

*“And what shall I more say? for the time would fail me to tell of Gedeon, and of Barak, and of Samson, and of Jephthae; of David also, and Samuel, and of the prophets: 33 Who through faith subdued kingdoms, wrought righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, 34 Quenched the violence of fire, escaped the edge of the sword, out of weakness were made strong, waxed valiant in fight, turned to flight the armies of the aliens. 35 Women received their dead raised to life again: and others were tortured, not accepting deliverance; that they might obtain a better resurrection:” (Hebrews 11:32-35)*

### 3. GOD WILL \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 22-23)

*“Then ye shall let your children know, saying, Israel came over this Jordan on dry land. 23 For the LORD your God dried up the waters of Jordan from before you, until ye were passed over, as the LORD your God did to the Red sea, which he dried up from before us, until we were gone over:” (Joshua 4:22-23)*

#### A. God Is the \_\_\_\_\_

*“And God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work:” (2 Corinthians 9:8)*

GOD IS ABLE

GOD MAKES ALL GRACE ABOUND TO US

#### B. We Are \_\_\_\_\_

*“But this I say, He which soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly; and he which soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully. 7 Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity: for God loveth a cheerful giver. 8 And God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work: 9 (As it is written, He hath dispersed abroad; he hath given to the poor: his righteousness remaineth for ever.” (2 Corinthians 9:6-9)*

### CONCLUSION

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*“For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.” (John 3:16)*



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# WHEN THE CHILDREN ASK

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## Text: Joshua 4:6, 19-21

*“That this may be a sign among you, that when your children ask their fathers in time to come, saying, What mean ye by these stones? 19 And the people came up out of Jordan on the tenth day of the first month, and encamped in Gilgal, in the east border of Jericho. 20 And those twelve stones, which they took out of Jordan, did Joshua pitch in Gilgal. 21 And he spake unto the children of Israel, saying, When your children shall ask their fathers in time to come, saying, What mean these stones?” (Joshua 4:6, 19-21)*

### INTRODUCTION

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## 1. GOD IS \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 3:15-17)

### A. The \_\_\_\_\_ of His Power

#### THE THREAT OF THE WATERS

*“And as they that bare the ark were come unto Jordan, and the feet of the priests that bare the ark were dipped in the brim of the water, (for Jordan overfloweth all his banks all the time of harvest – in the spring after the latter rains, and including the snow melt off of Mount Hermon in the north would raise the flood waters.)” (Joshua 3:15)*

#### THE STOPPING OF THE WATERS

*“That the waters which came down from above stood and rose up upon an heap very far from the city Adam, that is beside Zaretan: and those that came down toward the sea of the plain, even the salt sea, failed, and were cut off: and the people passed over right against Jericho. 17 And the priests that bare the ark of the covenant of the Lord stood firm on dry ground in the midst of Jordan, and all the Israelites passed over on dry ground, until all the people were passed clean over Jordan.” (Joshua 3:16-17)*

*“The pillars of heaven tremble and are astonished at his reproof. 12 He divideth the sea with his power, and by his understanding he smiteth through the proud.” (Job 26:11-12)*

### B. The \_\_\_\_\_ of His Power

*“That all the people of the earth might know the hand of the LORD, that it is mighty: that ye might fear the LORD your God for ever.” (Joshua 4:24)*

#### A MESSAGE TO THE WORLD

*“And she said unto the men, I know that the Lord hath given you the land, and that your terror is fallen upon us, and that all the inhabitants of the land faint because of you. 10 For we have heard how the Lord dried up the water of the Red sea for you, when ye came out of Egypt; and what ye did unto the two kings of the Amorites, that were on the other side Jordan, Sihon and Og, whom ye utterly destroyed. 11 And as soon as we had heard these things, our hearts did melt, neither did there remain any more courage in any man, because of you: for the Lord your God, he is God in heaven above, and in earth beneath.” (Joshua 2:9-11)*

#### A MESSAGE THAT GOD’S HAND IS MIGHTY

### LESSONS THE CHILDREN WILL LEARN

1. In Creation (Colossians 1:15-17)
2. In Resurrection (1 Peter 1:3-5)
3. In Salvation and Sanctification (Philippians 1:6)

## 2. GOD IS TO BE \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 19-22)

### A. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the Provision

**Quote:** “What a perfect picture of Christ! He goes before us to open the way; He stands with us until we cross over; and He follows behind to protect us! God kept His Word as His people trusted Him and obeyed Him.”—**Warren Wiersbe**

*“I have been young, and now am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread. 26 He is ever merciful, and lendeth; and his seed is blessed.” (Psalm 37:25-26)*

*“But I have all, and abound: I am full, having received of Epaphroditus the things which were sent from you, an odour of a sweet smell, a sacrifice acceptable, wellpleasing to God. 19 But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus.” (Philippians 4:18-19)*

### B. The \_\_\_\_\_ for Future Generations

#### THE MEMORIAL SET UP

#### THE MEMORIAL EXPLAINED