# Go and Tell Bible Truth Concept Craft

# **Repent Means Living for God**

### **Craft Description**

The children will create a card that looks like prayer hands on the outside and opens up to show hands holding up a stop sign. on the inside. They will learn that repenting means to ask God for forgiveness for our sins and turning away from our sin to live for God.

#### **Materials**

Cardstock/Paper Crayons/Markers

Optional: Glitter glue or other fun decorating supplies

### **Preparations**

- 1. Make copies of the card (two-sided) onto cardstock.
- 2. Set out crayons/markers, paper.
- 3. Make a sample copy of the craft.

## **Introducing the Craft:**

"Our Big Question is: 'What Is the Gospel?' We've learned that 'It's Salvation through Faith in Jesus Christ... God saves all who repent of their sins and trust in Jesus as their Savior!' That's something very good to know. But many people don't know it! So do you know what God wants us to do? He wants us to go and tell others this very important news. Today we are going to make something we can show and tell them, too. Here's what it looks like..." (Hold up example of craft)

#### **Directions**

- 1. Show children your finished craft, reading the words to them.
- 2. Have children color in the pictures of the hands and the stop sign.
- 3. If desired, you can provide glitter glue or other decorating supplies to add rings, finger nail polish, etc to the hands on the outside of the card.
- 4. Fold card along middle.
- 5. Make sure to write each child's name on their craft.

#### **Discussion**

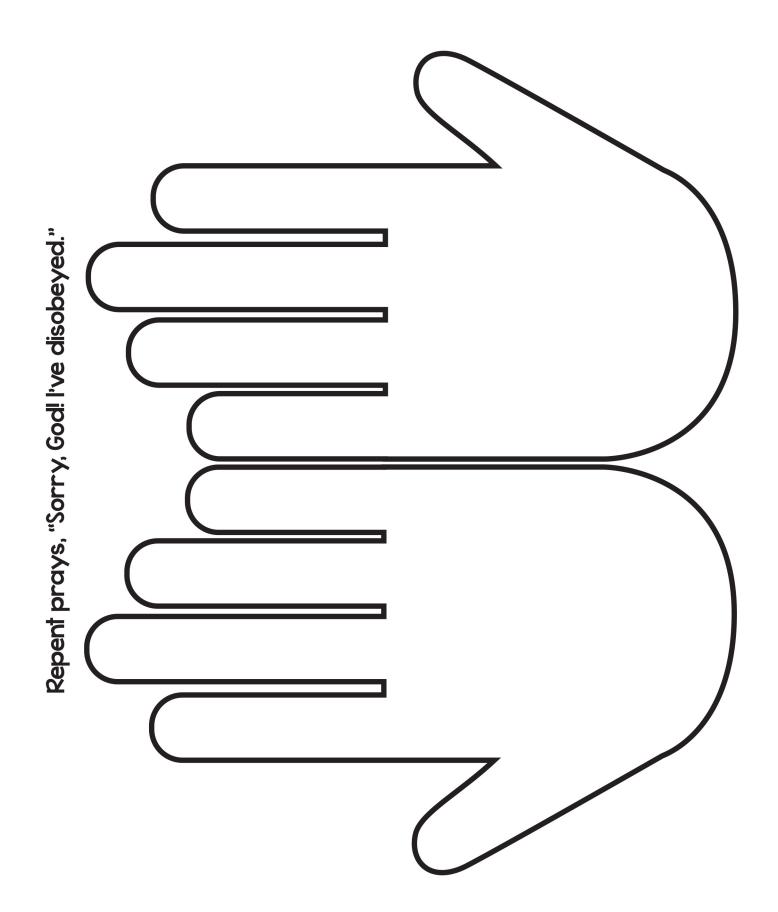
This is an especially good time to re-read the key concepts and discuss them. See Deep Down Discussion Sheet for possible questions to talk about.

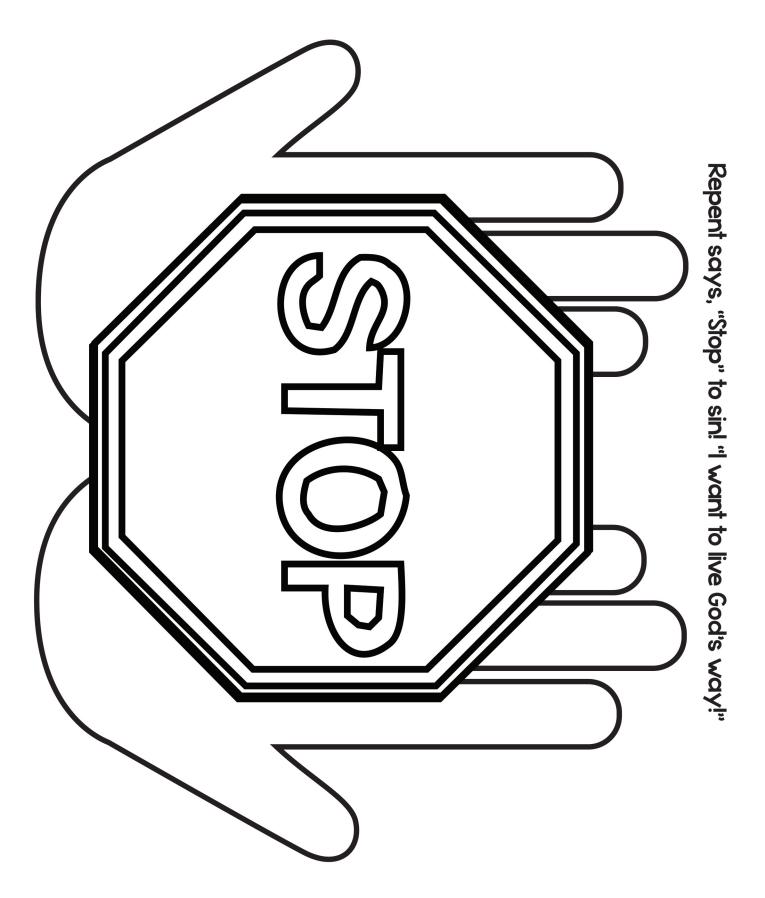
## **Craft Wrap Up:**

"At the end of our time together today, you get to take home your Go and Tell crafts. And what are you going to do with them? Show and tell someone the important news you've learned today."

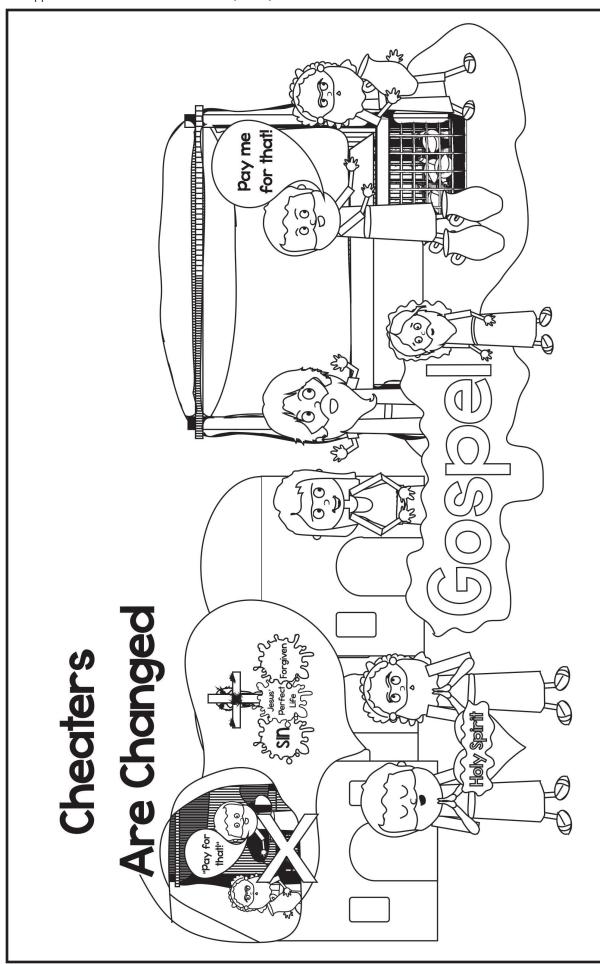
Practice saying the words to the little rhyme about repent, opening the card up and emphasizing the word "Stop" as you as come to it in the rhyme.

Appendix C: Crafts and Take Home Sheets, Unit 3, Bible Truth 4: Extra Crafts





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## The Case of the Changes in Cruddy Crete Jigsaw Puzzle Page Titus

Make copies of picture and cut out into an appropriate number of pieces for your children. Or, you can print out color versions of this puzzle by downloading it from praisefactory.org.

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