

The Miracle Sand Blocks

Use sand blocks actions for each miracle taught in this sweet primary song!

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How to Play:

- For a unique way to review this song, try these sand blocks actions that pair with each miracle described in the lyrics!
- I've created sand block actions for each miracle in the first verse of this beautiful primary song that is now included in the new hymnbook! Hooray!
- Before passing out sand blocks, sing through the first verse once. This song teaches about so many miracles! It's hard to remember them all. Let's try some actions to help us remember. Pass out a set of sand blocks to each child. If you are short on sand blocks sets, take turns with a partner.
- Demonstrate the first action by patting your knees, alternating left and right to imitate walking. One miracle Jesus performed was walking on water.
- Can you make your sand blocks sound like thunder? Clap them loudly together, then pause and hold them still. Jesus "stilled the storm and calm the angry sea."
- Does anyone know what leprosy is? It's a very painful disease that affects your skin. Tap each hand with your sand blocks to demonstrate that Jesus "healed the leper."
- Use the sand blocks visuals and try one action at a time. Can we try them all?
- Sing through the entire song a few times using the sand block actions.

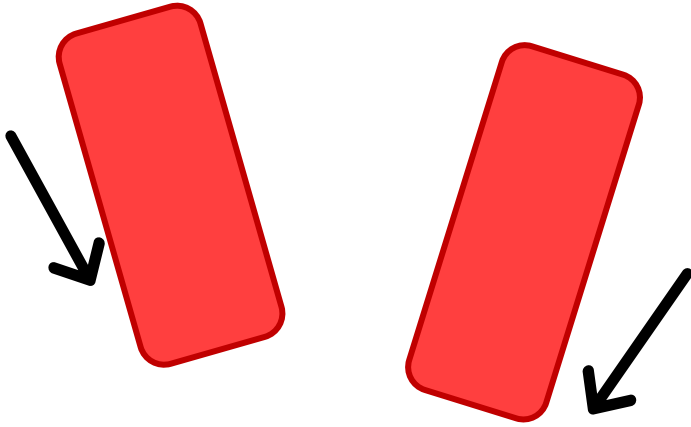
Sand Blocks Verse 1 Pattern:

- Pat knees, alternate L/R – "Jesus walked upon the water"
- Clap Loudly, then hold blocks quietly – "He stilled the storm..."
- Tap Hand – "With His hands He healed the leper"
- Pat knees – "He made the lame to walk"
- Cover, then uncover eyes – "The blind to see"
- Swish near mouth – "He fed a thousand people..."
- Slowly raise upward – "He raised her from the dead"

Extension Activities:

- Play "Guess the Miracle" by doing one sand block action at a time and guess which miracle from the song it matches best
- Add a chorus pattern that follows the rhythm of the song. Try a few different actions to add some variety. Ex. Pat knees, tap high/low, tap side/side
- Make it a partner activity by swapping the knee pats to sand block claps with a partner. This is especially fun for your social primary kids!

**"WALKED UPON THE
WATER"**



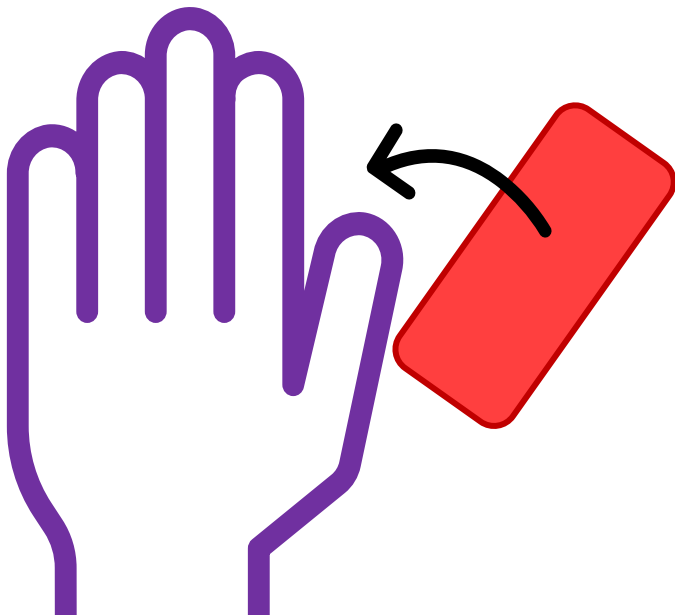
**Alternate
Left/Right**

**"STILLED THE
STORM...CALMED
THE ANGRY SEA"**

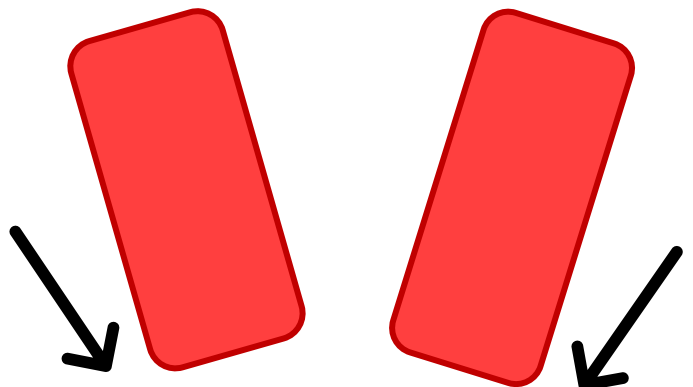


SHH!

"HEALED THE LEPER"

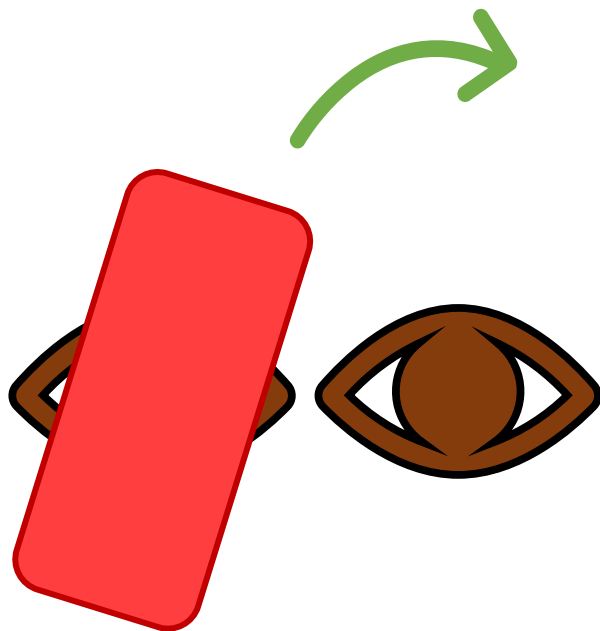


**"MADE THE LAME TO
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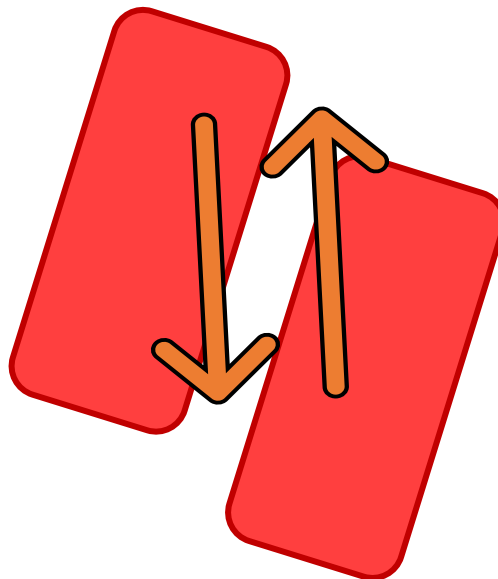


Pat Knees

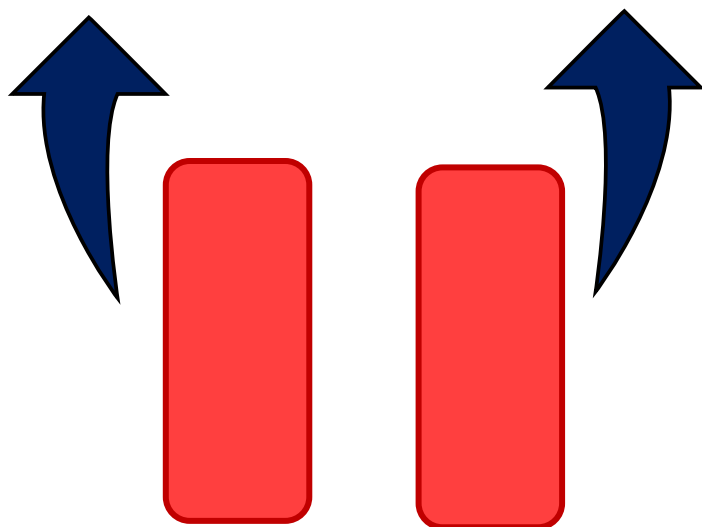
"THE BLIND TO SEE"



**"FED A THOUSAND
PEOPLE"**



**"RAISED HER FROM
THE DEAD"**





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