



Supplies

- Bible
- wipes or paper towels
- hand sanitizer or wipes
- cups or plates
- classroom snacks (1 per child)
- media player
- worship music

Tip

- If you used the Music Video block, consider repeating the songs from today's lesson during the game. You can find the downloadable album [here](#).

Talk About Waiting

Say: **Today we heard that God promised Abraham a son. God kept his promise, but Abraham had to wait patiently for a long time.**

Share about something *you* had to wait a long time for. It may have been waiting for your child to be born, waiting for a big vacation, or waiting for a special friend to come visit.

Ask: • **Tell about a time *you* had to wait a long time for something.** Kids may say they had to wait for Christmas, a special birthday gift to arrive, or a fun outing with their family.

Say: **God is faithful. He always keeps his promises. But sometimes the best time for the promise isn't right away.** Show the Bible.

Say: **The Bible says in the first part of 2 Peter 3:9, "The Lord isn't really being slow about his promise, as some people think. No, he is being patient for your sake." That means God knows what's best for us, even the best *time* for everything.**

Wait for a Snack

Show kids the snack, and say: **We're going to have a yummy snack today, but it's not the best time yet. We'll have to wait patiently like Abraham did. Abraham trusted God and did what God**

said while he waited. God tells *us* to be kind. Let's practice being kind while you wait for me to keep *my* promise. Encourage kids to give some friends hugs or high-fives.

Say: **Our snack is still coming, but it isn't quite time yet. Let's sing a song to help us think about our good and faithful God. He is faithful, even when we have to wait.** Lead kids in singing a worship song together.

Say: **It's almost time for our snack. Let's help get everything ready while we wait patiently.** Encourage kids to use paper towels or wipes to clean off tables. Have them clean their hands with hand sanitizer or wipes. Ask some willing children to pass out plates or cups for serving the snack.

Say: **While Abraham waited for his friend God to keep his promise, he spent time talking to him. Let's talk to *our* friend God and thank him that he is faithful. We can thank him for our snack, too!** Lead kids to pray, thanking God for his faithfulness and for their snack.

Eat a Snack

Put a snack in each child's cup or plate.

While kids are eating, say: **I promised we'd have a yummy snack today. You had to wait patiently, but I was faithful and kept my promise. God always keeps his promises because God is faithful. We can wait patiently for God to keep all his promises, just like Abraham did.**

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