



The walls of Jericho

AT A GLANCE



Bible

Joshua 6:1–20



Topic

God is strong



Takeaway

God can help when we do not know what to do



3 minutes



Object: building blocks for a small wall



Preparation: 5 min



sitting in a circle



Make it personal: In two sentences, share something you have experienced yourself on the topic "God is strong". Real stories stick best.



How the devotion works

½ min

Opening

Build a wall out of building blocks together. Ask: How do you think you could get in?

1 min

Story

The city of Jericho had huge walls. God said to Joshua: "Walk around the city for seven days. On the seventh day blow the trumpets and shout really loudly!" The people did exactly that. And then – crash – the walls fell down! Now knock your wall down together.

1 min

Thought

No person could have knocked down those walls. But God is strong. He helps even when we think: that's impossible!

½ min

Question for all

What do you need God's help with?



The walls of Jericho



Prayer to read aloud

Dear God, you are strong. Thank you for helping me when I do not know what to do. Amen.



For leaders

- Keep it short: little children listen well for three to four minutes.
- Pass the object around – touching it helps understanding.
- Say the prayer line by line and let the children repeat it.



Section: Well-known Bible stories. You will find matching group meetings and more devotions at scouts-cloud.com.