



MUST KNOW BIBLE STORIES

stories worth exploring

Parachute Story and Quiz

First Level (Session 2)

Story and Quiz

A simple retelling of the story and a game with a parachute to remind the children of what they learned about the Ten Commandments.

Story

Retell the story using a parachute. Practise actions for words. When you say the word they have to do the action.

- **Mountain** – all lift the parachute to make a mountain shape.
- **Ten Commandments** – shake the parachute ten times counting out loud.
- **Moses** – let go of the parachute, spin round quickly and grab the parachute again.
- **Israelites** – peek underneath the parachute and wave to each other saying ‘We’re trying to follow God’

Moses and the **Israelites** were camping at the bottom of the **mountain**. **Moses** went up the **mountain** to talk to God. God said ‘I’m going to give you the rules. If you keep the rules you will be my special people.’ **Moses** went back down the mountain and asked the **Israelites** if they agreed. They said yes. **Moses** went back up the **mountain** and God spoke to everyone. He gave them the **Ten Commandments**. Then God wrote the **Ten Commandments** on tablets of stone and gave them to **Moses**. He came back down the **mountain** and found the **Israelites** weren’t very good at keeping the **Ten Commandments**!

Quiz

Ask yes/no questions about the story. If they think the answer is yes, girls run underneath the parachute and swap places with someone. If they think the answer is no, boys run under the parachute and swap places with someone.

1. Is the story of the 10 Commandments in the Bible? (yes)
2. Did the Israelites love God? (yes)
3. Was the name of their leader Andy? (no – Moses)
4. Did Moses speak to God at the beach? (no – up a mountain)
5. Did God tell the people to keep his rules and then they could be his special people? (yes)
6. Was there cloud and lightning and thunder when God spoke to the Israelites? (yes)
7. Did God give Moses and the Israelites 20 rules? (no)
8. Did God give Moses and the Israelites 10 rules? (yes)
9. Do we call the rules the 33 Commandments? (no – the Ten Commandments)
10. Were the Israelites good at keeping the rules? (no)