



From the Gospel of Matthew in the Bible
Matthew 19, verses 13-15 (International Children's Bible)

¹³ Then the people brought their little children to Jesus so that he could put his hands on them and pray for them. When his followers saw this, they told the people to stop bringing their children to Jesus. ¹⁴ But Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me. Don't stop them, because the kingdom of heaven belongs to people who are like these children." ¹⁵ After Jesus put his hands on the children, he left there.

From the Gospel of Mark in the Bible
Mark 10, verses 13-16 (International Children's Bible)

¹³ Some people brought their small children to Jesus so he could touch them. But his followers told the people to stop bringing their children to him. ¹⁴ When Jesus saw this, he was displeased. He said to them, "Let the little children come to me. Don't stop them. The kingdom of God belongs to people who are like these little children. ¹⁵ I tell you the truth. You must accept the kingdom of God as a little child accepts things, or you will never enter it." ¹⁶ Then Jesus took the children in his arms. He put his hands on them and blessed them.

From the Gospel of Luke in the Bible
Luke 18, verses 15-17 (International Children's Bible)

¹⁵ Some people brought their small children to Jesus so that he could touch them. When the followers saw this, they told the people not to do this. ¹⁶ But Jesus called the little children to him and said to his followers, "Let the little children come to me. Don't stop them, because the kingdom of God belongs to people who are like these little children. ¹⁷ I tell you the truth. You must accept God's kingdom like a little child, or you will never enter it!"