The \$1,000 Giveaway

Some Federal Reserve Banks distribute small packages of shredded currency. If you can acquire one of these, put it in a bag and tell your students that you have a bag with a \$1,000 in it and yes, it's real money. Who would like it? Beforehand tape a ticket under one chair. Have the kids check their chairs and whoever has the ticket, gets the money. Call up the winner and show them the shredded money. It's real money; it just can't be used for anything.

Spiritual Application: Are you disappointed? Did you know that God will never let you down? He is trustworthy and faithful and He will always bring His promises to pass. See Isaiah 25:1, 1 Kings 8:56, 2 Corinthians 1:20, or even the story of God fulfilling His promise to Abraham and Sarah in Genesis 15:1-6; 17:15-21; 18:1-15; and 21:1-8.