

ISAIAH'S CALL

BIBLE PASSAGE ***(ISAIAH 6)***

Summary: God gave Isaiah a vision of the heavenly temple. Isaiah saw God on His throne, high and lifted up. Angels called, "Holy, holy, holy!" The temple shook, and smoke filled the room. Isaiah realized he was sinful and said his lips were unclean. A seraph touched a coal to his lips, showing he was forgiven. Then God asked whom He could send with His message. Isaiah said, "Here I am! Send me!" God chose Isaiah to be His prophet.

Today's Brite Idea is: God is holy.

MONTHLY Memory Verse

Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised.

(PSALM 145:3)

BIG QUESTION

Who is greater than everything? God!

HE — God is holy.

WE — We all sin.

ME — I sin but can be forgiven.

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LEADER TRAINING: WORDING MATTERS

In preschool classrooms, the way we talk about rules matters more than we often realize.

- **Avoid negative phrasing.** Young kids are still learning language and self-control. Saying "No hitting" or "Don't run" can backfire because their brains often focus on the behavior you're trying to stop. For example, "Don't run" can make a kid think "Run!" instead of "Walk inside."
- **State expectations positively.** Use phrases like "I can use gentle hands and feet" or "I walk inside the space." Positive rules tell kids exactly what to do, giving clear, actionable guidance instead of only limits.
- **Consider child development.** Preschoolers respond better to instructions they can follow because their self-regulation skills are still developing.
- **Reflect God's truth.** Positive phrasing models what is good, kind and right. It helps preschoolers internalize healthy behaviors and creates a classroom environment that reflects both order and grace.

NAVIGATING A BROKEN WORLD: RIGHT AND WRONG

More than half of American adults say the situation someone is in can determine what is right or what is wrong.* Most people in today's world don't view right or wrong as absolute. However, the Bible is clear that God decides what is right and wrong. Preschoolers are still developmentally learning how to distinguish right from wrong. Help them learn about living God's ways and not their own way. Because God is holy, He is the One who determines right and wrong, not people. Through His love, God offered His Son as a Savior to forgive our sins and teaches us what sin is.

PRESCHOOL GLOSSARY:

Holy: set apart, perfect

Vision: a special picture or message shown by God

*For more resources on this topic, check out: britecurriculum.com/resources

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Use the Bible story cards to teach the Bible story or read the script to the kids.

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Say: God gave a man named Isaiah a very special dream. In this dream, Isaiah saw God sitting on a throne in His heavenly temple. God was high and lifted up, and His robe was so big, it filled the whole temple! Wow, that's big!

Say: Isaiah also saw special angels with six wings. Can you help me count to six: One, two, three, four, five, six! The angels worshiped God, saying to each other, **"Holy, holy, holy!"**

Say: When they spoke, the temple shook and it filled with smoke! Let's all wiggle like the temple in Isaiah's special dream.

Allow kids a moment to wiggle.

Say: Then Isaiah became afraid. He thought, "God is here, and I don't deserve to see Him! I've done wrong things, and God is perfect!" Just then, an angel flew to Isaiah with a hot coal and touched his lips. The angel said, "You are forgiven!"

Say: Then God spoke and asked, "Who will tell people My message?" Isaiah said, "Here I am! Send me!" Let's all raise our hands and say, "Here I am!"



POINT TO JESUS

Say: Isaiah knew he had sinned. Sin is anything we think, say or do that disobeys God. All of us sin, but we can be forgiven when we choose to believe in Jesus.

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WRAP-UP:

BIG QUESTION

Say: Now it's time to answer our Big Question. Can you all help me do a drumroll? 1, 2, 3.. drumroll!

Show the Big Question and Answer Teaching Image.

Say: Who is greater than everything? God!



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VERSE VIDEO

Play Memory Verse Motion Video after the verse is read.

MEMORY VERSE MOTIONS:

Help kids recite and retain the memory verse by teaching it with motions. Before you teach the verse, be sure to explain what it means.

- Great *(make a V with your arms)*
- is the LORD, *(point to the sky)*
- and greatly *(bring arms in and extend out to one side)*
- to be praised. *(bring arms in and extend out to the other side)*
- Psalm 145:3 *(open hands like a book)*

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