

THE OBJECT LESSONS CHANNEL!



God's Plan in a Box!

- Good for Middle Elementary to Middle School ages •

Main Point: God plans wonderful blessings for those who belong to Him.

Presentation Outline:

- Play the Box game, awarding the prize and revealing the invitation from God.
- Discuss the suggested Bible passage(s).
- Hand out pencils and copies of the Blessings Maze.

Objects Required: A box wrapped in tape for kids to tear open. The box holds the Invitation from God (see the next page) plus whatever prize you want the winning player to enjoy. Chocolate bars or even a ten dollar bill always works for us.

The Box Game: Be sure to watch the demo video linked below. In short, kids pass a securely taped box around a circle. Each player gets a five-second countdown to try to rip open the box. Be sure to make the box fairly easy to tear open for younger kids, difficult for older.

Important: Be sure to let the kids know what is the prize inside the box, but don't let on about the invitation. That should be a surprise to read to the entire class.

Bible Passage: Jeremiah 29:11: "I the Lord know the plans I have for you. Plans for good and not for evil, to give you a future full of hope." You can extend learning by adding any or all of Matthew 6:25-34, where Jesus promises that God will take care of those who seek His kingdom and His righteousness.

Activity Page: Let kids work individually on the Blessings Maze. This activity is best suited for Upper Elementary ages, or thereabouts. Encourage kids to work the maze several times to improve their scores. Try it yourself! Discuss as many of the blessings as time permits.

Link to the Object Lesson Demonstration Video: <https://youtu.be/OpdxwoqxghA>

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An Invitation from God!

You and everyone are invited to a
HUGE CELEBRATION in Heaven!

I, God the Father, will be there along with
my Son Jesus and the Holy Spirit. All the
heroes of the Bible are coming as well as
all the millions of angels! And all of us
especially want YOU to be there!

This wonderful party is open to ALL who
call on my name, all those that believe in
my Son Jesus.

See you there, **God**

The BLESSINGS MAZE!

How to Play: There are several blessings shown below, blessings that God has for those who live for Him. Your job is to draw a line that crosses the MOST blessings before leaving the maze. **BUT:** Your line can never cross itself or share an intersection or section of path. Draw a single line that goes through as many blessings as possible from START to FINISH. Try the game several times to see the largest number of blessings you can find. **It is not possible to get them all, but in real life it is!**

