

WHAT'S GOD LIKE? ALL-POWERFUL



Key Verse: Matthew 19:26 (NIV)

“With man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible.”

BIG QUESTION: WHO'S YOUR FAVOURITE SUPERHERO?

SUPERHERO

My favourite superhero, by far is, Bananaman... Wow, I imagine I've lost half the readers with that statement. Who's Bananaman I hear you say? Bananaman was really powerful. He could fly (by far the best superpower) and he also had super strength. But the best thing about Banaman, is that, it's Bananas that give him his superpower, I love bananas!

Most Superheroes have a secret identity, Superman is Clark Kent, Batman is Bruce Wayne and in most cases these are adults. Not in the case of Bananaman. Bananaman is played by a kid, Eric the wimp. He was a real wimp who would be filled with power when he ate bananas. Who do you think is the most powerful superhero? Superman? He can fly, he has x-ray vision, super hearing and super strength. Or maybe Storm? She can control the weather. How about The Hulk? No one could beat him in an arm wrestle. No, the most powerful superhero would need to be able to do all these things.

God is the most powerful superhero. He can fly, in the first chapter of the bible it says that God hovered over the waters. He can control the weather, Jesus told a storm to be quiet once,

and it obeyed him. He's strong and mighty too and He even walked on water.

SOMETHING TO DO

There's a cool game called The Super Hero Muscles game. You could either play this in teams or together. A volunteer will need to put on an adult sized jumper, you then blow up balloons and stuff them under the jumper to make muscles. You could add to it by using face paints or costumes. The best looking superhero wins!



When we say that God is All-Powerful we mean that he can do anything and that he has limitless power. This is the God that made the universe with a word, who shaped Mount Everest and filled the sea with fish. Here's what Paul said about Him... 'Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory...' (Ephesians 3:20-21, NIV). Thor has a hammer that you can only hold if you're worthy. Well, our God is more than worthy.

So, how come I sometimes get worried about things? Why do I panic rather than asking him for help? Sometimes we still have problems, don't we? Sometimes I feel like Eric the wimp when I look at some of the problems in my life. But the truth is that God is our superhero and with Him all things are possible and like Eric we can be filled with power, but not just any power, God's power, a power that is at work within us.

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

- What problems in your life can you ask God to be your Superhero in?
- Is there a problem in your life that you've stopped believing God for? Why not choose today to start trusting him again?



PRIZES! SHHH!

First child to tell Ben how many times Banana or Bananaman was written in this devotional will win a prize!

PRIZES! SHHH! ANOTHER ONE?!

Bring in a photo of your superhero to win a prize!