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2. TRUE OR FALSE: We grow old and die because we aren’t useful to anyone anymore.

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   With respect    With kindness    Ignore you    Listen to you
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5. Do you know at least one person older than your parents who is very special to you? Why is that person special to you?

   _____________________________________________________________
Choose Good Advice

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Instructions: Cross out all the images of people you should not take advice from.

Teacher

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Actors

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Answer Key

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O.T. 7: Part 1—The Divided Kingdom
Who’s on the Throne?
Activity Sheet
Worship Activity Sheet

Wrong Worship Acts:
- Women preachers
- Instrumental music
- Taking Lord’s Supper once each month
- Worshipping on Saturday
- Not giving as we prosper
- Praise teams
- Worship skit
- “Speaking in Tongues”

Correct Worship Verses:
- John 4:24
- Ephesians 5:19; Colossians 3:16
- 1 Corinthians 16:2
- 1 Corinthians 11:26
- Acts 20:7
- Hebrews 10:25
- 1 Timothy 2:12
“But you, take courage!” (2 Chronicles 15:7a, ESV).
Memory Verse

Puzzle

Instructions: Print the following boxes on card stock. Cut each memory verse into a puzzle. As the children put their puzzles together, discuss what it means to “take courage” (don’t be afraid; always trust in God).

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**Memory Verse Scramble**

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God Takes Care of Elijah

Word Search

Ahab  Love
Brook  Messenger
Cherith  Obey
Elijah  Raven
God  Trust

Lesson 5: God Takes Care of the Prophet Elijah
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The Lord, He is God!
Cutouts

All Ages
I Can Name that Memory Verse in…
Game

O.T. 7 Part 1 Lessons 1-6

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Elijah on Mount Carmel Crossword Puzzle

Across

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Answer Key
Exploring God's Word

Activity Book
Old Testament 7
LESSON 7
“[T]he Lord your God is with you wherever you go” (Joshua 1:9b).
Elijah’s Fears and the Still, Small Voice

Chronological Activity

1st-4th Grade

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Word Search

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