

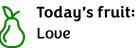
A brave sister



Bible verses: Exodus 2:1-10



Aim: To see how Miriam helped keep Moses safe by being brave



💭 Memory verse

'Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight.'

(Psalm 3:5-6 NIV)

🛱 Start it

Today we are going to hear about a brave big sister and her baby brother.

Play a game of hide and seek or a 'find the hidden object' game. Explain that in today's story there are two children who had to be hidden, but one had to be brave and come out of hiding.



Share a child-friendly version of Exodus 2:1-10 (eg Biblegateway.com *ERV/EASY*) or watch the following clip.

A Baby and a Bush by The Bible App for Kids (stop at 0:48)

Alternatively, you could download this app and use the story in an interactive way using a tablet/iPad.

Sit in a circle and ask the group to share together:

- Have you ever helped look after someone younger than you? What was it like?
- How did it feel looking after them?
- Have you ever done something that made you feel brave? What was it?
- How did you feel before and after doing it?
- Have you ever had to tell a grown-up something important? Was it easy to do?
- How did Miriam help the baby?
- Why was that important?



'I Might be Small' by Allstars Kids Club (2:07)

'Proverbs 3:5' (Topic) by Kids on the Move (1:07)

Song track only – why not make up your own actions as a group!

=⊂∕ Action it

Games and activities to reinforce the Bible passage:

- Make: Make binoculars using tubes or rolled-up card – let's look for ways to show God's love.
- **Play:** Find different things that sink or float in a bowl of water. See if the children can guess first whether it sinks or floats!
- Pray: Ask the group to write their name or draw a picture of themselves on a small piece of paper. Talk about how Moses was kept safe. As they hold their names in their hands (like a basket), thank God for keeping us safe, and for those who help us to stay safe.
- Try: Moses in the river Bible activity by cdn.shopify.com (Pinterest)