

*dream*  
**BIG**  
pray like a child

# CHILDREN'S STORY



*Supplies: Cardboard Box*

See this box. It's just a regular cardboard box. What would you use this box for? (*Ask the children to respond*)

Those are great things you can do with a box!

So with this box I might store all sorts of things in it. Boxes are helpful when you move to a new place, and have a lot of things to pack. Boxes are mainly for storing things. You might put your toys in one box, and your books in another. Boxes are great for organization too, but you have to make sure they're the right size. I mean you couldn't put a broom in a box like this size.

Sometimes we try to do that with God - put Him in a box. But God is huge! He's bigger than the earth, the sun, and the universe. He created all of those! Our minds can't even understand how God does what He does. He's all powerful. He's everywhere at once. But sometimes we try and put Him in a box. What I mean by that is a lot of times we think God can't do something. For instance, have you ever prayed for a friend to know Jesus? Maybe a family member? Have you ever prayed for the salvation of your whole country? If you don't believe God can save your friend, you're putting God in a box. Don't forget, He's the one that created the world.

God has no limits. There is nothing that He can't do! You can trust Him with anything! If you have something big on your heart that God has asked you to pray for, don't put it aside or think it's impossible. Just pray. You'll be amazed at what God can do. 1st Corinthians 2:9 says, "however as it is written: no eye has seen, no ear has heard, no mind has conceived what God has prepared for those who love him." Don't put God in a box. Pray as big as you can so you and your faith can grow. And watch God do the impossible!

We're going to pray. Please close your eyes and as we quietly sit here, ask God for what you should pray for. Listen for God to tell you the impossible thing He wants you to pray for. And pray for it!

Close in prayer with the children.