# Camptendo



# Daily Lesson Overview

Following the story of Gideon's battle against the Midianites in Judges, and by following the adventures of Caleb through 7 levels in the Camptendo video game "Crates and Crowns," during the main teaching segments, preteens will explore God's purpose in challenges, and gain confidence in facing their own lives' challenges as they become MORE THAN CONQUERORS!



# Challenges

When we face challenges, we can know that God has a good purpose as we face these challenges. (James 1:2-12)



#### Choices

When we face challenges, God gives us choices. When we choose the "obey him" buttons on our controller, it leads to life and blessings for us, our future selves, and others. (Deuteronomy 30:15-20, Judges 6:1-10)

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# Help

Because we have chosen sin, we face an insurmountable obstacle. This is a "level" that no amount of good "gameplay" can help us to overcome. But God, in his glory, has made a way through Jesus Christ for us to overcome both sin and death. (John 14:6, Isaiah 43:19, Ephesians 2:4-5)



# Tools

God's Word, Worship, the Church, and spiritual ears to hear the Holy Spirit are powerful tool to help us when facing challenges. These are all gifts from God, who sees us as mighty warriors and more than conquerors, but we must use the tools in order to have success. (Romans 8:37, Judges 6:11-16)

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# Faith

We should trust God's guidance when facing challenges. Even when God's directions don't seem to make sense, and even when others are telling us to do things differently than God, he is the "game maker" and knows it better than anyone else. God can always be trusted, and a life lived in faith results in the eternal crown of life. (Judges 7, James 1:2-12, Hebrews 11:1, 6)



