A New King INSTRUCTIONS: One of Jesse's sons would become king. Count Jesse's sons and trace the number.





God Chose David to Be King

BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- God told Samuel to go to Bethlehem to choose who would be king after Saul.
- Samuel thought each of Jesse's seven oldest sons would make a fine king.
- God told Samuel that he sees what is on the outside, but God sees what is inside someone's heart.
- God chose David, Jesse's youngest son, to be king.

CHRIST CONNECTION:

God's choice of David to be Israel's next king was surprising. David was the youngest in his family, but God saw David's heart for the Lord. When Jesus came to earth, He seemed like a surprising choice for a king. Jesus is the perfect King who saves us from our sin and reigns forever.

KEY PASSAGE: Ephesians 1:7

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

What is grace? Grace is when God gives us something good even when we do not deserve it.



