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## Step 2: Read the story

Read or listen to the passage (see list overleaf)

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## Step 4: Discover the Story

When you feel that you are familiar with the story, take some time to think over or discuss the following questions

- What does this story tell me about God?
- What does this story tell me about people?
- If this is really God's word, what changes would I have to make in my life?
- Who am I going to tell?

For the last two questions try to make an "I will statement". eg I will stop shouting at my wife. I will tell my brother.



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