

At-A-Glance: Camp Venture God of Wonders Part 2: Genesis - Joshua Unit 5, Lesson 25

Adam and Eve in the Garden

Lesson Aim: To see God created us for specific relationships with Himself and others.

THE WELCOME – CAMP GAMES

CAMP GAMES: Human Knot

THE WORSHIP – AT THE CAMPFIRE

THE GOD WHO CREATES

Welcome! Today, we gather around the campfire to praise God who created Adam and Eve and placed them in the Garden of Eden. Let's sing and give thanks to the One who made us for friendships with each other and for friendship with Him. Let's give Him thanks for all the friends and family He has given us.

As we collect today's offering, let's praise God for making us and once again ask Him to use this offering to bring the people He has created closer to Him and each other. Sing Unit 5 Bible Memory Verse Song: "I Praise You" while the offering is collected.

Sing songs and worship God. Bless and collect the offering.

Read Psalm 139:14-16.

Perform Bible Barn script or read storybook. Recite Camper's Code.

Today's Camp Critters are the lovebirds. They remind us of Adam and Eve because once lovebirds find their true love, they stay together for life. God made them to be together.

THE WORD & THE WAY - TENT TIME

THE BIBLE STORY

Camp Covenant.

Welcome to Tent Time! Last time, we discovered that on the fifth day, God created sea creatures and birds. What did God create on the sixth day? (Land creatures, creeping things, and people.) Today, we will learn the details of how and why God created the first man and

woman. If you brought your Bible, share it so we can all follow along as we read Genesis 2:15-24.

Open the Camp Cooler and remove the Bible. Hand out spare Bibles. Counselor opens the Bible to Genesis 2:15-24.

Before we read, let's stand and ask God to open our eyes, ears, hearts, and minds to His Word today. Who would like to pray that for us? Camper prays aloud. Be seated.

God placed the first man in the Garden of Eden. The river in the garden separated into the following four rivers: Pishon, Gihon, Tigris, and Euphrates. If a map of the Middle East is available, point out the Tigris and Euphrates rivers that border Mesopotamia. While experts disagree on the exact location of Eden, it is important to note it was an actual place in the Middle East.

As we read the story of God placing Adam and Eve in the garden, think about how God created us for friendships with each other and with Him. Read Genesis 2:15-24.

PEN PAL

Let's see if our secret Pen Pal can help us picture what it was like in the beginning. Remove the Pen Pal Letter from the Camp Cooler. Read the letter aloud.

SHARE A PRAYER

Requests and the Lord's Prayer

FINAL FIVE MINUTES

- CREATION KEEPSAKES: Finger puppet (or smiley face button)
- CHALLENGE: Daily Way OR W³
- LETTERS FROM CAMP
- CREATION MURAL
- BIBLE MEMORY VERSE SONG

GOT TIME?

SNACK: Fruit of the Garden

GAMES: Alphabet Garden, Partner Tag

CRAFT: Special Creation **DISCUSSION:** Creation Care

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE ACTIVITIES: Bible Memory Verse Bop, Bible

Memory Verse Wave