

# GOOD GIFTS COME FROM GOD

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Dedicated to Josie, Michael, and Noah Carroll.  
May your eyes be opened to see the  
goodness of God and may you embrace  
Jesus as the greatest gift of all.

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# EVERY GOOD GIFT, AND EVERY PERFECT GIFT IS FROM ABOVE.

JAMES 1:17a





Look  
at all these  
presents!

How many presents are there?

What could be inside some of these packages?


What special presents have you been given?

Who gave you these gifts?

They are so pretty with their special wrapping paper and bows!

Maybe you got a special gift from your mommy or daddy.  
Grandmas and grandpas give special gifts, too!

They wrap them in pretty paper and bows, and they  
are so happy to give them to you.

A vibrant, colorful illustration of children playing in a park. In the foreground, a young girl with blonde pigtails, wearing a yellow sweater and a pink scarf, is looking towards a boy with dark curly hair who is holding a red ball with white polka dots. In the background, three other children are running and playing on a grassy hill. The sky is filled with falling autumn leaves in shades of orange, yellow, and red. A ladybug with a smiling face is flying in the upper left corner. The overall scene is bright and cheerful, representing the theme of 'gifts' mentioned in the text.

But not all gifts come wrapped in paper and bows.  
There are gifts given to you every day  
that have no wrapping at all!

A warm hug, a big smile, kind words said to you,  
and a friend who shares their toys are all good gifts.