



WEEK  
**FOUR**  
MAY 2022

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**3-5** YEAR  
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## BIBLE STORY

On day six, God made animals and people.

**ANIMALS & PEOPLE**  
**GENESIS 1:24-31**

## MEMORY VERSE

"God saw everything he had made. And it was very good."

**GENESIS 1:31, NIRV**

## KEY QUESTION

Who made everything?

## BOTTOM LINE

God made everything.

## BASIC TRUTH

God made me.

## LARGE GROUP

ENGAGE CHILDREN'S HEARTS THROUGH A DYNAMIC AND INTERACTIVE WORSHIP, BIBLE STORY, AND PRAYER EXPERIENCE IN A LARGE GROUP SETTING.

## WORSHIP

**WHAT YOU NEED:** Paperclip "Memory Verse Card" in your Bible at Genesis 1:31, NIRV. You need a music player and this month's worship song, "Things I See," which is included in your monthly files. The dance moves video for "Things I See" is available on OrangeKidsMusic.com or in your Media Package if you subscribe. You also need "All Good," which is available on the All Good album on iTunes®, Spotify®, and OrangeKidsMusic.com. The dance moves video for this song is available at OrangeKidsMusic.com.

**WORSHIP LEADER:** "Friends, guess what time it is? WORSHIP TIME! We can give thanks to God because **God made everything. Who made everything?**"

**CHILDREN AND WORSHIP LEADER:** "**God made everything.**"

**WORSHIP LEADER:** "We've been singing an awesome song all month long. Stand up and sing with me.

*Lead children in singing "Things I See," this month's worship song.*

"We can see wonderful things God made EVERYWHERE we look! And today, I'm looking at you, God's best creation ever. I'm SO glad **God made me** and God made you! Because **God made everything. Who made everything?**"

**CHILDREN AND WORSHIP LEADER:** "**God made everything.**"

**WORSHIP LEADER:** "You've got it! The Bible teaches us that 'God saw everything he had made. And it was very good,' Genesis 1:31 Let's say it with the motions together."

**CHILDREN AND WORSHIP LEADER:** "'God (point up) saw everything he had made. (Binocular hands, look around) And it was very good,' (thumbs-up) Genesis 1:31.'" (Open hands like a book.)

**WORSHIP LEADER:** "In the beginning, **God made everything!** Sing this out.

*Lead children in singing "All Good."*

"That was so fun! Thanks for worshipping with me today, friends."



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## INTRO SKETCH

**WHAT YOU NEED:** Prepared box with a hinged lid (like a subscription box), prepared notecard, pen, paper shreds, tape, marker, toy zebra, toy sheep, toy puppy, handheld mirror, and table

*The Host, very excited, enters carrying the "Scavenger Hunt" box.*

**HOST:** "Hello there, friends! I'm [your name], and I'm SOOOOO excited! I just got the coolest gift in the mail! It's from my Aunt KiKi. It's a scavenger hunt box."

*Hold up the box and point out the words.*

"It has all kinds of clues inside! Do you want to help me solve them? Great!"

*Set the box on the table and open the lid. Pull out the notecard.*

"Let's start with the first clue. (reading) My stripes run white and black across my nose and down my back."

*Set down the card and search through the box.*

"Hmmm, what has black and white strips. Aha!"

*Hold up the toy zebra, then set on the table.*

"Shout it out if you know what this is! (Pause.) Yes, a zebra! Let's look at the next clue."

*Pick up the notecard to read clue # 2.*

(reading) "When I am scared, I bleat out loud. My wool is fluffy as a cloud."

*Search through the box.*

"Oooo! What animal looks like a cloud?"

*Hold up the toy sheep, then set on the table.*

"Yes, a sheep! Look how fluffy it is. Baa, baa! Okay, just one more clue."

*Pick up the notecard to read clue # 3.*

"When I am happy, my tail wiggles. If I lick your hand, I'm sure you'll giggle."

*Search through the box.*

"Oh, here it is!"



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*Hold up the toy puppy, then set on the table.*

*"Awww! It's a puppy dog. Arf, arf! This is such a cool scavenger hunt!"*

*Put the card back in the box.*

*"I'm going to keep searching. See you in a little while."*

*The Host exits with the box, leaving the toy animals on the table.*

## BIBLE STORY

**WHAT YOU NEED:** Bible, Toy animals from Intro sketch, large box of additional toy animals, *Optional Story Images*

*The storyteller enters carrying a Bible and box of additional toy animals.*

**STORYTELLER:** "Hello, everyone! It's time to talk about all the wonderful things God made! Remember, **God made everything!** And we can read about the things God made in the Bible. And that means it's all true!"

*Open the Bible to Genesis 1 and lay it on the table.*

"We've learned that God made the fish and birds on day five. (*Hold up five fingers.*) But God wasn't done! (*Hold up six fingers.*) On day six, God made all the . . .

*Pull out each animal from the box and set them on the table, one by one, as you continue.*

"Can you guess? (*Pause.*) You've got it. On day six, God made all the animals!"

*(Option: Display Story Image W4 01)*

"God made giraffes, elephants, penguins, bunnies, cows, snakes, sheep, zebras, sloths, llamas, and so many more. When you look at all the animals God made, you see just how loving and creative God is! But God still wasn't done.

*(Hold up six fingers.)* "Because on day six, God also made His most SPECIAL creation. Everyone, give me a big drumroll on your legs like this. (*Demonstrate.*) On day six, God created . . .

*(Option: Display Story Image W4 02)*

"PEOPLE! God made the first man, named Adam, and the first woman, named Eve. God told Adam and Eve to eat the fruit from the trees in the garden and to watch over all the animals. God saw ALL that He had made and He said, 'That's good!' (*Give two thumbs-up.*) Say that with me."

**CHILDREN AND STORYTELLER:** *(two thumbs-up)* "That's good!"

**STORYTELLER:** "Actually, after God made people, when God looked at ALL that He had made, He said, 'That's VERY good!' (*Give two thumbs-up.*) Say that with me."



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**CHILDREN AND STORYTELLER:** (two thumbs-up) "That's VERY good!"

**STORYTELLER:** "Okay, let's see if we can remember what God made on all the days.

*Hold up the correct number of fingers for each day as you quickly recap.*

"On day one . . .

*(Option: Display Story Image W1 02)*

"God made light and dark. On day two (hold up two fingers) . . .

*(Option: Display Story Image W1 03)*

"God made sky over the water. On day three (hold up three fingers) . . .

*(Option: Display Story Image W2 02)*

"God made land, plants, and sea. And on day four (hold up four fingers) . . .

*(Option: Display Story Image W2 03)*

"God made the sun . . .

*(Option: Display Story Image W2 04)*

". . . and the moon and stars. (Hold up five fingers.) On day five . . .

*(Option: Display Story Image W3 03)*

"God made fish and birds! And on day six . . .

*(Option: Display Story Image W4 01)*

"God made animals . . .

*(Option: Display Story Image W4 02)*

". . . and people! Great job, friends! Let's say that one more time as fast as we can!

Quickly repeat while holding up the right number of fingers for each day.

"Day one, light and dark; day two, sky over water; day three, land, plants, and sea; day four, the sun, moon, and stars; day five, fish and birds; and day six, animals and people! Whew! Way to go! **God made everything.** (Give two thumbs-up.)



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“And it was VERY good! Tell me, **who made everything?**”

**CHILDREN AND STORYTELLER:** “**God made everything!**”

**STORYTELLER:** “You’ve got it! **God made everything**, including wonderful and amazing YOU! I’m so glad that **God made me** and God made you! Let’s pray and thank God for making you and me!”

## PRAYER

**STORYTELLER:** “God, wow, You are unbelievably awesome! Thank You for making so many wonderful animals and so many people. Thank You for making each boy and girl in this room. Thank You for making me! You made people because You LOVE us. And You sent Jesus to be our friend forever. Thanks, God. In Jesus’ name we pray, amen.

“Friends, I’m SO, SO glad that God made you! Thanks for listening.”

*The Storyteller exits with the Bible.*

## OUTRO SKETCH

**WHAT YOU NEED:** Prepared box from Intro Sketch

**HOST:** “Wow! God made all the animals. Then God made His most amazing creation: PEOPLE! We are God’s most awesome creation. I think I got the story. Did you get it? If you did, say, ‘Got it!’ Get it?”

**CHILDREN:** “Got it!”

**HOST:** “Good! I think there might be one more clue.

*Open box and look at the card.*

“The card says I need to empty the box to see God’s most amazing creation!

*Turn box upside down to shake out the paper shreds.*

“It’s a mirror!

*Show audience, then turn back so you look in the mirror.*

“I can see ME in the mirror! So . . . I’m God’s most amazing creation. Wow! And so are YOU! Remember that every time you look in the mirror! See you later, gators!”

*Host exits with the box, waving to the children.*