

# SCAR FORCE VBS FASTFACTS

WWW.TRUTHQUEST.NET

**Theme:**

A "Star Wars" spoof in which kids learn to think of the Bible as a true epic saga in which they are players. Kids will train to become "J-Dis" (Jesus Disciples) as they experience a sweeping summary of the Bible saga from Genesis to Revelation.

**Objective:**


















To help kids to become more familiar with the overall message of the Bible, helping them to see how it all connects together, and encouraging them to be disciples of Jesus in the epic war between God and evil.

<b>Bible Versions Included:</b>	NIV, KJV, ESV, and HCSB. Materials are included in each of these Bible translations.
<b>Length of the Program:</b>	Five days, with a daily running time of 2½ hours.
<b>For Ages:</b>	Can accommodate age 3 thru 6th grade. Also includes workshops for teens and adults.
<b>Scale of the Program:</b>	Adjustable scale can fit the needs of very small churches, medium-sized churches, and large churches.
<b>Age Group Divisions:</b>	Small churches: Two (Preschool thru grade 1 / grade 2 thru grade 6) plus optional teen and adult levels Medium churches: Four (3s & 4s / K-1st / 2nd & 3rd / 4th thru 6th) plus optional teen and adult levels Large churches: Eight (3s / 4s / K5 / 1st / 2nd / 3rd / 4th / 5th & 6th) plus optional teen and adult levels
<b>Classrooms Needed:</b>	Minimum of four. In large churches, up to eight rooms or more may be needed.
<b>Volunteers Needed:</b>	One adult for every ten children, plus five (minimum requirements). One adult for every eight children, plus ten (ideal number of staff).
<b>Gospel Presented:</b>	Every day, in drama skits at closing assemblies.
<b>Format:</b>	Print your own materials from WebLink instant access system or from mailed Disc
<b>Reproducible?</b>	Yes, in unlimited quantities for use in your ministry. Re-selling and re-distribution is prohibited.

<b>COMPONENTS INCLUDED IN THIS VBS KIT</b> (delivered digitally as printable PDF files via WebLink download or CD)	<b>DESCRIPTION AND CONTENTS</b> (reproducible in any quantity needed for use within your local ministry)
<b>Director's Guidebook</b>	Overview of VBS, tips and directions for planning and organizing VBS, and recruiting and supplies flyers
<b>Drama Kit with Daily Gospel</b>	Skits and gospel presentations for five days and directions and tips for planning and performing drama
<b>Teaching Director's Guide</b>	VBS lessons and directions for organizing all VBS teaching activities
<b>Lesson Packs</b> (Each day includes two lessons, provided at four teaching levels)	Interactive accounts of Bible events beginning in Genesis with lessons building upon each other until the climactic lessons on Day five in Revelation. Each lesson lays groundwork for lessons that follow, showing kids how the entire Bible works as a single, epic saga. The overall effect is to show kids that the Bible is the real saga and that God is the true force.
<b>Send-Home Materials Kit</b>	Take-home worksheets at four levels for kids, and take-home Bible studies for parents, covering the five days of VBS
<b>Adult &amp; Teen Lesson Kit</b>	VBS lessons for adults and teens covering five days
<b>Music Kit</b>	Song lyrics, hand motions, and chord charts for each VBS song
<b>Music Audio</b>	Audio music delivered via download (through our WebLink system) or delivered via audio CD (additional cost)
<b>Crafts Kit</b>	Complete directions, supply lists and templates for five VBS craft projects
<b>Snacks Kit</b>	Complete directions, supply lists and recipes for five VBS snacks
<b>Games Kit</b>	Complete directions, supply lists and diagrams for five VBS games
<b>Age Group Leader Guides</b>	Directions for all VBS Age Group Leaders
<b>Missions Kit</b>	Suggestions for VBS missions projects, fund-raising ideas, and progress tracking poster
<b>Registration &amp; Scoring Kit</b>	Complete directions, name tags, score sheets, information cards and flyers for VBS registration and scorekeeping
<b>Decorations Kit</b>	Ideas, suggestions and clip art to be used for decorating your facility for VBS
<b>Advertising Kit</b>	Directions, suggestions, flyers, posters, banner artwork, a promotional skit, and a radio script for promoting your VBS
<b>Discipleship Booklet:</b> <b>"Growing Up In Christ"</b>	Thirteen lessons and activities, along with extensive Scriptural references designed for parents and children to go through TOGETHER. Delivered in printable PDF format.
<b>Gospel Tract:</b> <b>"All About Jesus"</b>	A one-page explanation of the problem of sin and how Jesus' death and resurrection can save us
<b>Gospel Tract:</b> <b>"Something's Wrong"</b>	A one-page discussion of how sin curses our world and how Christ is the only solution
<b>Gospel Tract:</b> <b>"The Bible in 30 Seconds"</b>	A two-page rhyming summary of the Bible, showing how sin threatens us and how Jesus can save us
<b>Clip Art Library</b>	A large selection of decorating and advertising artwork, signs and large posters on Disc or WebLink
<b>T-Shirt Artwork</b>	Artwork for VBS T-Shirts which you can have printed at a t-shirt shop or iron on to your own shirts
<b>Flyers</b>	Recruiting, registration and advertising flyers on Disc or WebLink

# SCAR FORCE VBS OVERVIEW

WWW.TRUTHQUEST.NET

	EPISODE I	EPISODE II	EPISODE III	EPISODE IV	EPISODE V
<b>OVERALL FOCUS</b> 	<b>The Greatest Menace</b> Soon after God creates the earth, man falls to a deadly threat called "sin," forcing all mankind to face death and separation from God. Yet, God sets a plan in motion to rescue man from this deadly menace.	<b>A New Nation</b> Years after God's promise to Abraham, the Hebrews become slaves in Egypt. But God calls one man to lead His people out of slavery and into His Light, if only the people would abide in Him.	<b>The Fall of Israel</b> Through a chaotic and destructive cycle of rebellion against God, the Lord finally sends His people into captivity and oppression. Yet, even now, a Hope is promised for the future...	<b>The Only Hope</b> After 400 years of silence from God, a Light comes into the world and brings a New Promise. Yet, the Messiah is treated with suspicion and finally put to death. Has hope vanished?	<b>Return of the King</b> Two millennia after Christ's departure for Heaven, the promise remains for His triumphant return to earth as King of Kings, vanquishing darkness once and for all!
<b>MEMORY VERSE</b>	<b>Colossians 1:13-14</b> For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.	<b>Joshua 24:15</b> Choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve... But as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord.	<b>Matthew 5:16</b> In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in Heaven.	<b>1 Peter 3:18A</b> For Christ died for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, to bring you to God.	<b>Revelation 22:5</b> There will be no more night. They will not need the light of a lamp or the light of the sun, for the Lord God will give them light. And they will reign for ever and ever.
<b>DRAMA SKIT</b> 	<b>"The Greatest Menace"</b> Lucas explains how the epic war began and introduces the Saber of Light—God's Word—which is a light to our path and a double-edged sword. <i>Includes Gospel Presentation</i>	<b>"Choices"</b> Lucas explains to Luna and J.J. that we must all choose whether to stay in darkness or to come into God's Light. <i>Includes Gospel Presentation</i>	<b>"Light or Darkness"</b> Luna and J.J. realize that their choices affect everyone around them, just like the kings of Israel and Judah. <i>Includes Gospel Presentation</i>	<b>"Ground Zero"</b> J.J. learns (and Luna remembers) that everything in all of history hinges on Jesus and His sacrifice for us. <i>Includes Gospel Presentation</i>	<b>"A Call to Arms"</b> As Lucas explains the certain return and triumph of Jesus, he calls J.J., Luna, and all the kids to hold up the Saber of Light until Jesus returns. <i>Includes Gospel Presentation</i>
<b>BIBLE LESSON A</b> 	<b>Light and Darkness</b> This lesson starts with God's perfect Creation, but then shows how Adam and Eve sinned and caused darkness to reign in the world. This lesson teaches why God separates light from darkness.	<b>A Chosen People</b> From the Biblical accounts of Abraham's family up to slavery in Egypt, this lesson will show that God chose and set apart the family of Abraham, because of his faith, to be the people through whom Jesus would eventually come.	<b>Lighting the World</b> An object lesson showing how to make an oil lamp illustrates how the heart of David, though imperfect, served as a light for future generations, pointing to God's future Promise.	<b>The Light Has Come</b> From the Gospel accounts, kids will see that the life of Jesus on earth was like the rising of the sun, bringing long-awaited Light to the world for all who would receive it.	<b>Preparing for Dawn</b> From accounts of the early church, kids will see how we should spread the Light of Jesus as far as we can during this final 'spiritual night,' because the dawn of Christ's eternal reign is fast approaching.
<b>BIBLE LESSON B</b> 	<b>The Keepers of the Light</b> Years after Adam and Eve, and after working through numerous people, God chooses Abraham to be the father of His chosen people, through whom His Light would someday come.	<b>Choose Whom You'll Serve</b> From the Exodus to the entry into the Promised Land, kids will see that God has promised rest to those who will remain in His light, if we will only choose to follow and trust Him.	<b>A Legacy of Light and Dark</b> Comparing David and Jeroboam, this lesson shows how David's example influenced the kings of Judah, and how Jeroboam's example influenced the wicked kings of Israel for years to come.	<b>Life Rises from Death</b> From the Gospel accounts, kids will see that Jesus took all the world's sin upon Himself when He died, putting it to death. Then, when Jesus rose, He left sin in the grave and changed everything!	<b>The Final Battle</b> This lesson illustrates that Jesus will return and put a final end to darkness, reigning forever as King of Kings. (This lesson does not speculate on timelines or details of the End Times, but instead focuses on Christ's victory)
<b>SONGS</b> 	<b>The Great "I AM!"</b> This contemporary rock song praises God and His many names!	<b>Chosen</b> This ballad reminds kids that God has chosen them for His purpose!	<b>I Will Worship</b> This worship song is a declaration of love for all that God is!	<b>Saber of Light</b> This showtune-ish song teaches that Jesus is a Saber of Light!	<b>Mighty Indeed!</b> This powerful song shows through all time that God is mighty!
<b>SNACKS</b> 	<b>Sabers of Light</b> Pretzel rods covered in colored icing. 	<b>Alien Faces</b> Build your own aliens from veggies, cheese, pretzels and more! 	<b>Asteroids</b> Chocolate and honey-graham coated marshmallow treats. 	<b>Missiles and Moons</b> Pretzel and cracker-coated cheese balls served with carrots. 	<b>Shining Stars</b> Iced star-shaped sugar cookies. 
<b>SCRIPTURE GAMES</b> 	<b>J-Di Defense Training</b> Kids run back and forth through a game area, avoiding being "zapped" by enemies with pool noodles!	<b>Speeder Racing</b> Kids sit on tarps pulled through a course by teammates in a relay race between teams!	<b>Blast Bolt</b> A target game where teams try to throw pool noodles (blast bolts) through the opposing team's goal while defending their own.	<b>Stronghold Assault</b> Kids run through a gauntlet of "enemy fire" while trying to get their missiles into the opposing team's goal!	<b>Saber Training</b> Kids race to knock down as many upright sabers (pool noodles) as they can with their own sabers of light!
<b>CRAFT PROJECTS</b> 	<b>Sabers of Light</b> Fun swords made from pool noodles. 	<b>Robodroids</b> Robots made from paper cups, pipe cleaners, and fun decorations. <i>Actual craft may vary.</i> 	<b>Cross-Wing Fighters</b> Model fighter ships made from folded paper. 	<b>J-Di Utility Belts</b> Tool belts for holding light sabers, gospel tracts, and more! <i>Actual craft may vary.</i> 	<b>J-Di Crowns</b> Crowns made from craft foam. Based on 1 Cor. 9:25 and 1 Tim. 4:8 