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What you hold in your hand is an incredible resource, a tool designed to help us effectively partner with parents and lead children into a growing relationship with God.

Contained within the pages of this booklet you'll find:

- a. Important scriptures, such as our memory verse.
- b. Amazing and relevant Bible stories.
- c. Key points that make up the exciting messages planned for this entire series.
- d. A place to stamp for each service attended.

This booklet was created to inform you of exactly what our children's ministry will speak about each service. You'll be able to review with your children the messages covered, and also look ahead as the series unfolds.

So partner with us and help your children learn responsibility by bringing this booklet every service. Each time they visit, we will put a stamp in their book to show that they attended, and also filled out each point of that day's lesson in this book.

As an added incentive, we'll continue to give a special reward to those who have attended each day.



“You Can Fly!”

Want to learn to fly? It's easier than pie! If you take Peter Pan's advice, all you have to do is think of the happiest things. It's the same as having wings!

There's a lot of truth in that. In our Bibles, Paul wrote something very simple: think of a wonderful thought – any merry little thought! He said, “Always think about what is true. Think about what is noble, right and pure. Think about what is lovely and worthy of respect. If anything is excellent or worthy of praise, think about those kinds of things.”

God wants us to keep our minds pure, using our brains to think about only those things He would be pleased with. But sometimes there's a battle, isn't there? Negative thoughts of fear and doubt like to sail into our minds, pillaging our peace and joy. And terrible temptations are blasted in your direction, just like cannon fire! Be on guard, and be ready to fight off those thoughts that want to plunder your minds!

You see, unhappy thoughts bring you down, but when you think on what God is pleased with, you can fly! You have to be one thing or the other, because you can only have room for one feeling at a time. So why not choose to fly?

So, are you ready to take to the air? Focus on our Heavenly Father and be the best you can be. You'll find yourself soaring over many of life's challenges, for to have faith is to have wings. God's perspective is higher, and when you join Him, all those things that used to bother you will now be far, far below – and much smaller too!

So... do you want to fly? Of course you do, and it's easy if you try! Just think a happy little thought, any happy little thought! Whatsoever is true, honest, and just, think on those things. Think about what is noble, right and pure. Think about what is lovely and worthy of respect. If anything is excellent or worthy of praise, think about those kinds of things.



“You Can Fly!”

“Always be joyful because you belong to the Lord. I will say it again. Be joyful! Let everyone know how gentle you are. The Lord is coming soon. Don’t worry about anything. No matter what happens, tell God about everything. Ask and pray, and give thanks to Him. Then God’s peace will watch over your hearts and your minds. He will do this because you belong to Christ Jesus. God’s peace can never be completely understood.

Finally, my brothers and sisters, always think about what is true. Think about what is noble, right and pure. Think about what is lovely and worthy of respect. If anything is excellent or worthy of praise, think about those kinds of things. Do what you have learned or received or heard from me. Follow my example. The God who gives peace will be with you.”
Philippians 4:4-8 NIRV

“But those who trust in the Lord will receive new strength. They will fly as high as eagles. They will run and not get tired. They will walk and not grow weak.” Isaiah 40:31 NIRV

“Give praise to the Lord. He has not let our enemies chew us up. We have escaped like a bird from a hunter’s trap. The trap has been broken, and we have escaped.

Our help comes from the Lord. He is the Maker of heaven and earth.”
Psalm 124:6-8 NIRV

“Nothing will stop me now: Higher still, look at how I can zoom around, way up off the ground – I’m flying!” – Peter Pan



1. Think on these kinds of _____. Think of the happiest things. It's the same as having wings! In our Bibles, Paul wrote something very simple: think of a wonderful thought – any merry little thought! God wants us to trust Him, and be thankful, prayerful, and worshipful.

“Finally, my brothers and sisters, always think about what is true. Think about what is noble, right and pure. Think about what is lovely and worthy of respect. If anything is excellent or worthy of praise, think about those kinds of things.” Philippians 4:8 NIRV

A. FEARS

B. THIMBLES

C. THINGS

2. Don't let pirates steal your _____. Avast! Negative thoughts of fear and doubt like to sail into our minds, pillaging our peace and joy. And terrible temptations are blasted in your direction, just like cannon fire! Be on guard, and be ready to fight off those thoughts that want to plunder your minds!

“Lord, you will give perfect peace to those who commit themselves to be faithful to you. That's because they trust in you.” Isaiah 26:3 NIRV

A. PEACE

B. TREASURE

C. PIXIE DUST

3. You can _____! Focus on our Heavenly Father and be the best you can be. You'll find yourself soaring over many of life's challenges, for to have faith is to have wings. God's perspective is higher, and when you join Him, all those things that used to bother you will now be far, far below – and much smaller too!

“Give praise to the Lord. He has not let our enemies chew us up. We have escaped like a bird from a hunter's trap. The trap has been broken, and we have escaped. Our help comes from the Lord. He is the Maker of heaven and earth.” Psalm 124:6-8 NIRV

A. FLY

B. RUN

C. FIGHT



Memory Verse:

“Finally, my brothers and sisters, always think about what is true. Think about what is noble, right and pure. Think about what is lovely and worthy of respect. If anything is excellent or worthy of praise, think about those kinds of things.” Philippians 4:8 NIRV

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“Beware the Hook”

You’ll have to fly, have to fight, have to crow... Hook is back! In the stories of Neverland, the villain sailing in is the legendary Captain James Hook. He’s a dark and sinister man, always scheming against our heroes. One of his dastardly plans seems harmless on the surface: why not tempt the Lost Boys into joining his crew?

“You’ll love the life of a thief. You’ll relish the life of a crook. There’s barrels of fun for everyone, and you’ll get treasures by the ton. So come and sign the book. Join us with Captain Hook!”

It’s a tempting offer, for sure. But all of this has happened before. And it will all happen again. In our lives we’ll face a temptation to do things we know God isn’t pleased with. It’s a pull to do the wrong thing, one that comes from an all too real enemy.

That villain wants more new recruits. And from time to time, sure enough we all want to be like a pirate. There’s a temptation for all of us to become rogues and scoundrels, making seriously bad choices in life.

But you’d better watch out for the hook. Doing things you know are wrong might seem fun at first, and there might not be any sign of trouble on the horizon. But sin always, always, always has a price! There are real consequences to each thing we do.

The best strategy is to follow Wendy’s example: jump. Despite all the peer pressure and screaming of those all around, and despite the sweet call of Captain Hook’s voice, she made the best choice: She walked the plank.

Those who know the story know what happens next: No splash! Someone was there to catch her! And if you flee from sin, you won’t have to worry either. Just jump away from a sinful lifestyle as soon as you can. Don’t worry, Jesus will catch you!

In the end, and every time, the villains and scoundrels always are the losers. Trust us, that’s not something you want to be. Sin may seem tempting at first, but you must always look out for the Hook!



“Beware the Hook”

“A special offer for today, I’ll tell you what I’ll do. All those who sign without delay will get a free tattoo. Why, it’s like money in the bank! Come on! Join up and I’ll be frank: unless you do, you’ll walk the plank! The choice is up to you!” – Captain Hook

“Above everything else, guard your heart. Everything you do comes from it.” Proverbs 4:23 NIRV

“I am warning you, brothers and sisters, to watch out for those who try to keep you from staying together. They want to trip you up. They teach you things opposite to what you have learned. Stay away from them.” Romans 16:17 NIRV

“Don’t let anyone fool you. ‘Bad companions make a good person bad.’” 1 Corinthians 15:33 NIRV

“So I say, live by the Holy Spirit’s power. Then you will not do what your desires controlled by sin want you to do.” Galatians 5:16 NIRV

“Yes, you made a boo-boo.” – Captain Hook

“Dark and sinister man, have at thee!” – Peter Pan



1. That villain wants more new _____. From time to time, we all want to be like a pirate! There's a temptation for all of us to become rogues and scoundrels, making seriously bad choices in life.

"Watch and pray. Then you won't fall into sin when you are tempted. The spirit is willing, but the body is weak." Matthew 26:41 NIRV

A. RECRUITS

B. PRAYER

C. CHOICES

2. Watch out for the _____. It might seem fun at first, and there might not be any sign of trouble on the horizon. But sin always, always, always has a price! There are real consequences to each thing we do.

"When you sin, the pay you get is death. But God gives you the gift of eternal life. That's because of what Christ Jesus our Lord has done."

Romans 6:23 NIRV

A. CROCODILE

B. HORIZON

C. HOOK

3. _____ will catch you. The best plan is to walk the plank! Jump away from a sinful lifestyle as soon as you can. Don't worry, there'll be no splash. Jesus will catch you!

"Say no to every kind of evil." 1 Thessalonians 5:22 NIRV

A. SIN

B. JESUS

C. TIME



Memory Verse:

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“What’s Your Talent?”

In Pixie Hollow, all the fairies are known for their own unique talent. There are animal talents, water talents, light talents, garden talents and tinkering talents too. And that’s just to name a few! Each fairy is created with a specific ability that can help everyone in the Home Tree. Look to the *Jolly Roger*, and you’ll see pirates each doing their job to keep their ship afloat. And at Hangman’s Tree, the Lost Boys are busy defending their home – or gathering up invisible food!

We’re not that far from Neverland. God has created all of us uniquely, giving each of us different – but very important – talents to help change the world. That’s right, you have a glowing gift that’s stirring inside you, something special – the only one of its kind!

But how do you use it? Time and again, the fairies of Pixie Hollow endure, and it’s only because they work together. It’s no different here with the church. The very reason we’ve been given our gifts is to help and serve one another. Some fairies are a bit too proud about their giftings, like Vidia. Others are more humble though, and that’s the way we ought to be. In our Bibles, Paul said, “be reasonable when you think about yourself.” You’re important, but so is everyone else, and only when we work together!

So are you ready to use your gifts to help the world? Don’t waste your talent. Don’t bury it, and don’t sit there doing nothing! Just as with Tinkerbell, it may take some time to find what your gifts actually are. But there’s fun in the discovery! Just keep trying new things and new ways to help and serve. You’ll find your calling soon enough. Until then, the important thing is to get out there, and get busy serving.

We’ve all been given a gift, and that came from God Himself. So don’t misuse it or get too prideful about it. And whatever you do, don’t bury it. Our Heavenly Father wants you to use your talents!



“What’s Your Talent?”

“God’s grace has been given to me. So here is what I say to every one of you. Don’t think of yourself more highly than you should. Be reasonable when you think about yourself. Keep in mind the faith God has given to each of you. Each of us has one body with many parts. And the parts do not all have the same purpose. So also we are many persons. But in Christ we are one body. And each part of the body belongs to all the other parts. We all have gifts. They differ according to the grace God has given to each of us. Do you have the gift of prophecy? Then use it according to the faith you have. If your gift is serving, then serve. If it is teaching, then teach. Is it encouraging others? Then encourage them. Is it giving to others? Then give freely. Is it being a leader? Then work hard at it. Is it showing mercy? Then do it cheerfully.” Romans 12:3-8 NIRV

“The most important thing for any fairy is your talent.” - Vidia



1. Everyone has a _____. Everyone has a special job to do, whether they're pirates on board the Jolly Roger, Lost Boys at Hangman's Tree, or the fairies of Pixie Hollow. In the same way, God has created all of us uniquely, giving each of us different – but very important – talents to help change the world.

"We all have gifts. They differ according to the grace God has given to each of us." Romans 12:6 NIRV

A. GIFT

B. CHALLENGE

C. WEAPON

2. We are part of the _____. The very reason we've been given our gifts is to help one another, and the church. So as Paul said, "be reasonable when you think about yourself." You're important, but so is everyone else, and only when we work together.

"So also we are many persons. But in Christ we are one body. And each part of the body belongs to all the other parts." Romans 12:5 NIRV

A. GIFT

B. BODY

C. PROBLEM

3. Don't waste your _____. Don't bury it, and don't sit there doing nothing! It may take some time to find your gifting, but there's fun in the discovery! Just keep trying new things and new ways to help and serve. You'll find your calling soon enough, and you'll be like the Home Tree, producing good fruit!

"You can tell each tree by the kind of fruit it bears." Luke 6:44 NIRV

A. LOVE

B. PIXIE DUST

C. TALENT



Memory Verse:

“There are different kinds of gifts. But they are all given to believers by the same Spirit. There are different ways to serve. But they all come from the same Lord.” 1 Corinthians 12:4-5 NIRV

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“Find the Lost”

Hidden on Neverland is the secret hideout of a legendary gang known as the Lost Boys. Have you heard of them? Don't tell Hook, but right around Hangman's Tree, you'll find these adventurous youths. They're crazy characters with names like Nibbs, Slightly, the Twins, Curly, Tootles, Thud, Pockets, Ace, and Rufio. They live by their own rules, have lots of pretend battles, eat imaginary food, and shout “Bangarang!”

Yes, these are the things the Lost Boys do. They seem to have it all together. But the truth is that there's one thing they desperately want: to hear a story from a real mother.

Far from Neverland, we too know of some who are lost. They're all around us, and they're just like the Lost Boys: they might think they've got it all together, but there are two things they are desperate for.

The first thing is a story. Wendy was so good at telling stories that Peter Pan traveled all the way to London to hear them. The Lost Boys lined up for story time, and even the pirates on their ship the *Jolly Roger* wanted to hear a story. You too have a story to tell, and it's easily the greatest story ever told: it's the story of Jesus and the indescribable love of God. It's so incredibly important to share!

The second thing that the lost want is to be adopted. The Lost Boys wanted to be part of a family more than anything. But even more than that, God wants to adopt all of us into His family. He doesn't want anyone to perish. He wants all the lost boys and lost girls to be a part of His family, where they can live happily ever after.

In order to do that, we must first find the lost. Reach out and tell them the story, the most wonderful story ever told. Let them know they can be adopted into a family of love. What was lost can now be found, and a new adventure is just getting started!



“Find the Lost”

“The tax collectors and sinners were all gathering around to hear Jesus. But the Pharisees and the teachers of the law were whispering among themselves. They said, “This man welcomes sinners and eats with them.”

Then Jesus told them a story. He said, “Suppose one of you has 100 sheep and loses one of them. Won’t he leave the 99 in the open country? Won’t he go and look for the one lost sheep until he finds it? When he finds it, he will joyfully put it on his shoulders and go home. Then he will call his friends and neighbors together. He will say, ‘Be joyful with me. I have found my lost sheep.’ I tell you, it will be the same in heaven. There will be great joy when one sinner turns away from sin. Yes, there will be more joy than for 99 godly people who do not need to turn away from their sins.” Luke 15:1-7 NIRV

Twin: “Do you tell stories?”

Wendy: “Yes.”

Curly: “Then you’re perfect.”



1. Find the _____. Once you arrive in Neverland, you've got to find the Lost Boys. They're an unruly group that live on their own, and by their own rules. Like them, those who are lost may think they've got it all together. But inside, they're missing something. And it's something really wonderful.

"My people have been like lost sheep. Their shepherds have led them astray. They have caused them to wander in the mountains. They have wandered over mountains and hills. They have forgotten that I am their true resting place." Jeremiah 50:6 NIRV

A. COMPASS

B. SWORD

C. LOST

2. They just want to hear a _____. Peter Pan, Lost Boys and Pirates all have one thing in common: they want to hear a story. You've got a story to tell, and it's quite simply the greatest story ever told.

"Starting from the beginning, Peter told them the whole story."

Acts 11:4 NIRV

A. STORY

B. SPLASH

C. BANGARANG

3. Every single one can be _____. Our Heavenly Father doesn't want that anyone perish. He wants all the lost boys and girls to be adopted into His family, where they can have a happily ever after.

"So He decided long ago to adopt us. He adopted us as His children with all the rights children have. He did it because of what Jesus Christ has done. It pleased God to do it." Ephesians 1:5 NIRV

A. LOST

B. SLIGHTY

C. ADOPTED



Memory Verse:

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“God Chose You”

In the movie “Hook,” Peter Banning is told these words: “You’ve forgotten who you are.” This is especially hard to hear after his life has been turned upside down. He had no idea that he was really Peter Pan! No longer able to fly or crow, he feels powerless. As a result, he allows the enemy to walk all over his life.

Does that sound like you? It can happen. Some time ago, another Peter was struggling with who he was. Jesus had called him a rock, but Peter had run away from all that. And now he’d been gone for too long. Peter found out the hard way, as we do, that sin and distractions in life can keep us away from our real purpose in life.

In the movie “Hook,” Peter had to throw away the cell phone, and his focus on getting more money. He had to return to the place where he was reminded of his true potential, and what really mattered. And in our Bibles, Peter made a leap of faith right out of his boat, leaving it all behind to chase after Jesus. That’s where he found grace, forgiveness, purpose, and a new sense of confidence.

Like Peter, we should never be away for too long. Throw off those hindrances, and leave it all behind. Return to the Bible, to prayer, to worship, and that place of wonder in your life. You’ll find purpose, and a fearless courage, just like Peter.

When that happens, someone’s about to eat crow. Peter Pan is famous for his crow, which is a confident shout-out that taunts his enemies, and lets them know they’re about to lose! In our Bibles, to begin with, the only crow Peter heard was from the devil, reminding him of his past failures. But that didn’t last for long. Throughout the book of Acts, Peter was the one crowing!

And you can too, because greater is He that is in you than he that is in the world. Remember who you are, and throw off those things that keep you from God’s remarkable plans for your life. You can soar when you remember to love one another, and help rescue others from the hook of sin and death. You’re more than a conqueror, so let your purpose take flight, and let out a crow!



“God Chose You”

Captain Hook: “You’re Peter?”

Peter Banning: “Yes.”

Captain Hook: “No.”

Peter Banning: “Yes.”

Captain Hook: “You’re Peter?”

Peter Banning: “Yes. Is there an echo in here? Yes.”

Captain Hook: “My great and worthy opponent?”

Peter Banning: “Yes.”

Captain Hook: “No! Smee, who is this imposter?”

The servant saw him there. She said again to those standing around, “This fellow is one of them.” Again he said he was not.

After a little while, those standing nearby said to Peter, “You must be one of them. You are from Galilee.”

Then Peter began to curse. He said to them, “I don’t know this man you’re talking about!”

Right away the rooster crowed the second time. Then Peter remembered what Jesus had spoken to him. “The rooster will crow twice,” he had said. “Before it does, you will say three times that you don’t know me.” Peter broke down and cried. Mark 14:69-72 NIRV

Early in the morning, Jesus stood on the shore. But the disciples did not realize that it was Jesus.

He called out to them, “Friends, don’t you have any fish?”

“No,” they answered.

He said, “Throw your net on the right side of the boat. There you will find some fish.” When they did, they could not pull the net into the boat. There were too many fish in it.

Then the disciple Jesus loved said to Simon Peter, “It is the Lord!” As soon as Peter heard that, he put his coat on. He had taken it off earlier. Then he jumped into the water. John 21:4-7 NIRV

“Then Peter stood up with the 11 apostles. In a loud voice, he spoke to the crowd.” Acts 2:14 NIRV

“How can I hide it when deep down inside it just tickles me so, that’ I’ve gotta let go and crow!” – Peter Pan



1. _____ **who you are.** Time and again in the movie “Hook,” Peter is told these words, “You’ve forgotten who you are!” He feels powerless, and as a result allows the enemy to walk all over his life. Does that sound like you? Don’t let it. Remember who you are!

“But God chose you to be His people. You are royal priests. You are a holy nation. You are God’s special treasure. You are all these things so that you can give Him praise. God brought you out of darkness into His wonderful light.” 1 Peter 2:9 NIRV

A. ANNOUNCE

B. REMEMBER

C. FORGET

2. **Don’t be _____ for too long.** Perhaps he’s forgotten because he’s away for too long. Distractions in life can keep us from focusing on our real purpose in life. Peter had to throw away the cell phone, and return to the place where he was reminded of his true potential. Throw off those hindrances, and return to the Bible, to prayer, to worship, and that place of wonder in your life.

“A huge cloud of witnesses is all around us. So let us throw off everything that stands in our way. Let us throw off any sin that holds on to us so tightly. And let us keep on running the race marked out for us.”

Hebrews 12:1 NIRV

A. AWAY

B. FLYING

C. HINDERING

3. **Someone’s about to eat _____.** Peter is famous for his crow, a confident shout-out that taunts his enemies, and lets them know they’re about to lose! Your purpose is simple: to love one another, and help rescue others from the hook of sin and death. You’re more than a conqueror, so let your purpose take flight, and let out a crow!

“In the fear of the Lord there is strong confidence, and His children will have a place of refuge.” Proverbs 14:26 NKJV

A. CODFISH

B. HEALTHY

C. CROW



Memory Verse:

“But God chose you to be His people. You are royal priests. You are a holy nation. You are God’s special treasure. You are all these things so that you can give Him praise. God brought you out of darkness into His wonderful light.” 1 Peter 2:9 NIRV

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“TICK-TOCK”

Never smile at a crocodile; no you can't get friendly with a crocodile. Don't be taken in by his welcome grin! In the realm of Neverland, if you hear the ticking of a clock, you'd best be careful: it could be the one that's still inside a very large crocodile!

Captain Hook never smiles at that crocodile. That's because it's always after him! Villains and scoundrels can flee all they want, but Tick-Tock... time will catch up with all of us. But the wonderful news is you don't have to be afraid of that clock ticking down. There are two easy things to do, and you'll be flying free!

Firstly, don't give sin a hand. Once that crocodile got a taste of Hook, he's been after him ever since. You don't want to be a codfish! If you're doing things that don't please God, you're making yourself a moving target for judgment, and the consequences of sin.

But even though we all have sinned, there's a simple way to stay out of trouble. Yes, you can escape the jaws of death! Have you ever noticed how the crocodile only follows Captain Hook? It's true! There's a grace that seems to protect many others in Neverland.

And there's a grace that protects you from judgment as well. It's a wonderful place of safety, and it's easy to get to: just ask forgiveness, believe and accept Jesus into your heart. His grace is amazing, his forgiveness unimaginable, and his love so wonderful!

In fact, you can smile at this crocodile. Thanks to Jesus, Tick-Tock doesn't have the bite he used to!



“TICK-TOCK”

“God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son. Anyone who believes in Him will not die but will have eternal life. God did not send His Son into the world to judge the world. He sent His Son to save the world through Him. Anyone who believes in Him is not judged. But anyone who does not believe is judged already. They have not believed in the name of God’s one and only Son. Here is the judgment. Light has come into the world, but people loved darkness instead of light. They loved darkness because what they did was evil. Everyone who does evil deeds hates the light. They will not come into the light. They are afraid that what they do will be seen. But anyone who lives by the truth comes into the light. They live by the truth with God’s help. They come into the light so that it will be easy to see their good deeds.” John 3:16-21 NIRV

“That cursed beast liked the taste of me so well he’s followed me ever since, licking his chops for the rest of me.” – Captain Hook



1. It's just a matter of _____. A clock inside the biggest crocodile in Neverland still ticks away, letting everyone know it's nearby. Captain Hook never smiles at that crocodile. That's because it's always after him! Villains and scoundrels can flee all they want, but Tick-Tock... time will catch up with all of us, and everything that follows.

"God will judge everything people do. That includes everything they try to hide. He'll judge everything, whether it's good or evil."

Ecclesiastes 12:14 NIRV

A. PRIDE

B. TIME

C. FACT

2. Don't be a _____! Once that crocodile got a taste of Hook, he's been after him ever since. And once we sin and do things that don't please God, judgment starts following us. Tick-tock...

"What benefit did you gain from doing the things you are now ashamed of? Those things lead to death!" Romans 6:21 NIRV

A. NANNY

B. CODFISH

C. LOST BOY

3. Escape the jaws of _____. Ever notice how the crocodile only follows Captain Hook? There's a grace that seems to protect everyone else in Neverland. And there's a grace that protects you from judgment as well. Ask forgiveness, believe and accept Jesus into your heart, and you too can escape the jaws of death!

"Anyone who believes in the Son has eternal life. Anyone who does not believe in the Son will not have life." John 3:36 NIRV

A. DEATH

B. HOPE

C. FEAR



Memory Verse:

“For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.”

John 3:16 NIRV

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“Follow the Leader”

God told Abraham to look at the dust. Dust? Dust! God said that He would take Abraham to this new land, and make his descendants more numerous than dust! Can you picture Abraham imagining all of the merry little thoughts of a wonderful future? Can you picture him happily trying to count each piece of dust?

This happiness can happen for you too. All you need is a little faith, trust – and no, not dust. You need the Holy Ghost!

First, let's talk about faith. That requires a bit of imagination and a bit of dreaming. Neverland is a place of imagination, picturing things before you actually see them. For Wendy, John and Michael, it was a mermaid lagoon, a pirate cave, and an Indian brave. For the Lost Boys, it was a magnificent feast! You see, faith is the substance of things not seen, of things hoped for. God has a dream for you, something beyond your imagination. So despite all you see around you, keep your faith in the One who can make the most wonderful thoughts come true.

Trust comes next. Certainly there will be challenges along the way. Abraham faced them, and we'll have our adventures too. When trouble comes, the best thing to do is have trust, and let God lead the way.

In Neverland, John, Michael and the Lost Boys played a wonderful game of Follow the Leader, wherever he may go. And that's just how it works with our Heavenly Father. Sometimes it seems as if our lives are being led in a direction we don't understand. Abraham experienced this first-hand on several occasions, especially on one difficult journey with his son Isaac. During those times, don't depend on your own understanding. Just trust the Lord with all your heart, and He will guide you to a place unlike any other.

All you need is faith and trust! Oh, and there's something I forgot. The Holy Ghost! He's far better than pixie dust, that amazing stardust that enables Wendy, John and Michael to fly. The Holy Ghost is a guide, a Protector, and a Source of Power that gives us strength to make it to that special place God wants to take us to.

For Abraham, that was a breathtaking land where he would become the Father of many nations. And for us, it is that hope and future that God has for all of us. So don't quit believing, because you can make it there too. All it takes is faith, trust, and the Holy Ghost!



“Follow the Leader”

So Abram said to Lot, “Let’s not argue with each other. The people taking care of your herds and those taking care of mine shouldn’t argue with one another either. After all, we’re part of the same family. Isn’t the whole land in front of you? Let’s separate. If you go to the left, I’ll go to the right. If you go to the right, I’ll go to the left.”

Lot looked around. He saw that the whole Jordan River valley toward the town of Zoar had plenty of water. It was like the garden of the Lord, like the land of Egypt. This was before the Lord destroyed Sodom and Gomorrah. So Lot chose the whole Jordan River valley for himself. Then he started out toward the east. The two men separated. Abram lived in the land of Canaan. Lot lived among the cities of the Jordan River valley. He set up his tents near Sodom. The people of Sodom were evil. They were sinning greatly against the Lord.

The Lord spoke to Abram after Lot had left him. He said, “Look around from where you are. Look north and south, east and west. I will give you all the land you see. I will give it forever to you and your family who comes after you. I will make them like the dust of the earth. Can dust be counted? If it can, then your family can be counted. Go! Walk through the land. See how long and wide it is. I am giving it to you.”

So Abram went to live near the large trees of Mamre at Hebron. There he pitched his tents and built an altar to honor the Lord.

Genesis 13:8-18 NIRV

Wendy: “My unfulfilled ambition is to write a great novel in three parts about my adventures.”

Aunt Millicent: “What adventures?”

Wendy: “I’ve yet to have them, but they will be perfectly thrilling.”

Captain Hook: “If I were you, I’d give up!”

Peter Pan: “If I were you, I’d be ugly!”



1. All you need is _____... Neverland is a place of imagination, picturing things before you actually see them. For Wendy, John and Michael, it was a mermaid lagoon, a pirate cave, and an Indian brave. For the Lost Boys, it was a magnificent feast! Faith is the substance of things not seen, of things hoped for. Despite all you see around you, keep your faith in the One who can make the most wonderful thoughts come true. *"Faith is being sure of what we hope for. It is being sure of what we do not see." Hebrews 11:1 NIRV*

A. COURAGE

B. LOVE

C. FAITH

2. ...and _____... John, Michael and the Lost Boys played a wonderful game of Follow the Leader, wherever he may go. And that's just how it works with our Heavenly Father. Sometimes it seems as if our lives are being led in a direction we don't understand. During those times, don't depend on your own understanding. Just trust the Lord with all your heart, and He will guide you to a place unlike any other. *"Trust in the Lord with all your heart. Do not depend on your own understanding." Proverbs 3:5 NIRV*

A. TRUST

B. A THIMBLE

C. FORGIVENESS

3. ...and _____. He's far better than pixie dust, that amazing stardust that enables Wendy, John and Michael to fly. The Holy Ghost is a guide, a Protector, and a Source of Power that gives us strength to make it to that special place God wants to take us to. *"But the Comforter, which is the Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in my name, he shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you." John 14:26 KJV*

A. DUST

B. LEADERSHIP

C. THE HOLY GHOST



Memory Verse:

"Faith is being sure of what we hope for. It is being sure of what we do not see." Hebrews 11:1 NIRV

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“Neverland”

How do you get to Neverland? Why it's easy if you try! Just set your course for the second star to the right, and straight on 'till morning! And while Neverland is a wonderful place of dreams, it can never be better than the reality that is Heaven. It's a breathtaking place that's waiting for all of us. And Jesus wants to lead you there!

Do you want to go? Sure you do, and it's easy if you try! To get to Heaven, just let Jesus into your heart, and follow Him, the Morning Star. He'll make a smile in your heart – there's no better time to start! Seek Him with all your heart, straight on 'til morning. Don't be tempted or distracted to follow anything else, and you'll surely make your way.

All it takes is faith and trust, and soon enough, you can fly! Think of this happy thought: some day soon we'll all be flying high. Up you go with a heigh and ho, to the stars beyond the blue. There's a Heaven that's waiting for you, where all your happy dreams come true. Our Bibles tell us we'll be taken up in the clouds where we'll meet the Lord in the air, and we will be with Him forever! Please don't let anything on this earth hold you down from that incredible moment!

It is a place that God wants everyone to be, including you and me. He doesn't want anyone to perish, but instead wants all of us to join Him in Heaven. And it really is a Neverland. You'll never grow old! There's never death, never sadness, never crying and never pain. Think of all the joy you'll find when you leave the world behind, and bid your cares goodbye!

Peter Pan once said, “To die would be an awfully big adventure.” And the truth is, because of what Jesus has done for us – and is still doing for us now – we don't have to fear what happens next. Just trust and follow the Morning Star. Someday we'll all be in Heaven, which is truly a Neverland.



“Neverland”

“The message is like a light shining in a dark place. It will shine until the day Jesus comes. Then the Morning Star will rise in your hearts.”
2 Peter 1:19 NIRV

“There are many rooms in my Father’s house. If this were not true, would I have told you that I am going there? Would I have told you that I would prepare a place for you there? If I go and do that, I will come back. And I will take you to be with me. Then you will also be where I am. You know the way to the place where I am going.” John 14:2-4 NIRV

“We will be taken up in the clouds. We will meet the Lord in the air. And we will be with him forever.” 1 Thessalonians 4:17 NIRV

‘Never again will they be hungry. Never again will they be thirsty. The sun will not beat down on them.’ The heat of the desert will not harm them.

The Lamb, who is at the center of the area around the throne, will be their shepherd. ‘He will lead them to springs of living water. And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.’” Revelation 7:16-17 NIRV

“He will wipe away every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death. And there will be no more sadness. There will be no more crying or pain. Things are no longer the way they used to be.”

He who was sitting on the throne said, “I am making everything new!” Then he said, “Write this down. You can trust these words. They are true.”

He said to me, “It is done. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End. I will give water to anyone who is thirsty. The water will come from the spring of the water of life. It doesn’t cost anything! Those who have victory will receive all this from me. I will be their God, and they will be my children.” Revelation 21:4-7 NIRV

“To die would be an awfully big adventure.” – Peter Pan



1. Follow the morning _____. How do you get to Neverland? Second star to the right, and straight on 'till morning! And while Neverland is a wonderful place, it can never be better than Heaven. Let Jesus into your heart, and follow Him, the Morning Star.

"We also have the message of the prophets. This message can be trusted completely. You must pay attention to it. The message is like a light shining in a dark place. It will shine until the day Jesus comes. Then the Morning Star will rise in your hearts." 2 Peter 1:19 NIRV

A. CROW

B. STAR

C. SUNRISE

2. You can _____! Here we go! Think of a happy thought: some day soon we'll all be flying high. Up you go with a height and ho, to the stars beyond the blue. There's Heaven that's waiting for you, where all your happy dreams come true. Don't let anything on earth hold you down from that incredible moment!

"We will be taken up in the clouds. We will meet the Lord in the air. And we will be with him forever." 1 Thessalonians 4:17 NIRV

A. HOPE

B. FLY

C. HELP

3. It really is a _____land. Heaven is a place that God wants us all to be. And it really is a Neverland! You'll never grow old. There's never death, never sadness, never crying and never pain. Think of all the joy you'll find when you leave the world behind and bid your cares goodbye!

"He will wipe away every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death. And there will be no more sadness. There will be no more crying or pain. Things are no longer the way they used to be."

Revelation 21:4 NIRV

A. FAR AWAY

B. FUTURISTIC

C. NEVER



Memory Verse:

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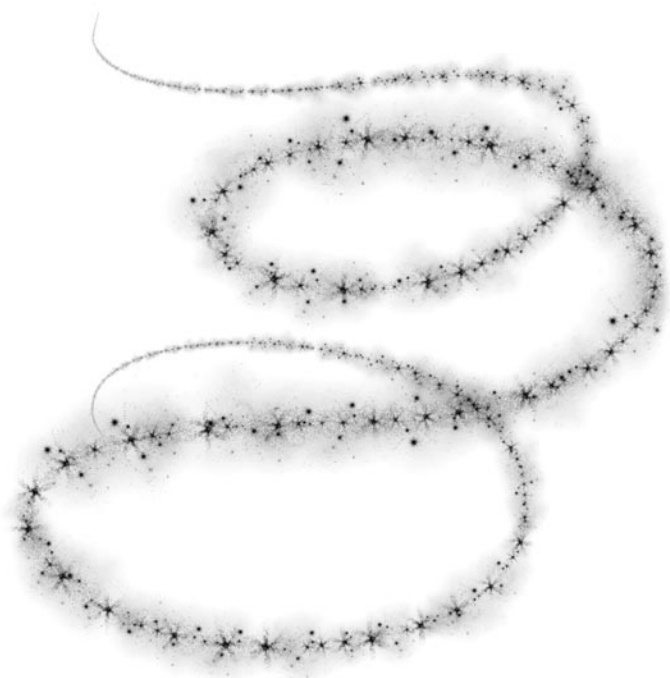
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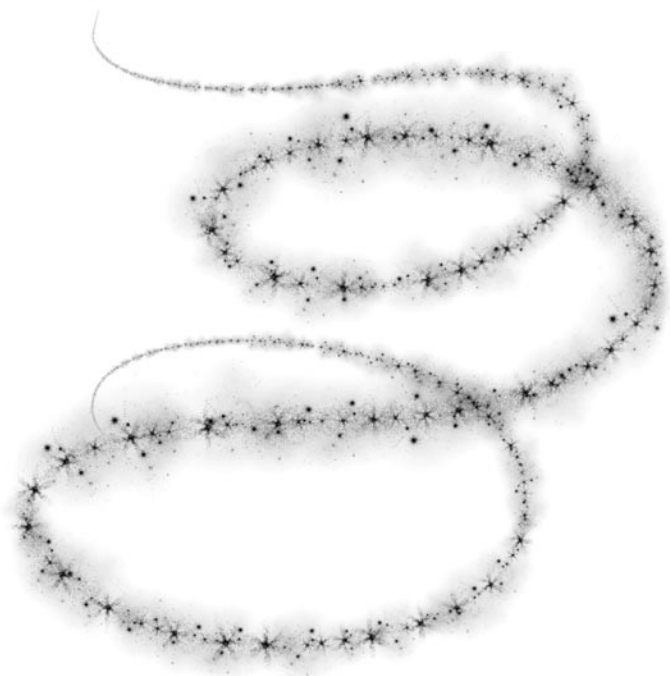


Think of a wonderful thought! Think on those things that would help you fly if you just had a little bit of pixie dust. What is your happy little thought? List below those things in your life that you're most thankful to God for!





Can you imagine living in a place like Neverland? What would you look like? Draw yourself below as a pirate from the Jolly Roger, a Lost Boy, or a fairy in Pixie Hollow.





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