

1. What did God do for the Shunammite boy?
2. Who does the Shunammite woman turn to when her son dies?
3. Who in the story has control over life and death?

1. How does Elisha show that he believes God has control over life and death?
2. Who can you turn to when life is hard or you're worried or sad about death?
3. How do they feel when the boy is brought back to life?
4. How can you show God you are thankful that he gave you life?

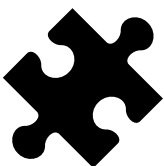
1. In this story a son dies and then is brought back to life to show that God has control over life and death. Can you think of another time that happens? (Jesus)
2. Can you think of some ways that the death and resurrection of Jesus is different to this?



Yesterday, Today and Forever – Vicky Beeching
He's got the whole world in his hands
Whole world in His Hands – Tim Hughes



Bake a cake! Even if it's not your birthday.
Make cards for people, you could pre-prepare birthday cards for your relatives this year or make happy un-birthday cards.



Make and play some typical birthday party games: pass the parcel, musical chairs or statues, pint the tale on the donkey. a piñata. You don't need to spend or get anything new just find treasures from around your home.