



EXPLORE THE BIBLE.

Session 3: God Promises
Suggested Week of Use: September 20, 2020
Core Passage: Isaiah 7:7-17

News Story Summary

Earlier in September, TODAY provided a list of ten life skills every adult should learn to do. The focus was on skills that are not taught in school. The list included these actions: changing a tire, wrapping a present, sewing a button, doing first aid, ironing a shirt, using a fire extinguisher, unclogging a toilet, calculating a time, making a signature dish, and writing a thank you note. How to videos and practical tips were also included for each action.

(For more on this story, search the Internet using the term “10 life skills every adult should know now”.)

Focus Attention

To replace the Focus Attention ideas, begin by inviting the group to create a list of ten skills every adult ought to know how to do. Record the ideas. If more than ten are given, lead the group to narrow down the list to only ten. After most have arrived, share a summary of the article about ten life skills. Compare the list in the article with the list created by your group.

Explain that today’s study focuses on an interchange between Ahaz and Isaiah. Challenge the group to consider the life skills that are seen or should have been displayed by King Ahaz.

Summarize and Challenge

To replace the Review idea under Summarize and Challenge, remind the group of the ten life skills identified in the article. Lead the group to create a set of life skills that would have helped Ahaz. Point to the summary statements under Apply the Text in the Personal Study Guide or Daily Discipleship Guide for ideas. Emphasize the importance of trusting God in life. Complete the step as written using the Respond idea.