



I can have joy all the time.



MEMORY VERSE

"A joyful heart is good medicine."
Proverbs 17:22, ESV

Bible Story

Feast of Booths

Deuteronomy 16:13-17

God tells His people to have a festival and be joyful for the harvest He has blessed them with.



Morning Time

When you go into your child's room, cuddle them and say: "Good morning, [child's name]! It's time to wake up and eat breakfast! I have joy when I think about how God helps us have food - like yummy [breakfast item]!"



Drive Time

While on the go, look for the sun, water and food. After you find them, talk about how God's people had a festival to celebrate God helping them grow food. God helped them by making the sun shine, the rain fall, and the food grow!



Bath Time

Add toy food items and toy garden tools to bath time. As your child plays, talk about how a long time ago, God's people had a festival after all of the food in their gardens finished growing. They had joy, because God helped their food grow!



Cuddle Time

Cuddle with your child and pray: "God, thank You for all of the ways You help [child's name] and me. You help us by giving us the sun to keep us warm, rain to make food grow, people to love us...You help us in so many ways, and Your help gives us joy! In Jesus' name. Amen."