

# Discipleship Talk - Storying

## Choosing your story

### Step by Step

**Step 1: PRAY** Give thanks to God and ask for His guidance in choosing your very first story!

*Open my eyes that I may see  
wonderful things in Your law.*

*Psalm 119:18*

Choose a 4-8 verse story that is a TRUE (not a parable) story where God demonstrates His character and/or His power!

I Kings 17:1-6 - God provides for Elijah  
II Kings 4:1-7 Jar of oil  
Isaiah 6:1-8 - Isaiah's commission  
Mark 1:40-45 Healing of the man with leprosy  
Mark 4:35-41 Jesus calms the storm  
Mark 10:13-16 Jesus and the kids  
Mark 12:41-44 Widow's offering  
Luke 10:38-42 Mary & Martha

**Step 2: Memorize** Tuck His Word in your heart!

- Use the version of Scripture that is familiar to you
- Read it over and over OUT LOUD
- Write it out on index cards leaving blanks - use this to tell story
- Begin to speak it out loud without index cards

**Step 3: SHARE IT** Offer the gift of your story to others!

**Step 4: Expand your "library" of stories**

Exodus 2:1-10 Moses in the reeds  
Exodus 3:1-12 Burning Bush  
Daniel 3:14-30 Furnace of fire  
Daniel 6:16-23 Lion's Den  
Jonah 4:1-11 God's compassion  
Matthew 1:18-25 Arrival of Jesus  
Matthew 26:6-13 A beautiful gift  
Luke 5:1-11 A great catch  
Luke 7:11-17 Raised from the dead  
Luke 19:1-10 Zacchaeus  
John 6:5-14 Feeding a crowd  
John 8:1-11 Accused woman  
John 13:1-17 Jesus' practical demonstration

