



Boys and Girls' Album

For Children
Ages 4 Through 8

SUMMER
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Return to God

When you try to run away from God,
A lesson you will learn.
You cannot live without Him,
So, to Him you must return.

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Obedience

Oliver and Sam were very excited to go to the pool. On the way, their moms reminded them of the rules they needed to remember to follow, including no running. When they arrived at the pool, the first thing they wanted to do was go down the slide. They set their things down on the chairs.

“Mom, may we please go down the slide?” Oliver asked.

“Yes, but remember not to run,” his mom replied.

“OK, Mom. Let’s go, Sam!”

Sam and Oliver walked together to the slide. They climbed the stairs and took turns going down. They had so much fun! They wanted to do it again. They walked to the stairs of the slide. As they got closer, they began to walk faster and faster. Soon they were running so fast that they bumped into each other. Sam fell.

“Sam, are you OK?” Oliver asked.

“No, please get my mom!” Sam said.

“Sam, how did this happen?” his mom asked.

“Well,” Sam explained, “we were going to the slide and having fun and started to run. Then we bumped into each other, and I fell and hurt my knee.”

“Didn’t we remind you boys to not run when we are at the pool?” Sam’s mom said.

“Yes,” Sam and Oliver answered.

“You disobeyed us when you decided to run,” Oliver’s mom said. “When we disobey God, we often get hurt and need to come back to Him and obey Him. So, what are you going to do next time?”

“Obey and not run,” the boys said in unison.

“Great. Let’s take you to the nurse,” Sam’s mom said.



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Bible Picture Lesson Card

*A Special
Child
Promised*

Judges 13:1-14

A long time ago, Israel behaved wickedly. They did not listen to God. Because the people did not listen to God, He needed to punish them. The people of Israel had to serve the Philistines for forty years.

During this time, there lived a man named Manoah. Manoah's wife was barren, which means she could not have children. One day, the Angel of the Lord visited her. The Angel told her that she was going to have a son. He said that her son was going to be a Nazarite. Nazarite means "separated." A Nazarite was a person who made special promises to God. Those promises to God included rules like not cutting one's hair. This promised son would not only be a Nazarite but would