

MISSIONARY STORIES

REAL STORIES ABOUT SPREADING GODS WORD

The Tiny Miracle Baby!

THIS STORY IS ABOUT: GOD CARES FOR THE SMALLEST OF ALL

BIG IDEA

God loves and cares about even the tiniest, most helpless little ones. When everyone else has given up, God can still work a miracle!

THE STORY

On a faraway mission field, a precious little baby was born. But this baby was very, very sick. The baby had come too early and was so tiny and weak.

The doctors looked at the little one and shook their heads sadly. They did not think the baby could live more than just a few hours. There was nothing more they could do.

But the missionary mommy and daddy knew Someone who is bigger than any problem. They knew the God who makes miracles! So they did not give up hope.

The parents and the believers gathered around the tiny baby. Very gently, they laid their hands on the little child and prayed. "Dear God," they prayed, "please have mercy. Please touch this little baby with Your healing power."



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THE STORY CONTINUES

During those scared and hopeful hours, the parents gave the baby a name, and they gave the baby to God. "This little one belongs to You, Lord," they said.

Then they watched and waited. And slowly, day by day, something wonderful began to happen. Instead of getting weaker, the baby began to get **STRONGER!**

The doctors and nurses were amazed. They could not explain it. The baby made it through the most dangerous time, kept growing, and got healthier and healthier!

Before long, that little baby who 'should not have lived' got to go home, happy and healthy! The parents knew without a doubt that God had reached down and touched their child.

The baby grew up big and strong. And everywhere that child went, people remembered the miracle. The little one became a living, walking reminder that God answers prayer!

These kinds of stories are so precious because they show us something beautiful: God's love reaches all the way down to the smallest, weakest little baby. No one is ever too little for God to care about. He loves and watches over every single one of us!





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DID YOU KNOW?

- Stories of God healing tiny babies appear in many true missionary books, including Nona Freeman's writings.
- A baby born too early is called premature, and such babies are very small and need extra care.
- The doctors could not explain how the baby got better, but the missionary family knew God had healed their child.
- In the Bible, Jesus said to let the little children come to Him, showing how much He loves the youngest of all!

MEMORY VERSE

“Suffer the little children to come unto me, and forbid them not: for of such is the kingdom of God.” Mark 10:14

LET'S TALK ABOUT IT

1. What did the doctors think would happen to the tiny baby at first?
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- 2 Instead of giving up, what did the parents and believers do?

- 3 How did the doctors and nurses feel when the baby started getting stronger?

- 4 This story shows that God cares even for the smallest baby. What does that tell you about how much God cares about YOU?

- 5 The parents gave their baby to God in prayer. Is there something or someone you could pray and give to God today?

LET'S PRAY

Dear God, thank You that You love and care for even the tiniest, weakest little ones. Thank You that no one is ever too small for You to help. When things look impossible, help me to keep trusting You, because You are the God of miracles. In Jesus' name, Amen.

TRY THIS!

Have a 'God Cares About Me' moment! Trace each child's hand on paper, big or small. Inside the handprint, write or draw the words 'God Cares About Me.' Talk about how God loves each of us, no matter how big or little we are, and finish by thanking God for the gift of every life in the room.

