



Can Anybody Tell Me What the LORD Is Like?



ANSWER:

He's Not Like Anyone Else!

VISUAL
AID
#1

take out
Big
Question
Briefcase
of BQB

The Big Question

*Hold up the Big Question sign for all the children to see,
and say:*

The Big Question we are investigating today is
Big Question Number 4:

Can Anybody Tell Me What the LORD Is Like?
and the Answer is:
He's Not Like Anyone Else!

Meaning:

There are many gods that people worship, but none is like the LORD. He is the one, true God. He's not like anyone else! He's always been alive--and He will never die. He's completely good and loving. He's all-powerful and all-wise. And that's just the beginning of what the LORD is like. He is so great! There will always be more of Him to know.

Let's sing our Big Question Song:"

Big Q & A 4 Song

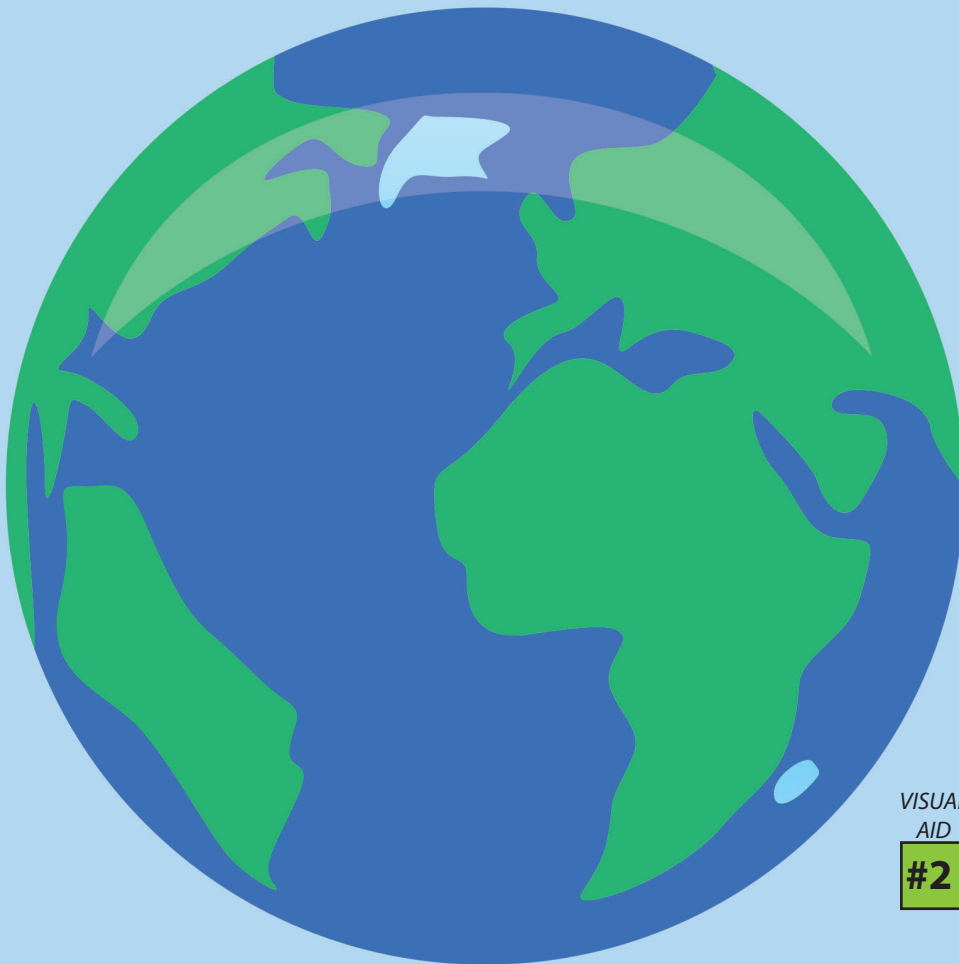
*HSK ESV Songs 4, track 12
(adapted version of "Have You Ever Seen a Lassie")*

Can anybody tell me,
Tell me, tell me,
Can anybody tell me,
What the LORD is like?
He's not like anyone else,
Anyone else, anyone else,
He's not like anyone else,
That's what the LORD is like.

"O LORD...there is no God like you....



in heaven above....



or on earth beneath." 1 Kings 8:23

Unit 4 Bible Verse

"Who would like to get our Bible verse out of the Big Question Briefcase for me?"

Choose a child to open the briefcase, take out the "Bible" with the Bible Verse in it and hand it to you. Remove the Bible Verse Picture from the "Bible" (held in place by velcro) and hold it up for all the children to see, then say:

1 King 8:23, ESV

"O LORD...there is no God like you, in heaven above or on earth beneath."

Meaning:

The LORD is the one, true God. There is no one like Him, in heaven or earth. Let's praise Him!

"We've said our Bible verse, now let's sing it!"

O, O LORD: 1 Kings 8:23

HSK ESV Songs 4, track 15

O, O, LORD,
There is no, no God like You,
O, O, LORD,
There is no God like You.
O, O, LORD,
There is no, no God like You,
First Kings Eight, twenty-three.

"Now it's time to do a bit more deep down investigating. Let's read Detective Dan wants us to help him figure out. Would someone like to get it out for me?"

"The Case of the Big Showdown" Exodus 1-12



Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #1

1. A showdown is like a fight to see who's the best. Who won the showdown in this story?
2. What did He prove when He won?



Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #2

1 Kings 8:23, ESV:

"O LORD... there is no God like you in heaven above or on earth beneath."

1. Who didn't believe the LORD was the one, true God in our story?
2. How did the LORD show that He really was the one, true God?

(more listening and discussion questions are included in the curriculum at praisefactory.org)



I. God's people were very sad. A mighty, mean king was hurting them. He made them work too hard. He didn't take care of them. He wouldn't let them go home.



2. "Help us, LORD! Help us! DO SOMETHING!" God's people cried out.



3. The LORD heard His people's prayers. He sent Moses and Aaron to rescue them. "The LORD says: 'Let My people go!' they told the king. But the king said "No! I will not let them go! Instead, I will make the people sadder. I will make them work harder." And he did just that.

Moses and the people cried out to the LORD again. "Help us! D000000 SOMETHING!" And He did.



4. The LORD rescued His people. He sent many sad things upon the king, the king's people, and his land.



5. But the LORD protected His people from all the sad things.



6. God's people praised the LORD. He had made the mighty, mean king free them. And, He showed the whole world He really is the one, true God!

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Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #1

1. A showdown is like a fight to see who's the best. Who won the showdown in this story?
The LORD.

2. What did He prove when He won?
The LORD showed that He was the one, true God.

For You and Me:
The LORD showed He was the one, true God long ago, and He is still the one, true God today. There's no one better to love and obey than Him. His good plans for His people and this world will always win! Let's ask Him to help us to put our trust in Him.



Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #2

1 Kings 8:23, ESV:

"O LORD... there is no God like you in heaven above or on earth beneath."

1. Who didn't believe the LORD was the one, true God in our story? The mean, mighty king (Pharaoh) and his people.

2. How did the LORD show that He really was the one, true God?

He rescued His people from the mean, mighty king and did it in such great ways that even the king had to say that the LORD is God in heaven and on earth!

For You and Me:

The LORD is still the one, true God. There are none other like Him in heaven or on earth. And the amazing thing is, this great God wants us to be His people! Let's ask Him to help us to turn away from our sins and put our trust in His Son, Jesus, as our Savior. He loves to answer this prayer.

Our Bible Truth is:
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The Gospel



The LORD is the one, true God. We should all obey Him. But, like the mighty, mean king in our story, we all say "no" to God and we deserve God's punishment! How sad!

But, oh, how kind is the LORD! He sent His Son, Jesus, to save us! Jesus lived a perfect life. Then, He offered it up as the full payment for our sins when He suffered and died on the cross. Jesus didn't stay dead. On Day Three, Jesus rose from the dead, proving He had beaten sin and death for God's people.

We can be God's people, too, if we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. If we do, we will get to know God in our hearts, now. And one day, we will go to live with God forever. Ask God to help you trust in Jesus. He loves to answer this prayer.



A Prayer

A We praise you, God. You are the one, true God in heaven above and here on earth.

C God, in our heart, we know that You are God and that we should obey You, but many times we don't want to. Please forgive us. We need a Savior!

T Thank You for not just being good and great, but being so good and so great to people like us! Thank You for caring about us so much and for wanting us to know You. And thank You so much for sending Jesus to be our Savior.

S Work deep inside our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to know You and live for You. Help us to go and tell others what we've learned about You, the one, true God.

In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

