

Music

Song Recommendation: "Give Me Wisdom"

Suggested Lyrics/Paraphrase:

Verse 1:

"King Solomon was wise and kind,
He asked for wisdom, not riches or pride.
God listened to his humble plea,
And gave him wisdom for all to see."

Chorus:

"Give me wisdom, just like Solomon,
To know right from wrong, and where I belong.
Help me to listen, and follow Your way,
Give me wisdom, every day."

Verse 2:

"God's wisdom is a precious gift,
It helps us see and gives us a lift.
Like Solomon, we can ask in prayer,
To make the right choice, everywhere."

Chorus:

"Give me wisdom, just like Solomon,
To know right from wrong, and where I belong.
Help me to listen, and follow Your way,
Give me wisdom, every day."

Suggested Actions:

- Verse actions: Pretend to open a book for wisdom, point to heart for kindness.
- Chorus actions: Point to the sky for wisdom, march in place to show following God's way.

Connection to Lesson:

- Wisdom Request: The song reinforces Solomon's choice to ask for wisdom over wealth and power, emphasizing the importance of wisdom in everyday decisions.
- Prayerful Petition: Encourages students to pray for wisdom, helping them see prayer as a means for guidance.
- Decision-Making: Links to understanding right from wrong, a skill crucial for their growth.

Worship Activity: "Wisdom Seekers"

Materials Needed:

- Construction paper
- Markers
- Optional: Crown cutouts

Activity Steps:

1. Introduction: Begin with a short discussion of 1 Kings 3, focusing on Solomon's dream at Gibeon and his request for wisdom.
2. Craft: Have students create a "Wisdom Crown." On construction paper, students can write or draw what wisdom means to them or how they might use wisdom in their lives.
3. Discussion Questions:
 - Why did Solomon ask for wisdom instead of riches?
 - How can we ask God for wisdom in our lives?
4. Prayer: End the activity with a prayer, asking God for the wisdom to make good choices, mirroring Solomon's request.

Connection to Lesson:

- The activity allows students to personalize the concept of wisdom and understand its importance in everyday life, illustrating how they can apply the lesson from Solomon's story.