

# Jesse Tree

## KIDS' DAILY DEVOTIONAL



### WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THIS POINT IN GOD'S STORY?

We've seen that God had a plan for Jesus from the very beginning of the Bible. He told the snake in the garden that He was coming. And yesterday, when He told Abram that all the families of the earth would be blessed through him, He was talking about Jesus then, too! We also read about how God promised Noah that He would never flood the earth again. And we know that God always keeps his promises!

Today we're reading about a time that God made a promise to someone . . . and He kept it!

### BIBLE READING

Genesis 17:15-17 and Genesis 21: 1-7

### WHAT DO THOSE VERSES TELL US ABOUT GOD?

God knew that Abraham and Sarah wanted very badly to have a child. He promised them one . . . and even though it happened at a much later time than they thought was possible, He kept His promise to them!

He also promised that we'd all be blessed because of that child, who was named Isaac. And we ARE blessed because many, many, MANY years later, Jesus would be one of the children born to Isaac's children's children's children. God can make promises that are so amazing that it can take hundreds of years to for us to see how He chooses to make His promises come true. It can be hard for us to remember that God's timing is not the same as our timing, but His timing is always right!

### PRAYER

Dear God, Thank you for hearing Abraham and Sarah when they asked for a child. Thank you for giving them that child and blessing us through him, too!! In Jesus name, Amen.



