

# Bone Bonanza

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Match each skeleton to the flesh-covered animal that it belongs to.



**BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:**

- God showed Ezekiel a valley filled with dry bones.
- God made the bones connect and come back to life.
- The bones represented God's people; they felt hopeless.
- God planned to bring His people home and give them new life.

**KEY PASSAGE:** 2 Chronicles 7:14

**BIG PICTURE QUESTION:**

- How did God plan to fix what sin broke? Before He created the world, God planned to send the Messiah to save sinners.

**FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:**

- How was God planning to give His people new life?
- How are we like the dry bones?
- What is our hope for the future?

**FAMILY ACTIVITY:**

- Take your family to a natural history museum. Pay special attention to any skeletons that are on display. Discuss the amazing message God had given His people by bringing dry bones to life. Remind them that we can have new life only through Jesus.



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# Ezekiel Gave Hope

Ezekiel 37

**Story Point:** God planned to bring His people home and give them new life.

**Big Picture Question:** How did God plan to fix what sin broke? Before He created the world, God planned to send the Messiah to save sinners.

**Christ Connection:** Apart from Jesus, we are like the dry bones Ezekiel saw. God showed Ezekiel His power to make dead people alive. We see God's power at the cross. Jesus died to save sinners. God raised Jesus from the dead, and He gives us eternal life.

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