Skit - Day 1 The World, The Man

After songs

Set ideas:













Poster of Noah.

Characters:

Garrett: the director, well-versed in Bible knowledge, local preacher for the church

Dr. Wissenshaft: a credible, but fun scientist who helps prepare for VBS and spends hours in his science lab researching the truth from the Bible. He has a German accent and his name means "scientist" in German. **Assistant Dr. Ela Ment**: a credible, fun science L.A.B. assistant who did have a situation where a certain chemical was poured into her lemonade one day, causing her hair to turn green. She is the computer and equipment guru and has to interpret Dr. Wissenshaft's sentences sometimes for the average person. **Miss Informed:** a "regular" church member who volunteered to help out at VBS. Has compiled her own set of books from various authors, follows the world on views about evolution and billions of years old earth.

Garrett: Let me be the first to welcome you to our headquarters for VBS this week. We have a mission during our time here to investigate and determine the truth about some of the most important and impactful events that are recorded in the Bible. Let's go check in with our team of credible scientists. They are working hard preparing for our time together.

(Dr. Wissenshaft and Dr. Ela Ment are messing with science stuff, tapping on computer.)

<u>Dr. Ela Ment</u>: How would we tell the children about the law of thermodynamics?

<u>Dr. Wissenshaft:</u> That is a good question, Dr. Ment, since anytime we study matter and energy and how they relate is called thermodynamics. *(sees Garrett)* Well, hello there Garrett! Welcome to our LAB. That stands for Learning About the Bible. *(motion towards sign.)*

(Both Dr.'s turn and see kids in the audience - look surprised)

<u>Dr. Wissenshaft:</u> Good morning! Glad you all could make it today. Allow me to introduce myself. My name is Dr. Wissenshaft and this is my lovely assistant Dr. Ela Ment. You will have to excuse her hair . . . Recently, we had a slight mishap with a beaker of copper sulfate. But don't worry - it isn't permanent. It will be back to normal probably . . . about the time she leaves for college. (Assistant wave to kids.)

Garrett: Good to see you both, Dr. Wissenshaft and Dr. Ment. You have quite a bit of research happening here. All those college degrees are paying off, I see.

<u>Dr. Wissenshaft</u>: It's fortuitous that you've decided to cast your lot with us during this importunate campaign. I would like to offer my preemptive gratitude for your efforts over the forthcoming days and put myself at your plenary disposal.

(Garrett looks confused at the audience.)

Garrett: Did anyone understand what he just said?

(wait for audience response)

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> You'll have to forgive Dr. Wissenshaft. What he was trying to say is: It's a good thing that you are here to help us for this important mission. Thank you and if you need me, let me know.

Garrett: Aaahhh. Now I understand. Thanks Dr. Ela Ment.

<u>Dr. Ela Ment</u>: You are welcome. Now -- would you like to hear a joke? Every good mission begins with a joke.

<u>Dr. Wissenshaft</u>: Let us give attention to Dr. Ela Ment so we can apply oneself to the task at hand!

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> (clear throat, face audience, loudly say) Why did the Clydesdale give the Shetland pony a glass of water?

Garrett and Dr Wissenshaft: I don't know. Why?

Dr. Ela Ment: Because he was a little hoarse!

(wait for response, if none, shrug shoulders.)

<u>Garrett</u>: Uuuhmmm . . thanks for that Dr. Ment. Now, let's move forward with our mission. Kids, this week, we need your help to investigate the truth behind the Bible's account of the Great Flood. The Bible spends four chapters in the book of Genesis giving us some of the details of the flood, but we have discovered that many are saying that this flood never actually happened. They are claiming that science does not support the claims of the Bible, and that this is nothing more than a mere story.

(Dr. Wissenshaft and Dr. Ela Ment both look shocked!)

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> What? Science not supporting the Bible? That is absurd! (start typing frantically on computer to seek an answer.)

<u>Dr. Wissenshaft:</u> We have been working day and night using all of our Biblical resources and have come up with these fields of study: The World, The Man, The Ark, The Animals and The Flood. We will prove the Truth!

Garrett: That sounds like it will be very educational for our students at VBS. Where should we begin?

(Enter Miss Taken or Miss Informed or Miss Interpreted or Miss Information or Miss Skeptic. She is carrying a stack of books.)

<u>Miss Informed:</u> Oh there you all are! I've been looking everywhere for you! It's almost time for the children to arrive! (sees the kids) Wonderful! I see you are all here! Dr. Wissenshaft, Dr. Ela Ment, do you have the materials for me to teach my class? I brought some of my own, just in case. See? (set books down and

open one - all the others look over the shoulder -- book says something like "My big book of how the world began written by men")

(Scientists and Garrett look at big book, look at audience, shake heads no very big.)

<u>Miss Informed:</u> Now, I know these children will have many questions for us this week and I am prepared to give them answers. (slaps hands on book) For example, (thumb through book) here in my book, it says here that EVERYTHING (wave arms around dramatically) came from either one teeny, tiny, itsy, bitsy piece of matter . . . or a big bang . . . or an asteroid . . . or a bacteria . . . uuuhhmmm . . . (starts looking frantically through the book)

Garrett: Now, Miss Informed, I appreciate you bringing your own book for this week, but our church has some wonderful materials with lesson plans right here. (hand box of VBS) Also, our team has been working very hard to investigate how the world was created by God. We will be using the most important book to get our information from . . . the Bible. (hand her a Bible)

<u>Dr. Wissenshaft</u>: That is right, Miss Informed. We have been studying carefully through all of our research about the physical properties of the world before the worldwide, global flood. Fascinating, isn't it?

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> Miss Informed, you will also find in your Bible that God made everything in 6 days and he saw that it was VERY GOOD! The only problem is that when sin entered into the world through Adam and Eve's decision to disobey God, everything changed.

<u>Miss Informed:</u> Six days??? What are you talking about? My book written here by this famous person says that the earth has changed and formed slowly over billions and billions and billions of years of evolutionary time. (look over glasses at kids) Don't tell me you are some of those people that believe in a young earth . . . , are you?

Garrett: As a matter of fact, we are. And by the end of VBS, Miss Informed, we pray you will be as well. So, let's get started since this skit was only supposed to last 10 minutes. I want us to seek the Truth. Dr. Wissenshaft, what does your research tell you about common questions that our kids might have regarding the subject this week?

<u>Dr. Wissenshaft</u>: Well Garrett, according to my data collection and calculations, some of the questions asked should be: What was the earth like before the flood? What happened to mankind that caused God to send a world-wide and global flood? What made Noah so special and why would God choose him?

Garrett: Great questions for us to find the answer. But before we go, let's sing another song and then dismiss with a prayer. What do you say?

(All say Yeah!)

Post Skit - Day 1 The World, The Man

After songs

<u>Dr. Wissenshaft:</u> (talking to Miss Informed) You see, Miss Informed, the scientific evidence shows us that the Earth was most likely a large single land mass at one point. and the Flood caused the land to separate over a much shorter period of time.

Miss Informed: Yes, Dr., but why is the earth separated into different areas now? I just don't see how this can be possible. Especially since this well-noted and very famous person says it was caused by . . . let me see . . . either an asteroid . . . or a bacteria . . . or a big bang . . . ooohhhhh - where is that? (looking through her books)

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> Garrett, we need to help her find it in a different place, don't you think? (hand Bible to Garrett)

Garrett: Yes, Dr. Ment, you are right. (hands Bible to Miss Informed) Miss Informed, in your teaching materials today, do you recall what it says in Genesis 7:11 that, "all the fountains of the great deep were broken up, and the windows of heaven were opened?" The Bible is helping us to see that there was a catastrophic physical event that would have changed the earth dramatically.

<u>Dr. Wissenshaft:</u> And what about the spiritual corruption that took place in Noah's world? It was like the land masses themselves . . . separating the people on the earth from their Creator. They came to the point where they wanted nothing to do with God.

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> According to our bad-o-meter program here, sin scores pretty high on the scale. Thankfully, God found faithful Noah and his family.

Garrett: An important part of learning about Noah was the difference between being "righteous" and "perfect." Noah was not perfect, but he was righteous.

<u>Miss Informed</u>: That did make me feel a lot better about myself -- I'm not perfect either.

Garrrett: Don't worry Miss Informed. You keep studying and you will learn that obeying God will make you different. We should all prepare ourselves to be like Noah

from now on! (all shake heads yes) We need to give a final summary about what we learned today at VBS for our kids to take home. Anyone have any ideas?

(Dr. Ela Ment & Dr. Wissenshaft look at each other and smile big, raise hands like you are trying to get the teacher to call on you)

Garrett: Go ahead - let's hear what you have to say.

(Dr's go into hip/hop rhyme)

Miss Informed: So, I don't speak rap. Would someone translate for me, please?

Garrett: Sure! God made everything and he saw that it was very good. When sin entered the world, it put mankind on a path that would ultimately lead them to almost complete spiritual ruin. Thankfully, there is hope and we will continue our mission tomorrow morning at 9 am to seek the Truth. We hope you will join us again!

When we dismiss here, our friends in the MPB have prepared lunch. Let's pray.

Day 2 VBS The Ark Skit

Garrett: Welcome back to VBS (insert your own stuff here if you like.) So far, we have learned about (PPT) The World, how God created it all and saw that it was good. Even though the free will of men caused sin to fall upon the human race, God found one man and his family worthy of saving. What was his name? (wait for kids) That's right, Noah. I'm wondering something . . . do any of you like to build things? (let kids answer) What kinds of things do you like to build? (wait for answer) Let's get Dr. Wissenhalt up here to help out with a few songs before we find out about some incredible engineering Noah did to build something really special. Are you ready?

Songs here.

(Dr.'s are working on density items, constructing a boat out of foil and seeing if it floats, using measuring tools, balance)

Garrett: Let's go take a look and see what our team of scientists are working on for today's VBS lesson. I'm sure they will have something exciting for us to learn.

<u>Dr. Wissenhalt</u>: I believe we should focus on the buoyancy of the materials more than the mass.

<u>Dr. Ment:</u> Yes, and as we construct the model, we should use the proper force and explain the density of gopher wood. This would help the children to understand.

Garrett: Hey there Dr. Wissenshaft and Dr. Ela Ment - it's good to see you back for our 2nd day of VBS. What are you all preparing for us today?

4 different sounds here will come out of the speaker under the table. (Lisa will play from her phone: power sawing, hammering, drill, hand sawing) Each time, the characters should mouth words as if trying to explain about the day's events, but the sound of the tools are too loud. When the sound stops, stop mouthing the words and look towards the workroom a bit annoyed. Miss Informed is in there "building" her model for her VBS class. There might be some yelling coming from the workroom. Keep door closed. After 4th sound plays, Miss Informed comes in, carrying tools, sawdust, safety glasses, tape measure.

Garrett: Miss Informed, is everything going ok in there? Sounds like you are really busy . . . and it looks like one serious construction zone.

<u>Miss Informed:</u> Well, I'm attempting to prepare for my VBS class. The schedule for today says we are learning about a sort of water craft. So, I did what every normal, information-seeking person does I googled it! Then I placed my order on Amazon and Voila! It appeared as if by magic on my front porch.

<u>Dr. Wissenhalt:</u> Google? Magic? Amazon? Miss Informed, pardon me for saying so, but these things you speak of are a matter of convenience. They certainly do not replace the science we use to seek answers to the Truth!

<u>Dr. Ment:</u> Calm down, Dr. W -- we know you get a little worked up when you feel your favorite subject is threatened.

Garrett: That water craft you referred to was called an ark and God told Noah specifically how to build one. I believe the good L.A.B. Dr's here are working on their own model. How is yours coming along, Miss Informed? (point to set of blueprints in Miss Informed's hands)

<u>Miss Informed:</u> Well, I am doing my best, *(unroll blueprint plans)* but I'm not sure it looks the same as the pictures here.

<u>Dr. Wissenhalt:</u> Ahem - excuse me, Miss Informed, but apparently there must have been a mistake. You are reading the plan for a bubble blowing toaster oven.

<u>Dr. Ment:</u> And it looks like it is written in Chinese.

Miss Informed: Well, that sure explains, alot.

Garrett: You know, today's VBS Bible lesson is about a very difficult task that God gave Noah. Building a vessel that would need to stay afloat for an incredible amount of time with many animals as well as Noah and his family on board could be overwhelming for any average man. He had no idea what was about to happen.

<u>Dr. Wissenhalt</u>: That is true Garrett. The scripture confirms the dimensions, materials and method by which the ark was to be fashioned. Such details that only God himself could form and make complete.

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> (tap on computer) Our calculations here show that roughly 50% of people do not believe that the ark was real. We have a lot of work to do making sure to teach what the Bible says about it.

<u>**Dr. Wissenhalt:**</u> Following the wrong set of instructions will heed incorrect results in every situation, Miss Informed. Try doing what Noah did and follow God's instructions down to the last, exact detail. (hand Miss Informed a Bible)

<u>Miss Informed:</u> I guess it's back to the drawing board for me. (Lisa - Power saw sound comes on again as Miss Informed heads to workroom.)

Garrett: I hope Miss Informed is able to get her model ark completed before Bible class today. Maybe we can keep encouraging her to use her Bible - can you help me do that, kids? Our mission continues today with studying about the incredible faith of Noah and how even when the world did not believe, God kept he and his family safe by following directions exactly to build the ark. Let's sing 1 more song before we pray and head to Bible class.

Day 2 VBS - The Ark Closing Skit

(Lisa - sounds of saws, hammers, etc. here)

Enter Miss Informed: Aaahh, finished! Finally!

<u>Dr. Wissenhalt:</u> Superb, Miss Informed. Tantilating information to restify with us upon the fulfillment of your task creating the chest of refuge.

Garrett: Did anyone understand what he just said?

(wait for kid response)

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> Ahem - allow me to interpret. What Dr. W said was he was happy to hear Miss Informed had finished making the model ark for her VBS class.

Garrrett: Oh - that helps, thank you. How did it turn out, Miss Informed. I mean, were you able to follow the instructions that we gave you or did you order another bubble blowing toaster oven?

Miss Informed: I did use the instructions you gave me. You were right. It was much easier and safer. Plus, my ears are no longer ringing when I followed the directions for ear plugs when using that saw! Whew - so loud!

<u>Dr Wissenhalt:</u> We know, we know . . . (put finger in ears)

Garrrett: Well, how about you L.A.B. doctors? How is your research coming about the ark? What have you discovered?

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> We were able to formulate the proper mass of the gopher wood using the formula density equals mass divided by volume. It worked and now we can prove that Noah's ark would have floated!

Dr. Wissenhalt: We also discovered the measurement of a "cubit" and how large the entire ark would have been. Stupendous! Do you kids remember how long a cubit is? (It's the distance between the elbow and the longest fingertip of an adult, so it was probably 18 to 21 inches long.)

<u>Miss Informed</u>: What is this right here? (point to tub with water) What are you trying to prove with this set-up?

<u>Dr Wissenhalt:</u> We will show you now. Our experiment is to determine what the salinity of the water might have been and how that would affect the movement of the ark across the water. Dr. Ela Ment, we are down to the final step. Read to me the last amount of chemical to add to our compound.

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> (hold up directions blueprint) It says 2. Add 2.

<u>Dr Wissenhalt:</u> Ahem - 2 . . . 2 what? (be dramatic with measuring out)

Dr. Ela Ment: 2 . . . I believe it says 2 kilograms. Yes, that is it. 2 kilograms.

Add the baking soda, then use baby powder sock to get face white while turned away from the audience when you cover your eyes.

All yell!

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> (giggle) Well, maybe it was supposed to be 2 grams. Sorry about that.

<u>Miss Informed:</u> What? You guys! You didn't follow the directions! Just like all the folks that did not obey God! Drs and Miss Informed go off together.

Garrrett: Kids, don't forget what we learned today in your Bible lesson about the plan for your life. God wants us to be rescued from our sins and all the bad things it causes. He rejoices when we do what is right and obey his teachings. He loves us so much and wants us to be kept safe and protected.

We are so glad you were here today for Day 2 of VBS. We hope to see you again tomorrow. (if time, sing songs again, pray, dismiss for lunch.)

VBS Day 3 Skit - The Animals

Garrett: Welcome back to our 3rd day of Vacation Bible School. Today when you leave, we are going to send home an invitation to your parents and other loved ones who would like to come enjoy our last session and eat lunch with us tomorrow at the end of VBS.

Open with a prayer

(Possible reciting of the books of the Bible from memory challenge here for Friday?)

Songs

The Hippo Song
ABC's of Noah
39+27=66
Books of NT
Roll the Gospel Chariot
O Be Careful LIttle Eyes What You See
Noah Built an Ark

(Doctors have plates with food, take bite at end of Garrett)

Garrett: Does anyone else smell that? I'm not sure what it is . . . but maybe our L.A.B. scientists can help us figure it out. They are pretty good at helping us, aren't they? Let's check in with them to see what they might think about it.

(Take large bite of food. When you talk, make it where they can't understand what you are saying because of the food in your mouth.)

<u>**Dr. Wissenhalt:**</u> Delicious! The ladies in this church sure know how to cook! This is one of my favorite parts of being at Vacation Bible School -- FOOD! *(make it hard to understand because of the food in your mouth)*

Garrett: Uuhhmm . . .did anyone understand what he was saying?

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> Ahem - I think I know what Dr. W was trying to say. (Repeat what he said, exactly like he did -- where you can't understand what you are saying.)

Delicious! The ladies in this church sure know how to cook! This is one of my favorite parts of being at Vacation Bible School -- FOOD!

Garrett: I might be mistaken, but I think it has something to do with food and the fact that Dr. Wissenhalt enjoys it. (both doctors shake heads yes, vigorously.) Now, what is that smell?

(Enter Miss Informed with wheelbarrow, shovel, hot shot, rolling trash can, rope, wearing muck boots, clothespin on nose. All three start holding noses, acting like it smells bad.)

<u>**Dr. Wissenhalt:**</u> (cough, cough) Miss Informed - what have you been doing this morning?

Miss Informed: What I do every morning before I leave home . . . I take care of the animals. I really love animals and I feel like this is the one part of VBS that I know something about. Since in today's lesson plan it says we were going to be doing something with animals, I figured I better be prepared.

<u>Dr. Wissenhalt</u>: The metabolic forces of all fauna toil in symbiosis to create a fascinating and necessary chemical and physical change in the abdominal region of the body called Coprophagia . . . which is a fancy word for excrement. Now, if you will excuse me for just one minute, I will return shortly.

Garrett: Did anyone here understand what he said?

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> I believe he is making the point that animals have a routine. . . . eat, go to the bathroom, eat, go to the bathroom . . . and so on and so on. *(sound of flushing toilet)*

Miss Informed: We all have to go. (*Dr. W. returns here.*) I just thought of this . . . what about the animals that are on the ark and this . . . well . . . you know . . . bathroom situation. That would be a pretty serious janitorial duty for Noah and his family, wouldn't you say?

Garrett: The Bible doesn't tell us every single detail about everything that happened, like how Noah and his family dealt with any animal waste while on the ark. That's why many times, people like us have questions. Questions are always ok to ask.

Dr. Ela Ment: What we **do** know is that God wanted to save the animals in addition to Noah and his family. They were part of His creation and important to him, too. I'm glad because I love animals as well, Miss Informed.

<u>**Dr. Wissenhalt**</u>: Precisely. Now, Miss Informed, for what purpose did you bring these apparatuses here? (*look at rope, hot shot*)

<u>Miss Informed:</u> Well, wouldn't Noah need a method to wrangle all those animals into the ark? I didn't read anything about a set of corrals in the plan. Just not sure how he would get them all to go in that one tiny, little door without one of these guys! (mess with Dr. Ela Ment)

Garrett: That is an effective method currently, Miss Informed, but the Bible tells us that God sent the animals to Noah and there was no wrangling required.

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> Also, God commanded Noah to bring 2 of each **kind...** male and female.

<u>Dr. Wissenhalt:</u> An excellent point and a very important fact from the Bible that is impossible to argue with. The only way to repopulate the different kinds of the animal kingdom after the flood was over would be to have male and female.

(sounds of animals here)

Garrett: Well, it's almost time for us to head to Bible class. Are you ready for the kids to learn about the Animals on the ark?

Miss Informed: I am, but I just need to roll this out of here. It is pretty heavy since it is still full from cleaning out the animal pens this morning. I'll just go this way . . . (accidently trip, trash can falls, all characters spray the audience with silly string or "animal waste") Oh no, I am so sorry! Don't worry -- a little odo-ban works wonders!

Sing one more song, pray then dismiss to Bible class.

Day 4 VBS Skit - The Flood

Garrett: Welcome back to our 4th and final day of Vacation Bible School. We hope your families will come eat lunch with us today at the end of our time together. Also, I want to invite you to worship with us during our regular service times. (*mention those here - slide on ppt*)

Open with a prayer

Songs

I Wanna See Garrett There, Praise the Lord

The B-I-B-L-E

39+27=66

Bible Challenge?? Can anyone say or sing either the OT or NT books from memory? Who Built the Ark - Noah, Noah

No, You Can't Get to Heaven (on roller skates, in a rocket ship, in a limousine)

Blue Skies and Rainbows

O God, You Are My God

Deep and Wide

I've Got the Joy Down in My Heart

Noah Built an Ark

Garrett: Does anyone remember what L.A.B. stands for? (Learning About the Bible) We hope you have learned about the Bible this week. That is our intent, along with having some fun. I am curious what our team of L.A.B. scientists are working on today, aren't you?

(Scientists are busy with their science lab items - drop 1 piece of dry ice into each beaker/flask at a time -- it will make steam - kids will oooohhhh and aaahaahhh! DO NOT TOUCH WITH BARE HANDS!!!)

<u>Dr. Wissenshaft:</u> Our research is almost complete. Calculating the exact angle of the light refraction as it travels through the chemicals will be the proof we need to show the children!

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> Yes, but the room will need to be completely void of light for the results to be the most effective. (*lights go out - do CD rainbow demonstration*)

<u>Dr. Wissenshaft:</u> You see the spectrum of colors in the same formation in all instances -- we can remember it like this . . . ROY G BIV . . . do you know what that means children?

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> (Wait for kids to respond, but lead them through Red, Orange, Yellow, Green, Blue, Indigo, Violet) Excellent!

Garrett: That looks incredible, Dr. Wissenshaft and Dr. Ment. That makes me think of how beautiful the rainbow must have looked to Noah when he and his family saw it in the sky after their long days on the ark. The Bible tells us in Genesis 9, verse 13 I set My rainbow in the cloud, and it shall be for the sign of the covenant between Me and the earth. (maybe explain what a covenant means?)

(Turn on stage light here.)

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> I wonder what could be keeping Miss Informed today. We need to get started with our Bible classes soon. I know she was preparing for today's lesson about the Flood.

(Enter Miss Informed carrying plunger, raincoat, umbrella and bucket. Wet boots sloshing sound)

Miss Informed: Did somebody mention a flood?

<u>Dr. Wissenshaft:</u> Why yes . . . (scooting away from Miss Informed because he is worried about where the plunger has been) . . .we did. That is what today's lesson is about - the Biblical account of the global flood.

<u>Miss Informed:</u> I have encountered a flood of my own when I came in this morning to prepare for my VBS class. Apparently, there was a slight problem in the sink that I am unable to fix. Water is everywhere and my tutu and wig are ruined! Everytime I try to do something, it seems to get all messed up. The kids will never listen to an **old, animal-loving, teacher** like me. . . . I think I will just . . . give up . . . (big theater cry here . .) (Scientists pat Miss Informed to make feel better.)

Dr. Wissenhalt: Have faith!

<u>Dr. Ela Ment:</u> Don't ever quit teaching!

Garrrett: Oh now, Miss Informed - that's where you are mistaken. Our Bible lessons this week have laid the perfect foundation for our kids to see that listening to an old, animal loving teacher . . . might just save their lives and more importantly, their souls.

ENTER NOAH to preach and tell it from the Bible. (We had one of our elders dressed up as Noah, walking in slowly, dramatically to the front of the church. You could have heard a pin drop!!!!!)

As Noah is finishing, sounds of rain lightly falling. After Noah is done . . . someone in hallway close the door of the ark, sounds of door closing. Sounds of rain continue.

Miss Informed: Garrett, kids, Dr. W and Dr. Ment . . . I want to tell you something. I want to be on the ark. You got your wish when you said you hoped I would believe the Bible is true by the end of the week. I went to the wrong source for information. After being here this week, I do believe the earth is young, not billions of years old. I believe God instructed Noah to build it specifically. I believe the animals were saved, as was Noah and his family from a flood that covered the entire planet of Earth. I won't be needing these books anymore. (old evolution books) There is only 1 book I need. (hold up Bible) Thank you. And one more thing . . . I never told you my first name --(flip name tag) Miss Proper Leigh Informed!

<u>**Dr. Wissenshaft:**</u> Delightful! I knew science would play a part in teaching you the Truth! I am ecstatic! (High fives all around)

Dr. Ela Ment: Garrett, what happens now? What should we know and do?

Garrett's mini-sermon

Sing 1 more song, pray and be dismissed to class.

Final Session VBS

- 1. Welcome to parents or anyone there. pray
- 2. Restate the lessons we learned and where they were found. (materials from Apologetics Press)
- 3. Thanks to: our elders, deacons and church members who pray for and support this effort, helpers and teachers (before, during and now after), Thriftway donation of grocery take-home bags, Clint and Sons Processing in White Deer for animal organs
- 4. Ask parents to talk with their kids about what they learned.
- 5. If they have any questions about the content or other items, please contact us. Invite to worship/other events.
- 6. Class awards
 - a. Preschool Polar Bears Robin Smith
 - b. Primary Peacocks Cathy Burrell, Betty Rives
 - c. Intermediate Iguanas Karen Jones, Judy Woollard
 - d. Junior Jaguars & Bible Bowl Garrett & Brittany (and Emmitt:) English
 - e. Crafty Girls Award Lisa McCasland, Bree McConnell, Wanda Page, Mackenzi Stiles
 - f. Recognize our youth who helped out this week: Kathryn Woollard, Tori _____ (I don't know her last name!!!), Paiton Smith, Stanford Corse, Etta Corse, Hennesey Holwick, Hayden Holwick (if they help in the primary class on Friday)
- 7. Song
- 8. Pray