

Baby Moses Basket

Supplies

- Aluminum foil
- Lego people
- Bucket, bowl or tub of water



Directions

Build baskets out of aluminum foil, add a Lego “Moses” and float the baby in a bath tub or bucket full of water.

Option: Find other objects of different weight to place in the baskets to experiment how much weight the basket will hold before it sinks.

Burning Bush

Supplies

- Glass jar or cup
- Vegetable oil
- Water
- Red food coloring
- Alka Seltzer tablets



Directions

Fill the glass container one third of the way with water. Add a few drops of food coloring and mix to turn the water red. Fill the remainder of the container with oil.

Show the glass to the kids. Say: This glass is here to remind us of the burning bush that Moses saw. Seeing a bush on fire wasn't special in itself. What made it special was that God was there, and the bush did not burn up.

Drop an Alka Seltzer tablet into the glass. As the tablet dissolves, it should send bubbles of water floating up into the oil. Say: God used the burning bush to get Moses' attention. God had a special mission for Moses, to free his people from the evil Pharaoh. God knew what was right; Moses was scared, but he put his trust in God. God shows us what is right, even if we don't know.

This experiment is repeatable. As time allows, give kids an opportunity to drop a tablet into the red water to create their own reaction.

The Red Sea

Supplies

- Bottle of blue hair gel (or clear gel with blue coloring added)
- Craft beads
- 1 gallon freezer bag
- Packing tape



Directions

Fill the freezer bag with the gel. Add beads and incorporate into the gel. Seal the bag, removing as much air from the bag as possible. Reinforce the seal with packing tape.

Set the bag on the floor, and demonstrate how to move the “water” around with your hands. Invite kids to give it a try. (Have them keep the bag on the floor and not pick it up.)

Say: Imagine that this is the Red Sea. (Have the kids move the “water” to the two sides, so that the middle is open) It reminds us that God parted the waters of the Red Sea so Moses and the Israelites could walk through. Nothing can stop God.