David's Slingshot

Game Worker: Game Worker:

Supplies List:

- game board
- back bracing
- 5 slings with balls
- candy bucket
- sign
- chairs

Game Instructions

Child swings a slingshot at Goliath's head and releases the sling. Child gets 5 attempts. They receive 1 piece for every ball successfully put through the hole. If no balls are successfully put through the holes, they receive 3 pieces for trying.

Game Information

This is a slingshot game with the Biblical theme of "David and Goliath". While you most likely won't be able to share the theme with every child, if the opportunity comes up, take advantage! If you get a group of kids, tell the theme to all of them at once, and then continue to play. All these kids need to hear the word of God and to learn that God loves them! Listed below are verses for you to read and memorize, a "how to" present the instructions for the game, and an example conversation you can have with a child to share the theme.

Helpful Verses to Memorize/Read

1 Samuel 17:1-51

Conversation Example

Game Instructions to Child

"Come be like David and defeat the giant, Goliath! You get 5 attempts to hit Goliath in the head."

Sharing God's Word

"God can make a hero out of anyone who trusts in Him. David was 'just' a youth when he defeated Goliath (who was 9 feet tall!) and helped save to his people. Many years later, a descendant of David (JESUS!!), came into the world and was the ultimate hero. If we are willing to follow God, he can make a hero out of us too. You can learn more about how Jesus is the ultimate hero at the Gospel Castle."