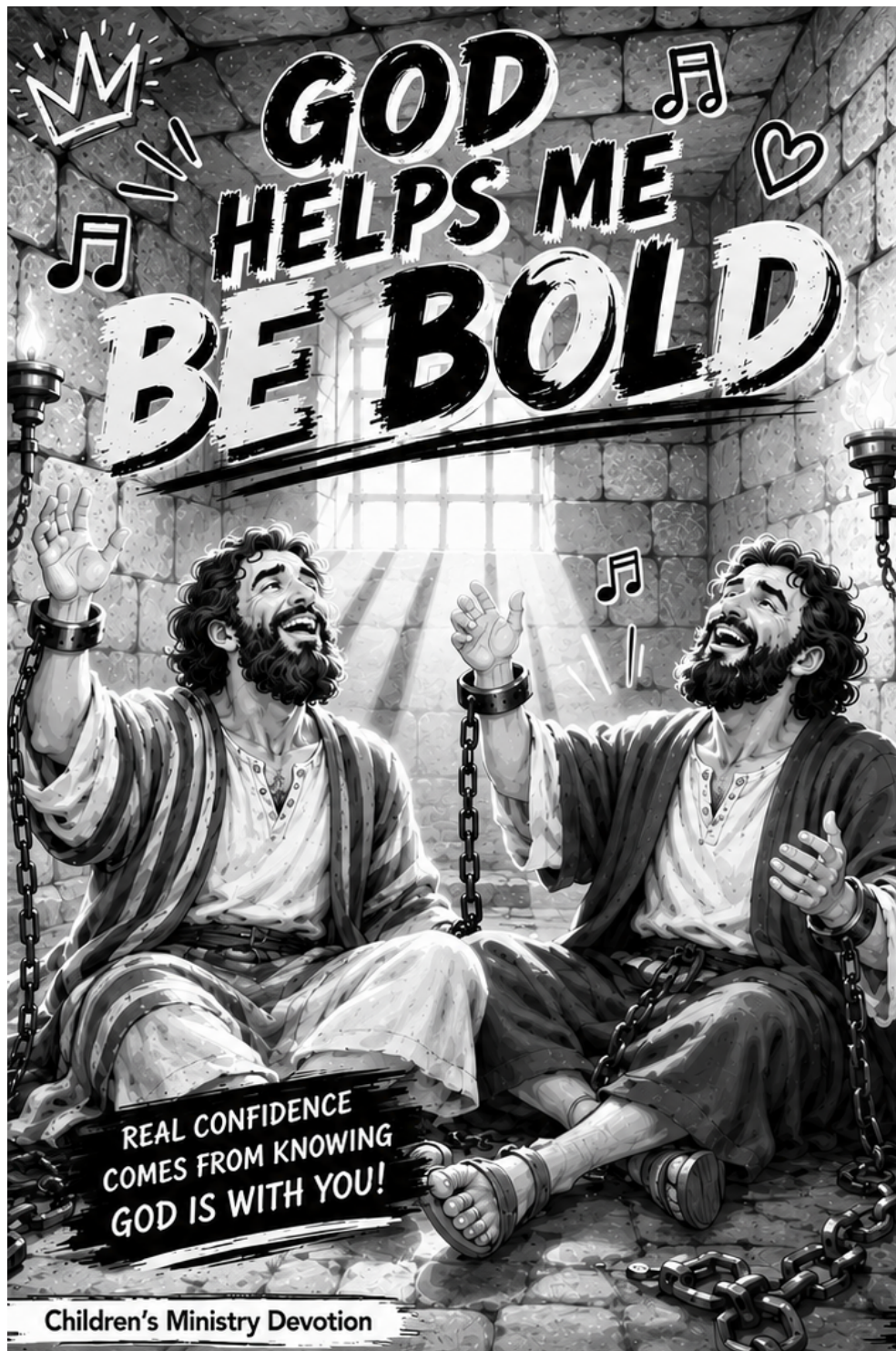




Children's Ministry Devotion

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SCRIPTURE

Hebrews 13:6

"So we say with confidence,
'The Lord is my helper;
I will not be afraid.
What can mere mortals do to me?'"



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OBSERVATION

Being bold doesn't mean we never feel afraid. It means we trust God enough to do what is right, even when it is hard. Our confidence comes from knowing that God is always with us. Paul and Silas were beaten and thrown into prison simply for obeying God and telling others about Jesus. Instead of giving up or complaining, they prayed and sang songs of praise to God. They were confident that God had not abandoned them. God sent an earthquake that opened the prison doors, and because of their bold faith, the jailer and his whole family came to believe in Jesus. Paul and Silas showed that confidence comes from trusting God, not from having an easy life.



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APPLICATION

Sometimes you may feel nervous about standing up for what is right, praying in front of others, inviting a friend to church, or telling someone about Jesus. Remember that God is with you wherever you go. Like Paul and Silas, you can choose courage over fear because your confidence comes from your identity as God's child.

Ask yourself:

- ✓ Is there a situation where I need to be brave for God?
- ✓ What fear do I need to give to God today?
- ✓ How can I show confidence in God this week?



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PRAYER

Dear God,
Thank You for always being with me.
Help me to be brave, even when I feel afraid.
Remind me that my confidence comes from belonging to You and not from my own abilities.
Give me courage like Paul and Silas to trust You, obey You, and stand strong in every situation.
Help me to shine for You wherever I go.
In Jesus' name, Amen.



GOD IS MY HELPER — I WILL NOT BE AFRAID!

≡ GOD HELPS ME BE BOLD ≡

SPIRIT LED – SPIRIT EMPOWERED

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MONDAY

GOD HELPS ME
SPEAK THE TRUTH



SCRIPTURE:
Ephesians 6:19-20

REFLECTION:
God wants us to tell the truth and share His love with others. Sometimes we may be afraid that people will laugh at us or disagree with us. But God gives us the courage to speak with kindness and confidence.

CHALLENGE:
Tell one person today that Jesus loves them, or boldly tell the truth even if it is difficult.

TUESDAY

GOD HELPS ME
STAND FOR WHAT
IS RIGHT



SCRIPTURE:
Joshua 1:9

REFLECTION:
Doing the right thing is not always the easiest choice. God promises to be with us wherever we go, giving us the courage to obey Him. Joshua had the huge responsibility of leading God's people into the Promised Land. He trusted God's promise and courageously obeyed Him.

CHALLENGE:
Choose to do the right thing today, even if your friends choose something different.

WEDNESDAY

GOD HELPS ME TRUST
HIM IN DIFFICULT TIMES



SCRIPTURE:
Psalm 56:3

REFLECTION:
Everyone feels afraid sometimes. Being bold means choosing to trust God instead of letting fear control us. God is bigger than every problem we face. Esther risked her own life by going to the king to save God's people. She trusted God and courageously did what was right.

CHALLENGE:
When you feel worried today, stop and pray before you react. Trust God with your fear.

THURSDAY

GOD HELPS ME
OBEY HIM



SCRIPTURE:
Deuteronomy 31:6

REFLECTION:
Sometimes obeying God means doing something that others don't understand. We can obey with confidence because God is always with us. Noah obeyed God by building the ark, even though people probably laughed at him. His courage came from trusting God's instructions.

CHALLENGE:
Obey your parents, teachers, and God's Word today without complaining.

FRIDAY

GOD GIVES ME COURAGE
EVERY DAY



SCRIPTURE:
Isaiah 41:10

REFLECTION:
God doesn't only give us courage for big moments. He helps us every single day—at school, at home, at church, and with our friends. We can face each day confidently because God is always with us. Timothy was young, but God used him to lead and encourage the church. Paul reminded him not to let anyone look down on him because of his age.

CHALLENGE:
Do one brave thing today that honors God—pray out loud, encourage someone, help a friend, or stand up for what is right. Remember, your confidence comes from God, not from yourself.



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LEAD YOURSELF FIRST. LEAD OTHERS WELL.

PROVERBS 25:28

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