Origin Story — When Our Story with God Begins

DAY 1

Visit the Parent Cue app (available for iOS and Android) to watch this week's Bible story.

Download it for free at parentcue.org/app.

Even if you already saw it at church, feel free to check it out again!

After watching So&So, write one thing that:	
1. You liked:	
2. You learned:	
3. You'd like to know:	

DAY 2

Read Hebrews 11:1

Today, go outside, then go back inside, and look around everywhere inside and outside. What are some things you know are there but can't see? Get a paper and write down a list titled "Things I can't see but know are there." (Need some help? Maybe when the sun is hiding behind some clouds, tiny bugs, etc.)

Now, below it, write down this: "What is faith? Faith is being sure of what we hope for. It is being sure of what we do not see."

Faith is knowing something is going to happen, even if you haven't seen it yet. God is good, and you can trust Him. You can live your life knowing that God keeps His promises.

Just as you see the trees move but don't see the wind making them move. Or you know you are breathing but don't see the air. We can have faith in God, even if we don't see Him with our eyes.

Day 3

Read Hebrews 11:8-12

There is so much to learn about Abraham and Sarah! I mean, what a story, right? Abraham and Sarah moved to a new land, God showed Abraham that a great nation would come from him, and Abraham and Sarah had a baby when they were really, really old! So much happened in their lives. What is the common theme throughout their lives?

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Faith! They didn't see much in front of their eyes...they didn't wait to obey until everything magically appeared before them. They believed, they moved, and they had faith. Do you remember what faith means? Give your answer here. Hint: read Hebrews 11:1

Do you want to have faith? Well, here's an easy way to start. Believe. Just believe. Like Sarah in Hebrews 11:11, "But Sarah believed that the God who made the promise was faithful."

A Devotional About Faith

There's More! -

DAY 4 Read Hebrews 11

Have you heard of the Hall of Fame before? It's a list of people who have done a particular sport, music, or activity really well. Hebrews 11 is often called the Hall of Faith. It is a list of people who had a lot of faith! There are a lot of people, a lot of stories, a lot of steps of faith, a lot of confidence, and trust in God.

Do you know someone in your life who has a lot of faith? Maybe it's a parent, a grandparent, a teacher, a pastor, a best friend, and the list could go on.

Go ask them this question: "Why do you have so much faith?"

I bet they have some stories to share. And it's possible that you will walk away with even more faith than before.

DAY 5 Read 2 Corinthians 5:7

Faith is a verb; it's an action, and it's something you do. Second Corinthians 5:7 says, "We live by believing, not by seeing." We LIVE by believing. We walk by faith, not by sight. Faith is an action. Not just sitting back and doing nothing. Yes, sometimes we have to wait, and that takes a lot of faith! Eventually, we will need to take a step, an action. An active obedience in following the Lord! Look at Hebrews 11 again; there was a lot of action in these people's lives.

"By faith Noah... built an ark." "By faith Abraham... obeyed and went." "By faith Moses ... left Egypt."

At some point, you have to add action to what you believe. What's one step you need to take to add action to your faith this week?

Journal

Spend some time thinking about the question below and journal your thoughts or share them with a parent

What does it look like to trust God?
