

# WEEK 1

## SMALL GROUP GUIDE

# UP IN THE AIR

## THE BIG IDEA

I can dream big with God.

## THE BIBLE

**Elijah Taken Up to Heaven:** II Kings 2:1-2, 6-14;  
Psalm 66:1-9

## QUESTIONS

- Before Elijah went to heaven, what did he ask Elisha?
- What did Elisha ask for? What might you have asked for if you were Elisha?
- How do we know that Elisha's big dream came true?
- Read Psalm 66:5-6. How do these verses remind you of today's Bible story?
- What is a dream you have that some people might think are too big?
- What would it take to make your dream come true?
- Why can we trust God with our dreams?

## ACTIVITY

Have kids follow the directions below to make their own dream mobile.

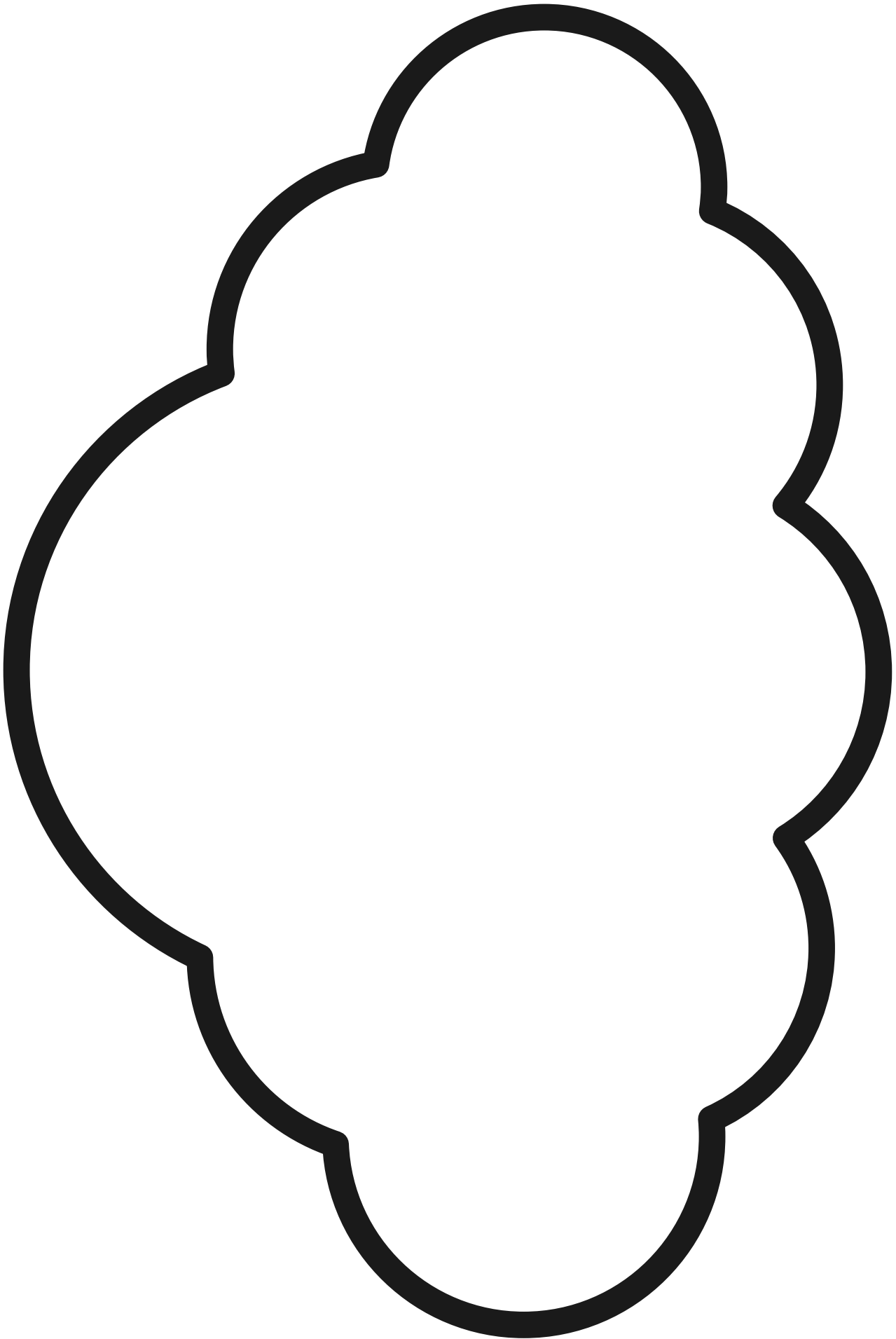
1. On the printable, write the dreams you have – big or small – on each cloud.
2. Overlap the printable with a second piece of paper and cut out the clouds together so that you have two of each cloud.
3. Glue or staple pairs of clouds together and stuff a piece of cotton inside.
4. Attach a piece of string to the top of each cloud.
5. Take two sticks and cross them in an "X" shape. Tape or glue the "X" shape in place.
6. Then, hang your dream clouds from the ends of the "X" to make a mobile.

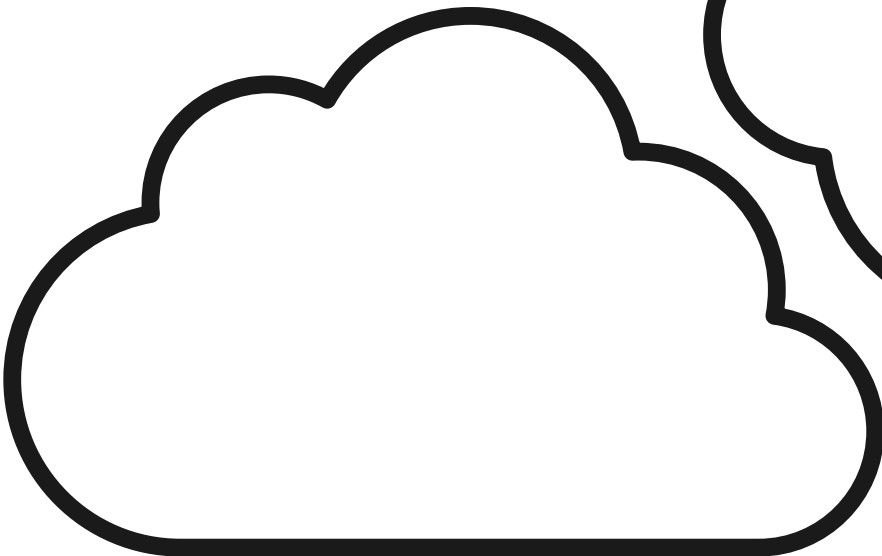
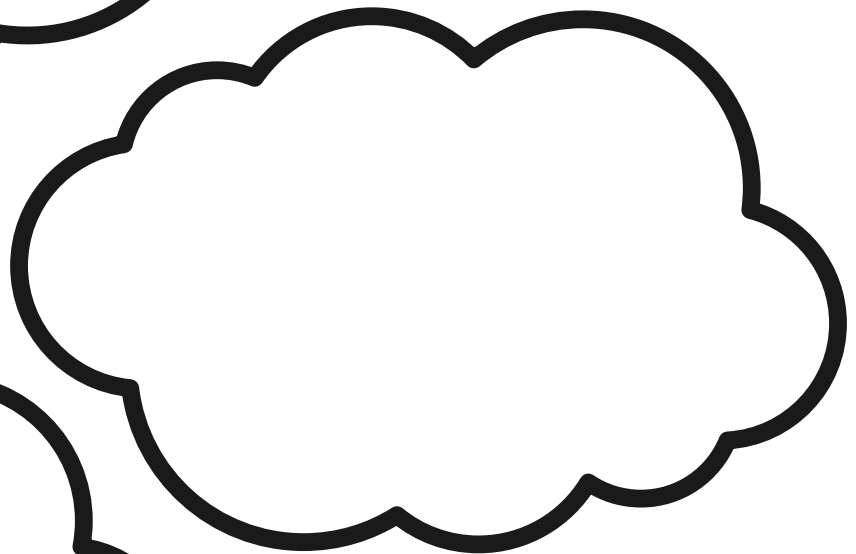
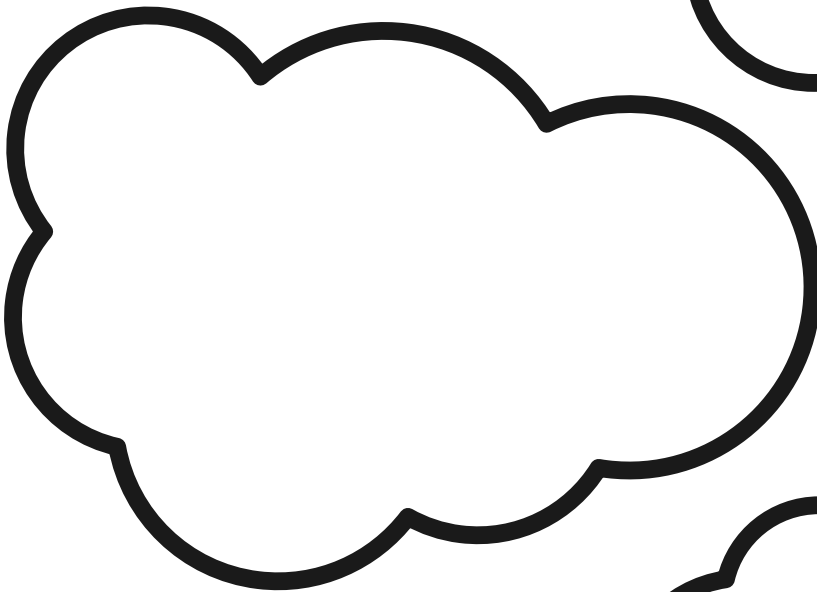
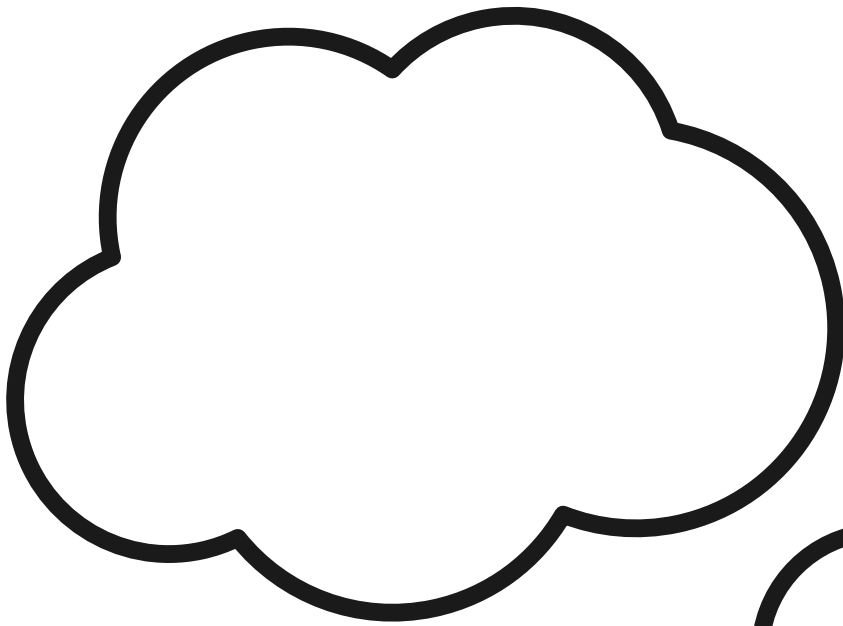
God is bigger than our dreams and powerful enough to help us fulfill the right ones. These mobiles will be a great way to remember that **I can dream big with God!**

## MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH: Colossians 3:2 (NIV)

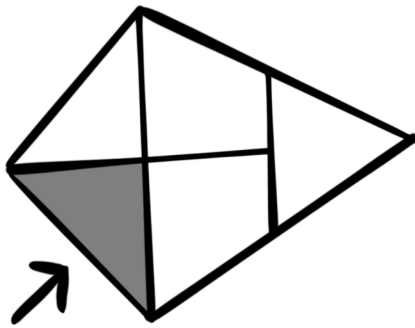
**"Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things."**

Looking for sign language? Go to [growcurriculum.org/Colossians3-2](http://growcurriculum.org/Colossians3-2) and get memorizing!





**\* Assemble the pieces  
together into a kite.**



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