
Go and Tell Bible Truth Concept Craft

Make Much of God Card

Craft Description

The children will create a card of a person with arms that move up and down, as if rejoicing in the Lord.

Materials

White paper or cardstock

optional: 8.5"x 11" piece of poster board per craft for extra sturdiness and glue

Markers or crayons

2 small butterfly paper fasteners (a.k.a. brads)

Preparations

1. Print out on white cardstock. the craft pages, having 1 copy of the card and 1 set of arms per craft.
2. If using poster board for reinforcement, glue card onto poster board.
3. Cut out sets of arms.
4. Set out markers/crayons, glue (regular glue), and cotton balls.

Introducing the Craft:

"Our Big Question is: "How Should God's People Live Each Day? They Should Live Like Jesus...by making much of God!" That's something very good to know. But many people don't know that. So, do you know what God wants us to do? He wants us to go and tell others this very important news. So 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

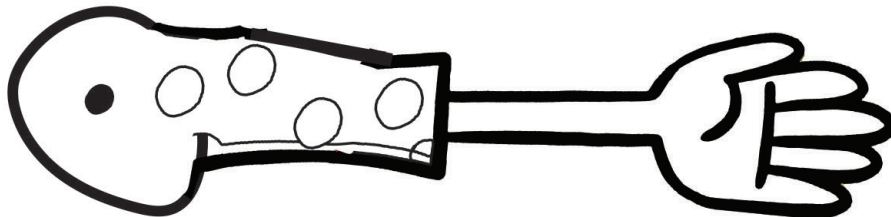
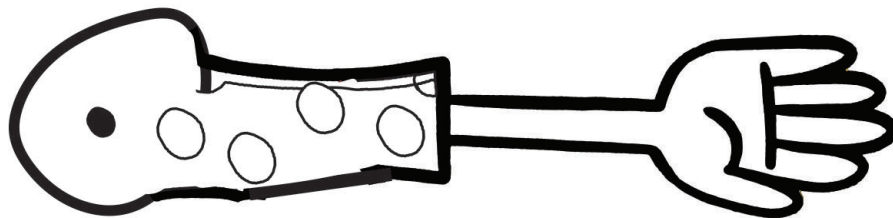
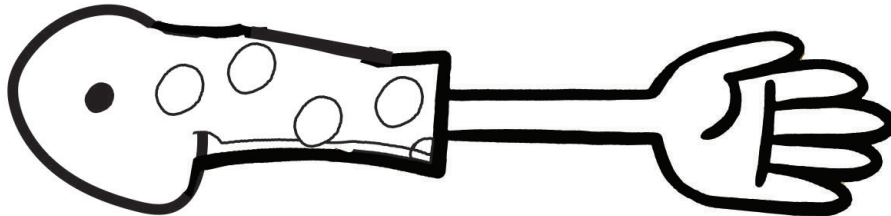
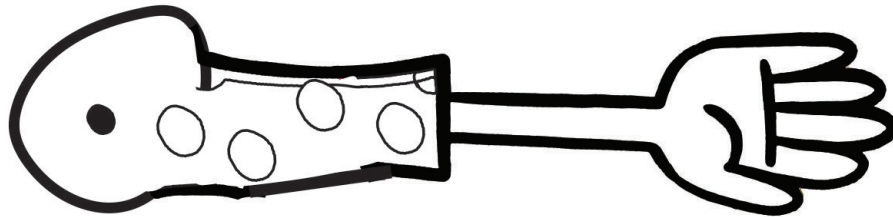
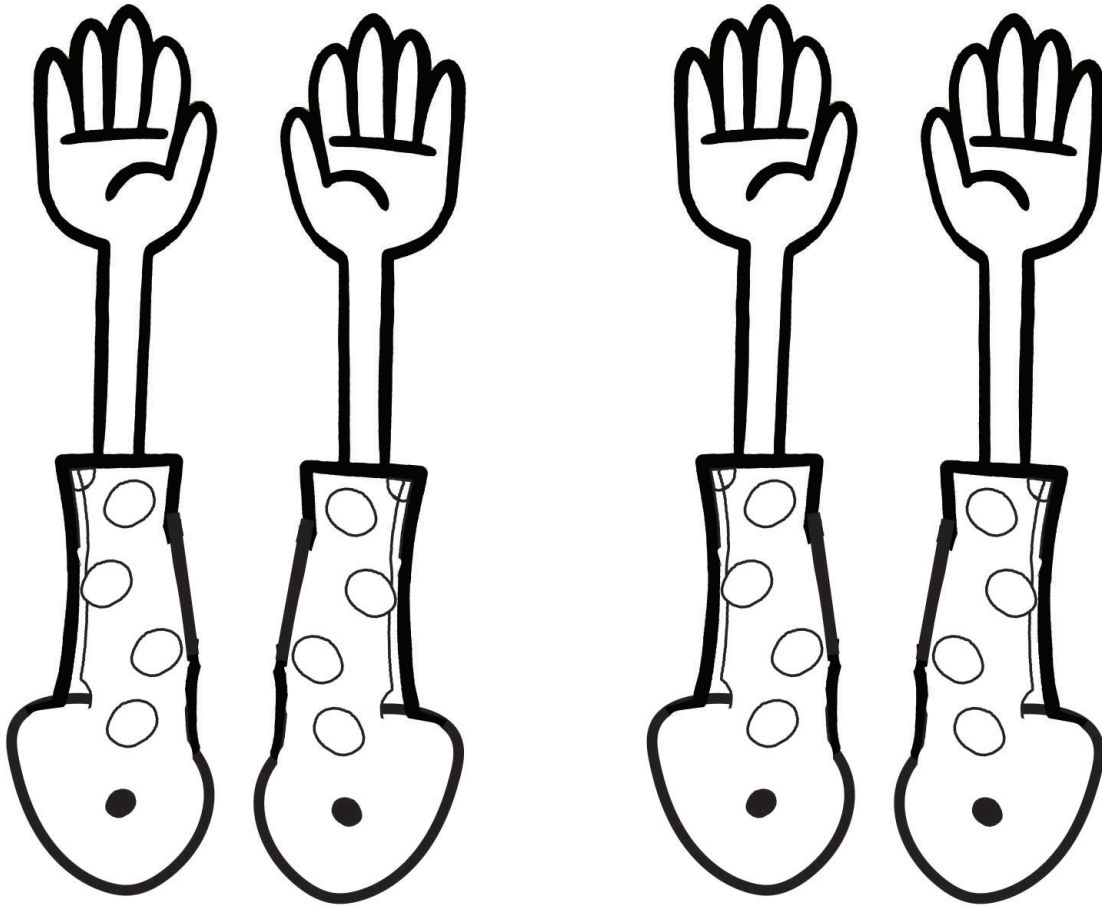
1. Show children your finished craft, reading the words to them.
2. Have the children color in the picture of the boy and his arms.
3. Teacher attaches arms in place with use of the paper fasteners.
4. Make sure to write each child's name on their craft.
5. If you have time, you can practice saying the words on the card.

Discussion

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

Craft Wrap Up:

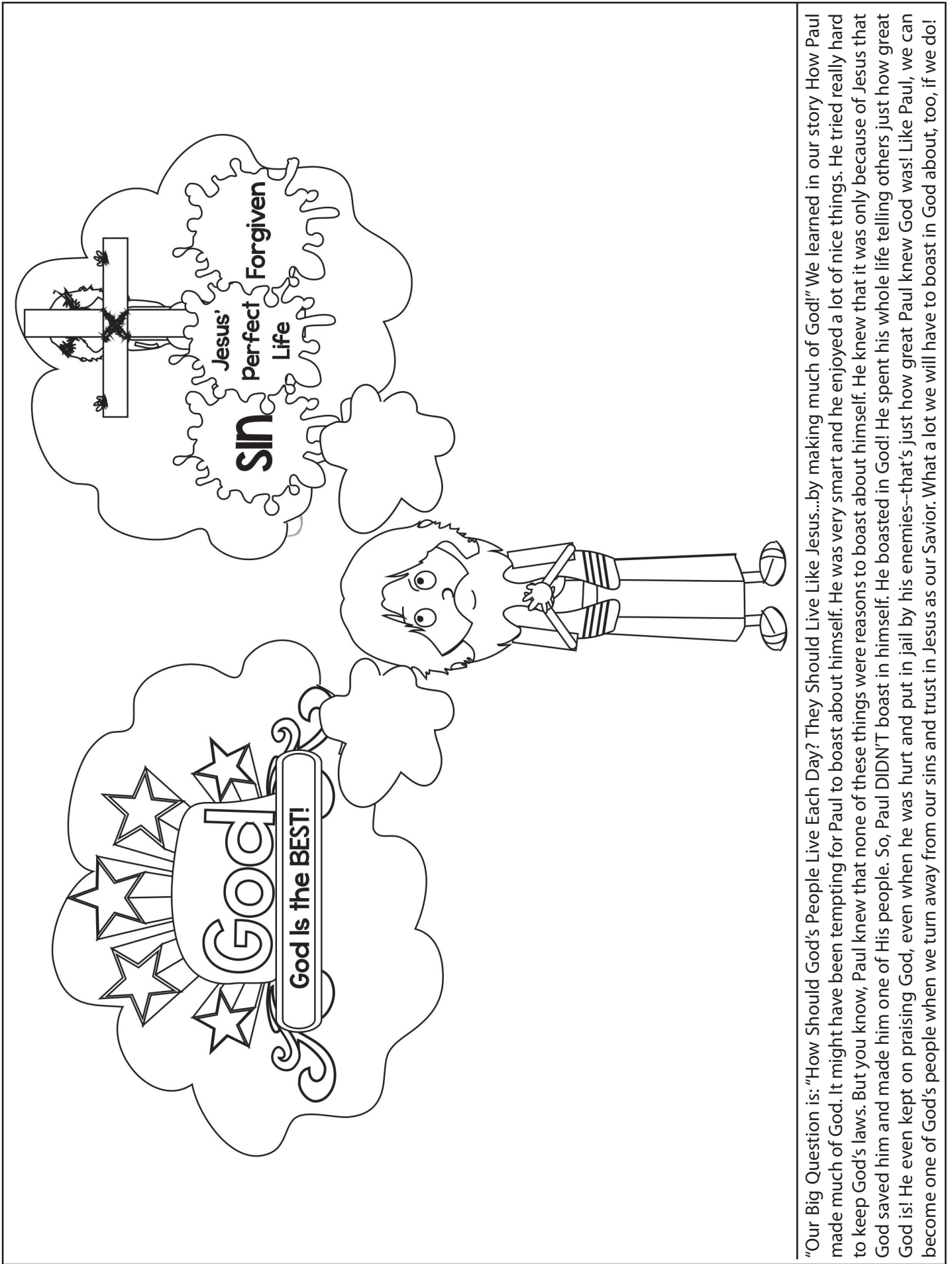
"At the end of our time together today, you get to take home your Go and Tell crafts. And what are you going to do with them? Show and tell someone the important news you've learned today: "How Should God's People Live Each Day? They Should Live Like Jesus...by making much of God!"



How Should God's People Live Each Day? They Should Live Like Jesus... by making much of God!



"Shout with joy to God, all the earth! Sing the glory of His name! Say to God, how awesome are your deeds! Come and see what God has done... Let me tell you what he has done for me." Psalm 66:1-3,5,9,16, NIV 1984



"Our Big Question is: "How Should God's People Live Each Day? They Should Live Like Jesus...by making much of God!" We learned in our story How Paul made much of God. It might have been tempting for Paul to boast about himself. He was very smart and he enjoyed a lot of nice things. He tried really hard to keep God's laws. But you know, Paul knew that none of these things were reasons to boast about himself. He knew that it was only because of Jesus that God saved him and made him one of His people. So, Paul DIDN'T boast in himself. He boasted in God! He spent his whole life telling others just how great God is! He even kept on praising God, even when he was hurt and put in jail by his enemies--that's just how great Paul knew God was! Like Paul, we can become one of God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. What a lot we will have to boast in God about, too, if we do!

The Case of the Boastful Man Jigsaw Puzzle Page

Acts 7-9,22; Romans; 1 & 2 Corinthians; Ephesians; Philippians

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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