



Session Twenty-Five: God's Creation Was Good

Today's Point:

Everything God makes is good.

Key Passage:

Genesis 1–2:3

Memory Verse:

“God saw that it was good.” Genesis 1:25 CSB KJV

Today's Bible Skills:

- Learn that Genesis is part of the Old Testament
- Practice saying the first five books of the Bible
- Understand that God's creation is good

Bible Truth Activity

Game: Work and Rest Relay

Object of the game: Kids learn the difference between working and resting.

Directions:

Create two actions:

- “Work” = run in place fast
- “Rest” = sit quietly and fold hands

Call out “Work!” and “Rest!” randomly as kids switch actions quickly.

When the game is over say:

God worked by creating the world in six days. On the seventh day, God rested because His work was complete. God gave us an example that rest is important.

Ask:

- Why is rest important?
- What are ways we can spend time with God and rest?

Say:

God finished creation perfectly. Everything He made showed His power and goodness.

Teaching Time

Say:

When God created the world, He looked at what He made and said it was good. God made a beautiful world full of amazing things.

God made bright stars in the sky. He made oceans full of fish. He made tall trees, flowers, mountains, and animals of every kind. God also made people in His image.

Every day of creation showed God's wisdom and power.

Ask:

- What are some beautiful things God created?
- What animals do you enjoy seeing?
- What is your favorite season God created?

Allow responses.

Say:

Sometimes people see broken things in the world and wonder why. Sin entered the world later when Adam and Eve disobeyed God. But when God first created the world, it was perfect and good.

Everything God does is good because God Himself is good.

Ask:

- Why do you think God wanted people to enjoy creation?
- How should we treat the world God created?

Possible answers:

- Take care of animals
- Do not destroy things
- Thank God for creation

Say:

When we see creation, we should remember to thank God. Every flower, sunset, and animal reminds us how wonderful our Creator is.

Bible Verse Activity – Repeat After Me

Read the verse slowly:
“God saw that it was good.”

Have children repeat one phrase at a time.

Then divide room into groups:

- One side says: “God saw”
- Other side says: “that it was good”

Switch sides and repeat several times.

Try different styles:

- Fast
- Slow
- Whisper
- Excited

Encourage memorization.

Bible Skills Activity: First Five Books Hop

Materials:

- Paper squares labeled:

Genesis

Exodus

Leviticus

Numbers

Deuteronomy

Lay papers in order on the floor.

Kids hop from book to book while saying names aloud together.

Repeat multiple times until children grow comfortable saying all five books.

Then ask:

- Which book tells us about creation?
- Which book is first in the Bible?

Allow children to answer together:

“Genesis!”

Extended Teaching Discussion

Say:

God did not accidentally create the world. Everything was made with order and purpose.

God made daytime and nighttime.

God made seasons.

God made plants that grow food.

God made animals with different colors, sizes, and sounds.

Every part of creation shows God's creativity.

Even though people are different from each other, every person is special because God made them.

Ask:

- How should we treat other people if God made them?
- How can we thank God for creation?

Encourage thoughtful answers.

Say:

We can thank God by obeying Him, loving others, and taking care of the world He created.

Closing

Pray together thanking God for His good creation and for making each child special.