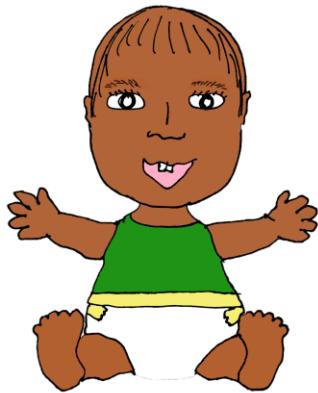


# *Skit for Whole Group*

*Abraham and  
Sarah*

Story:	Abraham and Sarah
Focus:	God is trustworthy and His promises always come true.
Object:	jar with mini toy baby or picture of a baby taped to the bottom, filled with small objects & sign saying "guess how many?"
Intro:	<p>Have you ever had one of these jars at your school or a fair? How do you play the game? Does the person who filled the jar tell you how many are there at the end? Do you trust them to know the real answer? How do you know they know? Who made the earth? Does He know everything that's in it? Does He know what will happen? Is He able to do whatever He wants with it?</p>
Skit (All Ages)	
Volunteers:	Abraham, Sarah
Props	jar (above), toy money, toy animals, toy farm or farm object, baby doll, grey wigs/beard/cane
Start taking items out of jar one by one	I put this jar together, so I know exactly how many pieces are in here. I also know that there is a surprise at the bottom of the jar. Do you believe me? Would I tell you there was a surprise if there wasn't one?
hand money, lamb & farm to Abraham	God had a friend named Abraham and Abraham loved God. God had given Abraham many nice things, like money, people to work for him, and land for his animals.
hold baby doll over Abraham's head	But there was one thing that Abraham really wanted that he didn't have. A son. One day, God promised Abraham he would give him a son.
put wig on Sarah and beard on Abraham	But Abraham was already older than all of your grandfathers. And his wife was even older than all of your grandmothers. How could they have a son when they were so old?
hold up sand jar, grab a pinch, and let it fall back in	God told Abraham that one day he would have more great-great-great grandchildren than there are grains of sand. But still Abraham and Sarah had no children.
hold up star	God told Abraham that one day he would have more great-great-great grandchildren than there are stars in the sky. But still Abraham and Sarah had no children.
Finish removing items one by one and show toy baby at the bottom of jar.	<p>Fortunately, God is the One who made all the people, old and young. He made the stars and the grains of sand and he knows exactly how many of them there are. They had to wait and be patient, but God was able to give Abraham and Sarah the son He promised. A little baby boy they named Isaac.</p>
Fruit of the Spirit: Patience	<p>God has good things planned for our lives. He wants us to trust Him and follow His instructions so He can give us those good things. We need to have patience that God will bless us when it's the right time. We may have to wait a very, very long time, but it will be worth it.</p>



**GUESS  
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# Preschool

# Abraham and Sarah

## Coloring Page:

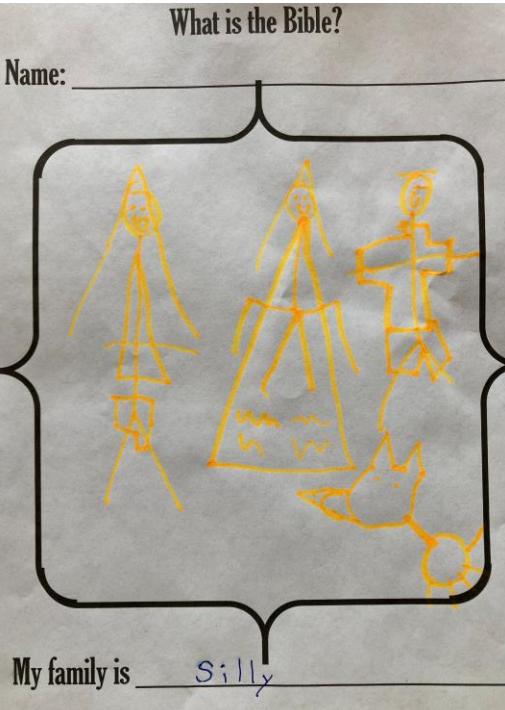


Encourage children to draw their families. Ask them to use a word to describe their families (happy, big, silly, etc.) and write it on the sheet for them.

## Modeling Dough:

Encourage children to make something from the story, like a baby or a star.

## Game:



"Good Days/Bad Days": Have children stand against one wall and you stand at the other end. When you say "Good Day," have them take one step forward. When you say, "Bad Day," have them take one step back. Did it seem like they would never reach the wall at one point? In life there are good and bad days, but God gets us where He wants us to be eventually.

## Song:

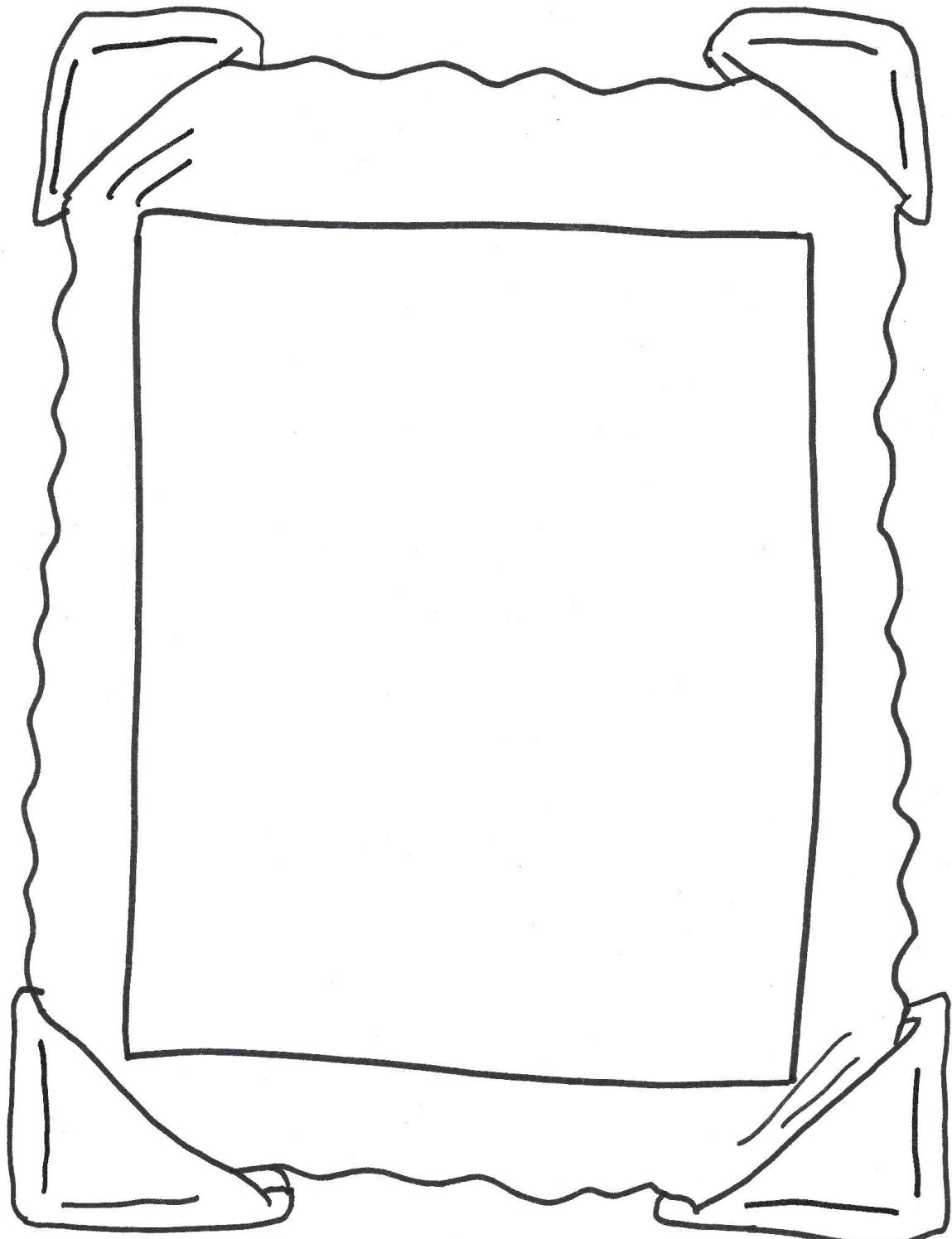
Father Abraham

## Sensory:

Let children put their hands in a tub of sand. Talk about how God promised to give Abraham as many family members as there are grains of sand on the shore. God is so huge He can even count all the grains of sand.

# Abraham and Sarah

Name: \_\_\_\_\_



My family is \_\_\_\_\_

# Father Abraham

Father Abraham had many sons, Many sons had Father Abraham,  
I am one of them and so are you, So, let's just praise the Lord!  
Right arm!



Father Abraham had many sons, Many sons had Father Abraham,  
I am one of them and so are you, So, let's just praise the Lord!  
Right arm, left arm!

Father Abraham had many sons, Many sons had Father Abraham,  
I am one of them and so are you, So, let's just praise the Lord!  
Right arm, left arm, right foot!

Father Abraham had many sons, Many sons had Father Abraham,  
I am one of them and so are you, So, let's just praise the Lord!  
Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot!

Father Abraham had many sons, Many sons had Father Abraham,  
I am one of them and so are you, So, let's just praise the Lord!  
Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot, chin up!

Father Abraham had many sons, Many sons had Father Abraham,  
I am one of them and so are you, So, let's just praise the Lord!  
Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot, chin up, turn around!

Father Abraham had many sons, Many sons had Father Abraham,  
I am one of them and so are you, So, let's just praise the Lord!  
Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot, Chin up, turn around, sit down!