Master Plan

Promises, Promises

	LESSON TITLE/SCRIPTURE	CENTRAL POINT	STUDENT APPLICATION
1	OFF TO A GREAT START Genesis 1, 2	In his love and power, God created everything and gave humans a special place in it.	I should thank God for the good gifts in cre- ation and take care of my creation-home.
2	NOBODY KNOWS THE TROUBLE I'VE CAUSED Genesis 2:16, 17; 3:1–19	Adam and Eve sinned by distrusting and disobeying God's word. Besides giving them their punishment, God also gave them the promise of future victory over Satan.	I can form strategies to resist temptation and look to Jesus as the victor over Satan.
3	PROTECTION AND PUNISHMENT Genesis 4:1–16; 6:5–13, 17–21; 11:1–9	In the midst of sin, we see God at work saving his people. This salvation preserves the seed of the woman and brings judgment on the offspring of Satan.	I can be safe in Christ, my ark, when the Last Judgment occurs.
4	PROMISES, PROMISES Genesis 12, 15, 16	Abraham's faith, in waiting for the fulfillment of God's promise, becomes a model for future believers.	I can trust what God says.
5	FINALLY FULFILLED Genesis 17; 18:1–15; 21:1–7; Galatians 3:6–9	God established his covenant with Abraham and fulfilled his promises. Through Christ, we are children of Abraham.	I can be assured that God fulfills all his promises and look to Christ as the ultimate covenant keeper.
6	A TOUGH TEST Genesis 22:1–19; Hebrews 11:17–19	Abraham's faith in God allowed him to obey the Lord even when it meant sacrificing Isaac.	I can trust God in tough situations.
7	GOD ARRANGES A MARRIAGE Genesis 24; Matthew 10:29, 30; 1 Corinthians 7:39; 2 Corinthians 6:14–16; 1 Peter 5:7	God showed his faithfulness and care by providing a wife for Isaac from within the covenant people.	I can have confidence in God's care for me. I should date and marry only Christians.
8	SCOUNDREL AND SAINT Genesis 25:19–34; 27–29, 32	God sovereignly worked his purposes out in sinful Jacob's life and continued to show his faithfulness to his promises.	I can⊥rest in God's sovereignty.
9	WHEN LIFE IS THE PITS Genesis 37, 39–41	God is in control even when the circum- stances of life make it seem as if his promises have failed.	I can be assured of God's constant presence, even in hard times.
10	FAMILY REUNION Genesis 42–50	God worked his will even through the evil done to Joseph. Nothing thwarts God's plans and promises.	I can trust God to work for my good in all things.
11	SATAN TAKES IT OUT ON THE KIDS Exodus 1–4	Continuing to be faithful to his promises, God prepared Moses to be the instrument by which he would deliver his people from slavery in Egypt.	I can be confident that God will use me despite my weaknesses and excuses.
12	DON'T PLAY AROUND WITH PLAGUES Exodus 5–11	God prepared for the deliverance of his people by defeating the Egyptian gods, showing that he is the One true God.	I must confess that the Lord Almighty is the One true God.
13	PACK UP THE KIDS, WE'RE TAKING A TRIP Exodus 12:1–15:18	God fulfills his promise by rescuing his people from their bondage and judging their enemies.	I must look to Jesus for rescue from the bondage of sin.