



Sharing the Gospel with Kids

Levels of Biblical Learning — SALVATION

Younger Preschoolers 0-12 months	Middle Preschoolers 1-3 years	Older Preschoolers 3-5 years
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ God loves us. ◆ God cares about us. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ God sent Jesus because He loves us. ◆ God sent Jesus because He cares about us. ◆ People make wrong choices. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ God sent Jesus to help people because He loves them. ◆ God sent His only Son, Jesus, because He cares about us. ◆ People sometimes choose to disobey God.
Younger Children 6-8 years	Middle Children 9-11 years	Preteens 10-12 years
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ God provided a way for people to become Christians because He loves them. ◆ God sent His only Son, Jesus, to be the only Savior of the world. ◆ Sin is choosing my way and disobeying God. ◆ Jesus took the punishment for people's sins. ◆ People who trust Jesus as their Savior and Lord are Christians. ◆ God will forgive people when they ask Him. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ God provided a plan for salvation because He loves me. ◆ Salvation is the beginning of a growing relationship with Jesus that lasts forever. Through salvation, my sin is forgiven and the gift of eternal life with God begins. ◆ The punishment for sin is separation from God. ◆ Jesus died to pay the penalty for all my sins—past, present, and future. ◆ God's salvation is a gift that every person needs and can receive. ◆ When the Holy Spirit convicts me of my sin, I can turn away from my sin (repent) and trust Jesus as my personal Savior. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ God had a plan for salvation before the beginning of time. ◆ Jesus willingly died to provide salvation. Jesus' death and resurrection make salvation possible. ◆ The punishment for sin is eternal death and hell. ◆ People cannot save themselves. Jesus died to pay the penalty for my sins, redeeming and rescuing me from sin and death. ◆ God's salvation is eternal. Nothing can separate Christians from God's love. ◆ A growing relationship with Jesus is important and necessary. A Christian experiences joy when he recognizes God is at work in his life and in the lives of others.