Alexis loved her house. There was a pool in the yard. There was a park across the street. Her best friend lived next door.

“We have bad news,” said Mom.

“We have to move,” said Dad.

Alexis was sad. “Why?” she asked.

“I lost my job,” said Mom. “I can’t help pay bills.”

“Where will we live?” asked Alexis.

“With your grandparents,” said Dad. “They want to share their home.”

Alexis felt better. She was glad her grandparents wanted to share.
God Bless Us All

God said, “Abram, leave your people and your father’s household. Go to a special place. I will bless you, so you can bless others.”

When Abram left, he took his wife, his servants, and all of their things. He took his nephew Lot, too. They all went to Canaan.

God said, “I will give your children this land.” But that was not Abram’s special place.

Abram built an altar for God. Then he kept going to the special place where God wanted them to be.
God’s Blessing
God blessed Abram so that Abram could bless others. Trace the word “bless.” Then draw lines from each letter to the box that has the items with the same beginning sound as the letter.

Memory Verse: “The LORD remembers us and will bless us” (from Psalm 115:12, NIV).
DEAR PARENTS

Preschoolers learned that God blessed Abram. They also learned that God has blessed them. Help your preschoolers find ways to share their blessings with others.

**GROWING**

**We Can Share With Others!**

Circle the pictures of God’s blessings. How can you share those blessings with others? Draw a picture in the box.

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The bus stopped. The children got off. They chatted happily.

“Welcome to the zoo,” said Zookeeper Kay. “We will have a fun day. What should we do first?”

The children all began to shout. “Monkeys! Snakes! Hippos! Bears!” They shouted loud. Some children pushed. One child fell down. No one could hear.

The zookeeper covered her ears. All the children grew quiet. Then she smiled again.

“This is what we’ll do first. We will make some good rules!”

“Good idea!” shouted the children.
Obeying the Rules

God gave His people rules for life. He said, “I am a forever God. I know what is best. I make good rules. Remember, I saved you from slavery. I have cared for you. Now you need to obey Me.

Rule one: Put Me first.
Rule two: Worship only Me.
Rule three: Speak My name with respect. It is the most special word.

Follow My rules. I will bless you. I will bless your family, too.”
X It Out
Look at the pictures. Which ones are not God’s rules? Draw an X over them.

Memory Verse:
“I, the LORD your God ... [show] love to ... those who love me and keep my commandments” (from Exodus 20:5–6, NIV).
DEAR PARENTS

Your child is learning three of God’s Ten Commandments. Today we learned: Put God first, worship only God, and speak God’s name with respect. These show us how to honor God. You can practice saying them (and obeying them) together this week!

How Do I Worship God?

Only God deserves our worship. He made us! He cares for us! How do you show love to God? Draw it.

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