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Talk About It

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3. Who are some Goliaths you have known?
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Live It

For families to do together: Get out a rubber band and some cotton balls. Take turns trying to hit a target with the cotton balls, using the rubber bands to sling them across the room. Then, take turns being the different characters of this story as you act it out.

For pre-k kids: Draw a picture of someone you can ask for help when you are afraid.



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