

Books in Motion

Genesis – Ruth

As you are teaching children the books of the Bible, communicate the meaning behind the motions.

When reviewing the books of the Bible, simply say the book while doing the motion.

GENESIS: *God creates the world.* Begin with your arms above your head and bring them down in a circular motion.

EXODUS: *God leads the Israelites out of Egypt.* Using your right hand, stick your thumb up. Move your thumb over your right shoulder.

LEVITICUS: *God gives us laws.* Salute when you say Leviticus.

NUMBERS: *God's people are counted.* With the pointer finger of your right hand, count the fingers on your left hand.

DEUTERONOMY: *We learn to love God with all our heart.* Place your right hand over your heart.

JOSHUA: *Joshua was a brave soldier who stood for God.* Pretend to swing your sword.

JUDGES: *God chose judges to make decisions.* Touch your pointer finger to the side of your head like you are trying to make a decision.

RUTH: *Ruth was faithful to her mother-in-law.* Curtsy.