

LISTEN – YOUNGER KIDS

LISTENING FOR GODS VOICE IN THE CHAOS

WELCOME: We live in a crazy world filled with tons of distractions. Sometimes our busyness keeps us from hearing Gods voice! Today we are going to focus on listening for Gods “Still Soft Voice”

YOUTUBE PLAYLIST – Check out our YouTube playlist that we built to help you engage with this story!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vU_Erd32JhA&list=PLC4q9g_3-ZgD50fORCuVskdLTVHsWANXg

PRAY: Ask God to help you listen for his voice today!

ACTIVITY: LISTEN COLLAGE – Today we are going to make a fun collage that reminds us to listen to God even when we are distracted!

Materials:

- Glue
- Scissors
- Old Magazines
- Construction Paper
- Marker

- 1.) First, look through your magazines and cut out any pictures or words that represent things in your life. They could be pictures of things you like, activities you do, people you cheer for etc.
- 2.) Make a collage of all of those things on a sheet of construction paper
- 3.) Then, pick out your favorite Bible Verse and write it on another piece of paper.
- 4.) Cut carefully around the verse and then glue it on top of your collage.
- 5.) Now, every time you look at your collage you will remember to focus on God first!

READ: Open your Bibles and read - **1 Kings 19:11-13**

WATCH: As a family watch the video - The Lord Appears to Elijah // Bible Story.

DISCUSS:

- 1.) What distracted Elijah from hearing Gods voice?
- 2.) Why do you think God chose to speak to Elijah in such a quiet way?
- 3.) Show your family your collage... What are things in your life that sometimes keep you from listening for God?
- 4.) What things could you do to “listen” for Gods still, small voice?

WORSHIP: Take some time to worship God together! Listen for God as you sing!

PRAY: Pray as a family that you would listen for God.