

FAMILY DEVOTION!

“The Lamb”



“When Your Baaaaack’s Against The Wall, God Will Help Ewe!”



“What is impossible for people is possible with God.”
– Luke 18:27

This week, in our series, “Animal Tales,” we’re learning the powerful lesson Abraham learned when he was faced with an impossible situation! God instructed Abraham to sacrifice his son, Isaac, to Him by killing him with a knife. It was a total shock because Isaac was Abraham’s only son and sacrifices to God were usually made by killing a lamb or sheep. Abraham was obedient, though, and just as he was about to kill his son, God provided a lamb to take Isaac’s place. God will help us face impossible situations.

Read:

Genesis 22

Ask:

- What did God tell Abraham to do?
- Why was this such a big deal?
- Was Abraham obedient? What did he tell Isaac God would do?
- How did God help Abraham and Isaac out in their impossible situation?

Say:

Abraham was faced with a terrible, awful impossible situation! Can you imagine how he felt when God told him to sacrifice his only son, whom he had prayed for for years? Abraham had his back against the wall, but he knew that he could trust God, so he made it up in his mind to obey God and follow through with his instructions. Then, just as he was about to sacrifice his son, God provided a lamb to take Isaac’s place.

Ask/Discuss:

- Have you ever been in an impossible situation? How did you feel?
- When God gives you difficult instructions that don’t seem fair, should you obey them?
- Who has the ability to help you out when you’re facing difficult situations?

Pray:

Pray for your children to always obey God, even when his instructions are hard! Ask if your children are currently facing an impossible situation and, if so, pray that God will help them out of it.