

## **2009 Camp Lesson Outline for Classes: 4 to 6 year-olds and 7 & 8 year-olds**

**Note:** This outline contains many suggestions of how to develop the title for each lesson. The teacher can choose the ones and / or add others that seem most appropriate for the group being taught. If you do not have time to learn a new verse each day, we suggest as a theme verse to repeat each day: Matt. 7:24.

### **Standing on The Solid Rock**

**The purpose of these lessons is to show the children that in order to please God we must base our lives on the things that He has said in His Word.**

#### **Lesson 1.**

#### **Standing on the solid rock of Jesus and God's Word, the Bible.**

The only way that we can stand without falling is to know and obey what Jesus and God say in the Bible.

**Story:** Wise and foolish men -- Matt. 7:24-27.

**Memory:** Matt. 7:24 "Therefore whoever hears these sayings of Mine, and does them, I will liken him to a wise man who built his house on the rock." NKJ

*Use this verse for the entire week*

**OR** individual verse portions suggested with each lesson.

**Theme song:** with actions, *The Wise man built his house upon a rock...  
The foolish man built his house upon the sand...  
So build your life on the Lord Jesus Christ...*

Another song -- "The B-I-B-L-E" *"...I stand alone on the Word of God..."*

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#### **Lesson 2.**

#### **Standing on the solid rock of God's Plan for Marriage and Family**

God says that His way for marriage is to be between one man and one woman.

**Story:** Jacob Gets Married -- Genesis 29:14 to 30:13,17-24.

#### **Notes:**

Whom you marry may determine whether you remain faithful to God or not.

Christians are to marry Christians -- 1 Cor. 7:39; 2 Cor. 6:14--7:1.

Marriage according to God is one man and one woman -- Gen 2:21-24;  
Matt. 19:4-6.

**Memory:** Matt. 19:5 "A man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife." NKJ

**Project:** Bride and Groom. (on pages 4 and 5 of this outline.)

This is a stand-up cut-out of figures of a modern-day bride and groom, titled *God's Command for Marriage, One Man and One Woman*.

Each student needs a copy mounted on lightweight cardboard.

1. The teacher ahead of time cuts out the bride and groom just inside the broken lines.
  2. Cut out the stands.
  3. To make the stands: fold the stand on the small solid line.
  4. Students paste the tab to the back of the figure at the waist line. Stand them.
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**Lesson 3.****Standing on the solid rock of Talking to God in Prayer**

Talking to God helps us to stand on the solid rock and to do what pleases Him.

**Story:** Jesus praying in the garden before being arrested -- Matt. 26:36-46.

**Notes:** Prayer is talking to God.

Prayer is made up of: praising God, thanking God, and asking God.

Prayer must be according to God's will.

Jesus said, " O My Father, if it is possible, let this cup pass from Me; nevertheless, not as I will, but as You will." verses 39, 42, 44.

God said No. Jesus was crucified according to God's will --

Acts. 2:22-24.

1 John 5:14 "Now this is the confidence that we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us."

Sometimes God answers us with "No" or "Wait".

Sample prayer -- Matt. 6:1-13 -- "your will be done." (verse 10)

Phil. 4:6-8 -- tells the results of standing on the solid rock of prayer.

**Memory:** 1 John 5:14 "Now this is the confidence that we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us." NKJ

**Lesson 4.****Standing on the solid rock of Friendships That Please God**

Choosing the kind of friends that please God helps me to stand on God's solid rock.

**Story:** Rehoboam chose wrongly -- 1 King 12:1-6 or 2 Chron. 10:1-16.

**Notes:**

Choose your friends carefully -- Prov. 12:26.

Friends have either a good or bad influence -- 2 Cor. 6:14--7:1; 1 Cor. 15:33.

Entice to evil -- Deut 13:6,7; Prov. 22:24.

Companion of fools will be destroyed -- Prov. 13:20.

A companion of gluttons shames his father -- Prov. 28:7.

Make no friendship with an angry man -- Prov. 22:24-25.

I am a companion of all who fear God -- Ps. 119:63.

Do not be deceived: "Evil company corrupts good habits -- 1 Cor. 15:33

Our best friend is Jesus if we do what He has commanded--

John 15:14 (Prov. 18:24)

**Memory:** "Choose...friends carefully." Prov. 12:26. NKJ

**Lesson 5.****Standing on the solid rock of Using Money God's Way**

The way we use our money is very important in order to be able to stand on God's solid rock.

**Story:** Rich man and his barns; Luke 12:15-31.

**Notes:**

We are not to depend on material things -- things money can buy.

Seek first the kingdom of God -- Matt. 6:33.

Keep your eyes on things above, not on the earth -- Col. 3:1,2.

Are we serving God or ourselves?

How we use our money is very important to God.

What God says about loving money -- 1 Timothy 6:6-11; 2 Tim. 3:1,2.

Give to poor -- Matt. 19:21;

and have treasure in heaven -- Matt. 6:19-21.

Same as doing it to Jesus -- Matthew 25:37-40.

Support the work of the church; those who preach & lead -- 1 Tim. 5:17,18; 1 Cor. 9.

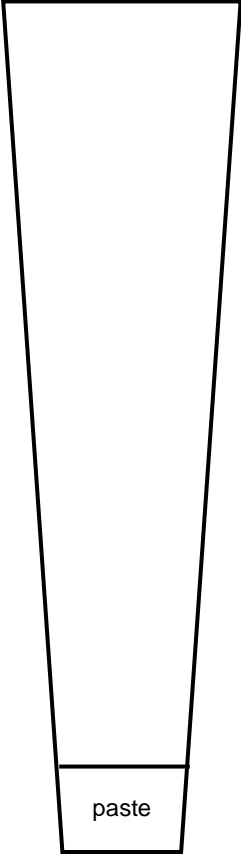
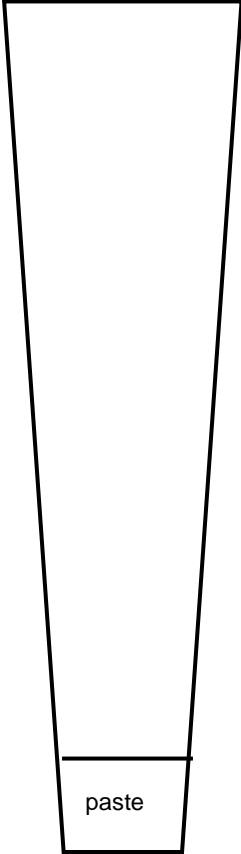
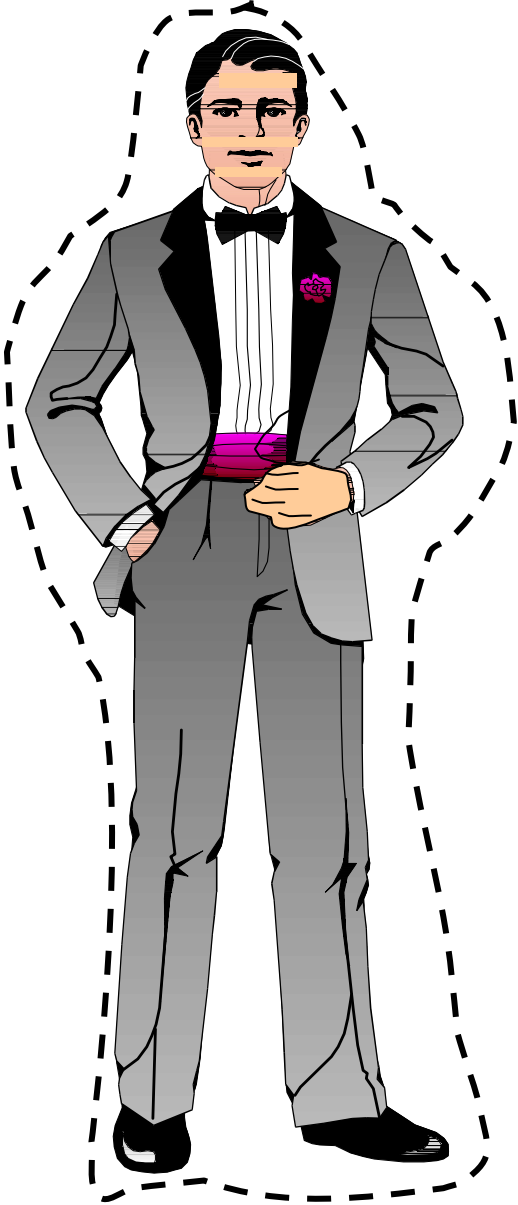
Provide for family -- 1 Tim. 5:3-5; Mark 7:6-13.

**Memory:** 1 Timothy 6:10 "The love of money is a root of all kinds of evil." NKJ

**God's Command for Marriage: *One man and One woman***



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