

## 1 Kings: God Gives Solomon Wisdom 1 Kings 3; Proverbs 1:1-7; 2



While King Solomon is dreaming, God offers him anything. Solomon needs God's help to lead, so he asks for wisdom. God gives him wisdom, plus riches and a long life! With God's help, Solomon makes a difficult ruling and writes many wise sayings. God knows we need his help, too.

Pray: God, thank you that you know we need your help. Thank you that you can help us with *anything*, in *any* area of our lives. Help us in school, with our families, with our friends, and with our personal requests. In Jesus' name, amen.

*"Your word is a lamp to guide my feet and a light for my path" (Psalm 119:105).*

### Family Together Time

God helped Solomon by giving him wisdom. With God's help, Solomon wrote many wise sayings, called *proverbs*.

- Read a few verses from the book of Proverbs in the Bible. Then write your own family proverbs.
- Include things people in your family often say, such as "You can't always get what you want."
- Share bits of wisdom you've learned from experience, and turn those into proverbs.
- Write each proverb on a separate scrap of paper, and hang your family proverbs around the house.
- Thank God for helping you with wisdom.



### Talk About This...

- Thank someone in your family for something he or she helped you with.