

# Faith

I can trust in God even though I cannot see Him.

*Trust in the Lord forever.  
Isaiah 26:4*

## Seeing Sea Monkeys

Bobby's grandparents gave him Sea Monkeys for Christmas. Sea Monkeys are tiny shrimp that hatch when you pour their eggs in water.

Bobby was so excited that he asked Mommy to start his Sea Monkeys for him right away. Mommy poured the water into his Sea Monkey house, and emptied the packets that came with the kit.

The next day, Mommy held the container up to the light and told Bobby to look. "There they are," she said. "There are your Sea Monkeys."

Bobby looked and looked, but he couldn't see anything. "There's nothing there!" he cried. "There are no Sea Monkeys!"

"Yes," assured Mommy, "they are tiny specks, but they're there."

"But I can't see them," said Bobby. "There's nothing there."

"Wait a few days," said Mommy. "They'll get bigger, and you'll see."

Just because you can't see something doesn't mean that it's not there. Bobby didn't believe that there were Sea Monkeys in his container because he couldn't see them. A couple of days later, however, he was surprised to see that they were there after all!

In the same way, just because you can't see God doesn't mean that He's not with you. He is there, and He's taking care of you every day.

## Your Turn

1. Why didn't Bobby believe that there were Sea Monkeys in the container?
2. Tell about a time you didn't believe something because you couldn't see it.

## Prayer

God, I know that even though I can't see You, You're still there all the time. .  
Amen.