

## 👤 Parent Guide for Preschoolers



### 1. Video Overview

This short animated video tells the Bible story of the walls of Jericho. Preschool-friendly and simple, it highlights how courage, listening to guidance, and working together helps overcome challenges.

### 2. Key Themes & Takeaways

- **Listening & Following Instructions:** Just as the Israelites followed God's instructions to circle the city silently, children learn that following good guidance is important.
- **Teamwork & Cooperation:** All the people marched and bowed together—showing strength when we work together.
- **Faith & Courage:** The Israelites were brave, trusting they would succeed. This encourages kids to approach new things with confidence, even when they seem scary.

### 3. At-Home Activities

- **March Like Jericho:** In a safe space, walk around a "wall" (like a line of toys or chairs) silently with your child. Explore whispering and marching together—then together, shout joyfully!

- **Build a Wall:** Use blocks or boxes to build a small wall, knock it down, and discuss how the Israelites knocked down the wall of Jericho.
- **Story Retelling:** Ask your child to retell what happened—how many times Israelites marched, what they said, how the wall fell. Helps with memory and sequencing.

#### 4. Discussion Prompts



- "Why do you think everyone marched around Jericho quietly instead of loudly at the start?"
- "How did they feel when the walls started to fall?"
- "Have you ever done something scary, like standing alone or trying something new? How did you show courage?"

#### 5. Emotion & Values Check-In

- After watching, validate your child's feelings ("It looked surprising when the walls fell!").
- Connect courage in the story with real-life moments—starting preschool, trying a new activity, or speaking up.

#### 6. Final Tips

- Keep it light and fun—focus on marching, building, and knocking down walls.
- Let your child drive the narrative retell; celebrate their storytelling!
- Encourage bravery in everyday life—just like in the story, big things can come from small, brave steps.