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#### Hide 'n' Seek Kids Curriculum Resources

There are five companion resources for each of the four volumes of Hide 'n' Seek Kids. (Each volume contains four units. There are sixteen units in total in the currciulum.) Use whichever resources are useful to your setting. Hide 'n' Seek Kids resources are available as free, digital downloads at praisefactory.org, or for purchase as hard copies through amazon.com.

Make sure to check out the "Bits and Pieces" section of the Hide 'n' Seek Kids curriculum online. It has all of the resources separated out making it easy for you simply to pick, choose and print out whatever you want.

#### Hide 'n' Seek Kids Core Curriculum Book, ESV/NIV for each volume

The Hide'n' Seek Kids Core Curriculum book contains the curriculum introduction, the lesson plans, stories, music, activities and take home sheets for each of the units.

#### Hide 'n' Seek Kids Visual Aids with Simple Story Scenes, ESV/NIV for each volume

This resource provides large, colorful signs of the key concepts used in the unit, PLUS, easy-to-use, colorful scenes that you hold up in sequence as you tell the story. The story text for each scene in printed on the bottom of each scene.

#### Hide 'n' Seek Kids Simple Story Scenes, ESV/NIV for each volume

This resource includes only 2-page overview for Bible Truth, the story scenes, and the take-home sheets. This is a great, basic resource for use at home or informal teaching situations.

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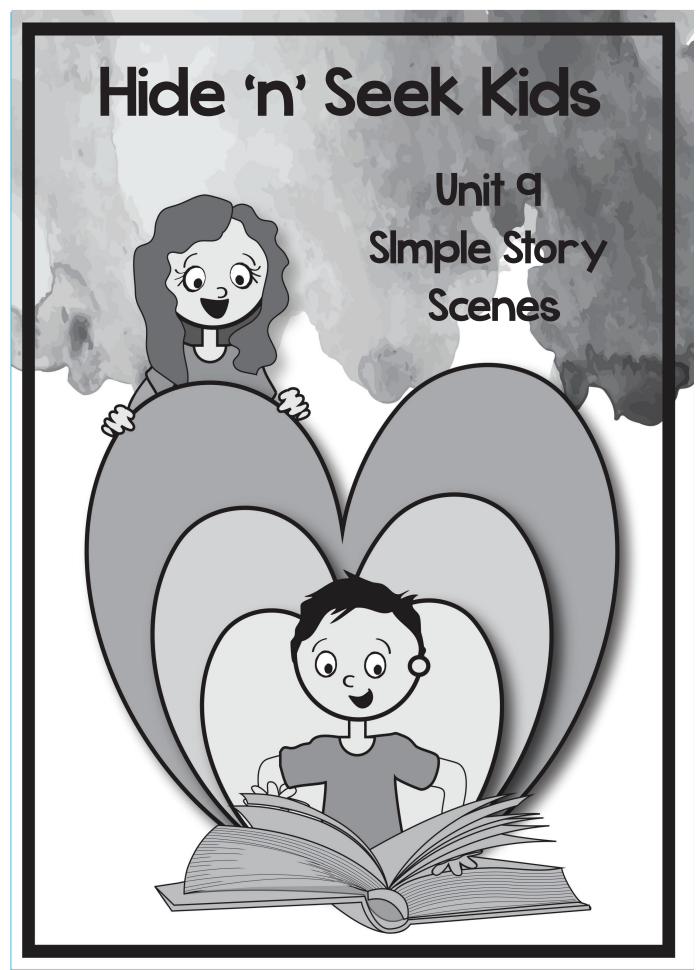
#### Other Resources in the Praise Factory Family of Curriculum

Hide 'n' Seek Kids is the first in a family of three, inter-related curriculums:

- Hide 'n' Seek Kids (focus group: ages 2-4; adaptable range: ages 2-pre-K 5's)
- Deep Down Detectives (focus group: ages 4--6's; adaptable range: ages 3-2nd grade)
- PFI: (focus group: grades K-5th grade; adaptable range: pre-K 5's-6th grade)

Each curriculum teaches the same biblical themes, but are presented in greater depth as the children grow and develop. Together, the curriculums work like an expanding spiral of truth that returns to reinforce the same truths with each curriculum, yet leading the children to deeper understanding with each step up.

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#### Unit 9 Overview of Key Concepts

#### **UNIT 9: Jesus Christ, Immanuel, God with Us**

Unit Big Question (and Answer): "What Did Jesus Come to Do? Jesus Came to Bring Us to God!"

#### **Meaning:**

In the beginning, God created the world. Everything God created was perfect. Best of all, people knew and loved God in a wonderful, perfectly close way. How good was the world that God created!

But sadly, life did not stay this way. People chose to disobey God and this perfect life was broken. Disobeying God is called "sin." People's sin brought sickness, sadness, and death into God's good world. Sin broke our special closeness with God, too. We can see it when we look inside our hearts. We do not love God or others as we should. Saddest of all, sin meant we deserved never to know God's love, only His punishment for our sins.

But God has been so kind to us. He has treated us much better than we could ever deserve! Even from the very beginning, God had an amazing plan to rescue us. He promised to send a Savior who would rescue His people. This Savior would take the punishment for their sins, so they wouldn't have to. This is how He would make them God's people. Who was that Savior? God's Son, Jesus. And who are God's people? All who turn away from their disobeying and trust in Him as their Savior. Jesus came to bring us to God! We can be God's people, too, if we trust in Jesus as our Savior. Ask Him to help you!

#### Unit 9 Bible Verse: 1 Peter 3:18

"Christ suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that He might bring us to God."

#### **Meaning:**

What did Jesus come to do? Jesus came to bring us to God! That's just what this Bible verse tells us. We are all sinners and deserve God's punishment. We could never come to God on our own. But Jesus came to take God's punishment for sin for EVERYONE who turns away from rebelling against God and trusts in Jesus as their Savior! Yes! God forgives them and makes them His very own people. They can know God in their hearts now. And one day, they will get to live with Him forever. This is how we can become God's people, too. Thank You, Jesus!

#### **Unit 9 ACTS Prayer**

- A Jesus, we praise You for being our Savior. You came to bring us to God.
- **C** God, You sent Jesus to save us, and we certainly do need a Savior! We are all sinners who choose to disobey You and Your good rules. We deserve Your punishment, not Your love. Please forgive us for disobeying You and Your good rules. Please rescue us from the punishment our sins deserve!
- Thank You, Jesus, for dying on the cross to save all who trust in You as their Savior. You took the punishment they deserved for disobeying God. You made the way to bring us to God.
- **5** God, work in our hearts. Help us to see that we are sinners who have disobeyed you. Help us to turn away from our sins and ask You to save us. Help us to trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to know You in our hearts even today. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

#### **Unit 9 Story**

#### The Case of the Son Who Came Down

The Gospels

**Songs Used in Unit 9** *listen to or download songs for free at https://praisefactory.org: Hide n Seek Kids Music page* 

Big Q & A 9 Song

Big Question 9 Song: What Did Jesus Come to Do?

Unit 9 Bible Verse Song: Christ Suffered Once for Sins 1 Peter 3:18, ESV

Extra Unit 9 Bible Verse Song: For Christ Suffered Once for Sins 1 Peter 3:18, ESV (other version)

Extra Unit 9 Bible Verse Song: For God So Loved the World John 3:16, ESV

Unit 9 Hymn: To God Be the Glory, v.1 Unit 9 Praise Song: Blessed Be the Name

#### Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 9 Track Numbers

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You may choose to simply burn a CD/load them onto an mp3 device in this order. Or, you may want to do what we do: choose the songs we want to use and create a play list of them in that order. Then, we burn a CD/upload the play list onto an mp3 device. A teacher only has to click forward to the next song, instead of hunting for the right track. The track number have been included as part of the title of each song, so teachers will still have a reference to the track number listed in the curriculum (same as those listed below), even if you change the order on your customized play list.

#### SONGS USED EVERY UNIT OF THE CURRICULUM

- 1 The Classroom Song v.1
- 2 The Classroom Song v.2
- 3 The Classroom Song v.3
- 4 The Classroom Song v.4
- 5 Hide 'n' Seek Kids Theme Song
- 6 The Classroom Rules Song
- 7 Let's Pray Song
- 8 The Big Question Box Song
- 9 The Bible Chant Song
- 10 ACTS Prayer Song (Short Version)
- 11 ACTS Prayer Song (Full Version)

#### Why the Extra Songs?

Hide 'n' Seek Kids is a curriculum used by children of different ages. Sometimes one of the other songs is a better fit for your kids. Or, you may simply want to teach them more songs on the same Bible Truth. Use as many or as few as you want.

#### **UNIT 9: JESUS, IMMANUEL, GOD WITH US**

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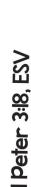
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# The Gospels "The Case of the Son Who Came Down"



Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #l

Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #2



"Christ suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that He might bring us to God."

- I. Who did Jesus die for?
- 2. Who did Jesus bring us to?



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

I. Who was the Son who came down?

2. Where did he come down from and what did he come to do?

l. This story starts out in the most amazing home there has ever

beauty, and light. A home better than anything you can imagine. A home always filled with love, and goodness, and happiness, and

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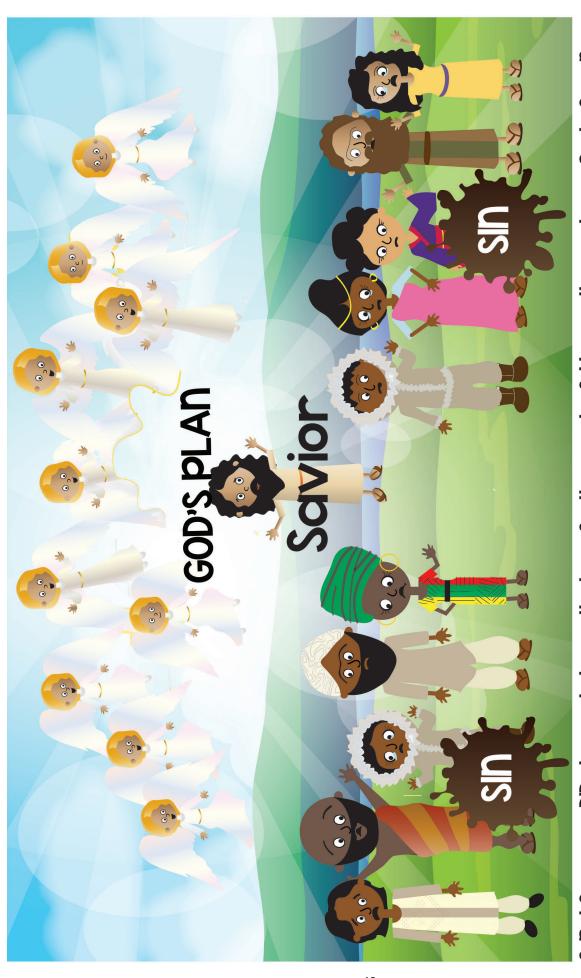
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be this Savior. Only He could bring us to God. who have rebelled against Him and need a Savior. Only Jesus could Why? Because of God's great love for people like you and me, sinners



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4. When Jesus was all grown up, He taught people lots of things about God.

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6. Jesus died on the cross that day. His friends buried His body in a cave-grave, sealed shut with a HUGE stone.

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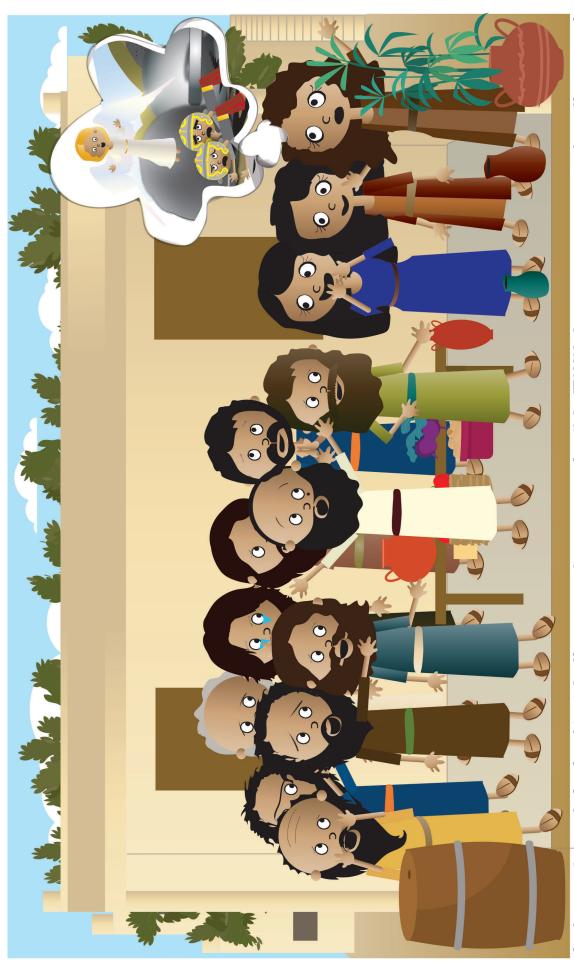


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# SOLVE

# Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #1

I. Who was the Son who came down? Jesus, the Son of God.

2. Where did he come down from and what did he come to

do? He came down from heaven to bring us to God by being our Savior. For You and Me:

Isn't it amazing that Jesus would leave His wonderful home in Isn't it amazing that He heaven, so He could bring us to God! Isn't it amazing that He would love us so much to suffer and die for the sins of God's would love us so much to suffer and die for the sins of God's people, too, when we turn away people! We can be God's people, too, when we turn away people! We can be God's people, too, when and enjoy Him Jesus brings us to God, so we can know Him and enjoy Him

# Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #2



Peter 3:18, NIV

"Christ died for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, to bring you to God."

1. Who did Jesus die for?

For the unrighteous--that is, for people like you and me who do bad things.

2. Who did Jesus bring us to?

To God. We can know God and live as His people because of Jesus!

For You and Me:

Only Jesus lived a perfect life that pleased God. He was perfectly good (righteous). But Jesus didn't just come to live a perfect life. He came to give up that perfect life as the full payment for the sins of God's people. Yes! Jesus gave up His life, so that we could be forgiven for all the bad things we do and could be God's people. You and I can become God's people, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Ask Him to help you. He loves to answer this prayer!

Our Bible Truth is:
What Did Jesus Come to Do?
Jesus Came to Bring Us to God!

The gospel is the good news that Jesus came to bring us to God. And oh, how we need this good news! You see, we all are unrighteous. That is, we have chosen to rebel against God, our good king. And for this, we deserve God's punishment.

But God chose to send Jesus to live a perfect life and offer it up on the cross, as the full payment for the punishment we deserve. He died that we might know God and live with Him forever.

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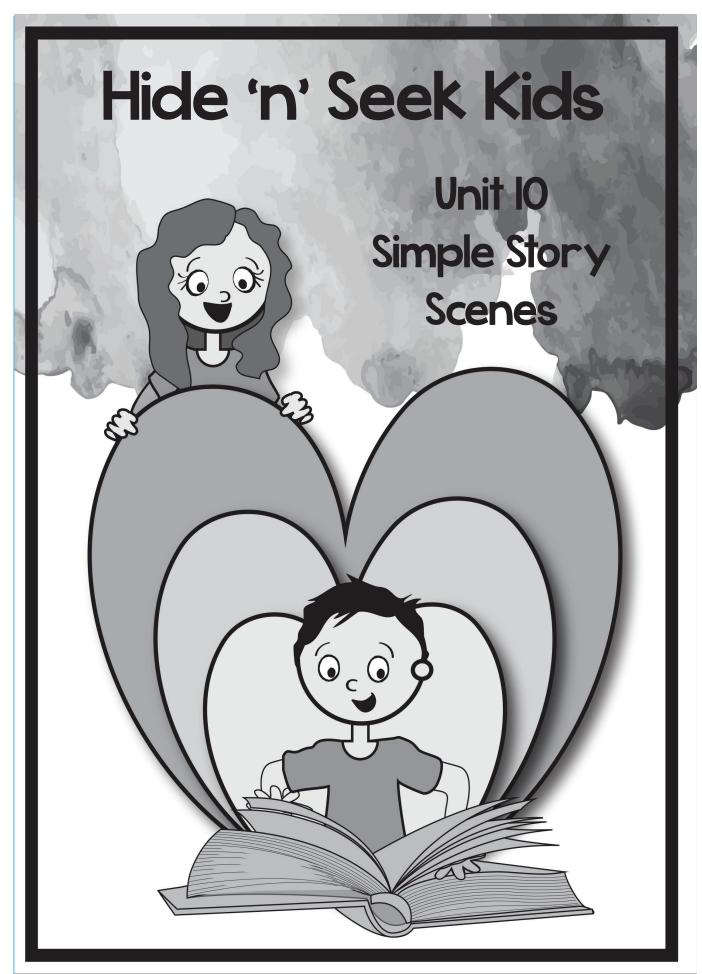
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In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

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# Unit 10 Overview of Key Concepts

# **UNIT 10: The Holy Spirit, the Indwelling God**

**Unit Big Question (and Answer):** "What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People?" "He Changes Their Heart!"

# **Meaning:**

God's Holy Spirit works in our heart as we hear God's Word, the Bible. He gives us the gift of faith in Jesus. He helps us to turn away from living for ourselves and live for God, instead. This is how we become God's people.

But that's just the beginning of what the Holy Spirit does in God's people! He goes on living inside of them their whole lives, helping them and changing their hearts. He helps them to know God and obey His laws. He helps them to love God and others as Jesus did. He comforts them when they are sad and helps them to be brave when they are scared. He helps them know the right way to live. The Holy Spirit in our hearts is God's wonderful gift to us, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

# Unit 10 Bible Verse: Ezekiel 36:26, ESV

"I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you."

# **Meaning:**

We like to have our own way, and sometimes we choose to go against God's good ways to do what we want. This is called sin, and it comes from deep inside us in our hearts. We need new hearts, alive with love for God if we are to be God's people. Only God can give us new hearts. His Holy Spirit lives inside us and changes our hearts when we turn from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

# **Unit 10 ACTS Prayer**

- **A** God, we praise You for being the Giver of Your Holy Spirit to Your people.
- **C** God, we confess that we like our own way. Sometimes, we choose to disobey You to get what we want. We need Jesus to be our Savior! We need new hearts.
- **T** Thank You, God, for being able to change our hearts. Thank You for sending Your Holy Spirit to live inside Your people and change their hearts. Thank You for sending Jesus, so we can be Your people.
- **S** God, work in our hearts, that we might turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Send Your Holy Spirit to live in our hearts, that we might love You and live for You, more and more. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

## **Unit 10 Story**

### The Case of the Heart Helper

Acts 1-2

**Songs Used in Unit 10** *listen to or download songs for free at https://praisefactory.org: Hide n Seek Kids Music page*Big Q & A 10 Song

Big Question 10 Song: What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People?

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Extra Unit 10 Bible Verse Song: Within You Ezekiel 36:26, ESV (other version)

Extra Unit 10 Bible Verse Song: You Shall Be Clean Ezekiel 36:25-27, ESV

Unit 10 Hymn: The Church's One Foundation, v.1

Unit 10 Praise Song: Create in Me a Clean Heart

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# **UNIT 10: THE HOLY SPIRIT, THE INDWELLING GOD**

12 Big Q & A 10 Song

13 Big Question 10 Song: What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People?

15 Extra Unit 10 Bible Verse Song: A New Heart Ezekiel 36:26, ESV (other version)

16 Extra Unit 10 Bible Verse Song: Within You Ezekiel 36:26, ESV (other version)

17 Extra Unit 10 Bible Verse Song: You Shall Be Clean Ezekiel 36:25-27, ESV

18 Unit 10 Hymn: The Church's One Foundation, v.1

19 Unit 10 Praise Song: Create in Me a Clean Heart

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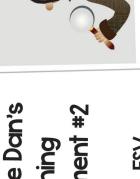
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# Acts I-2 The Case of the Heart Helper



Detective Dan's Assignment #1 Listening





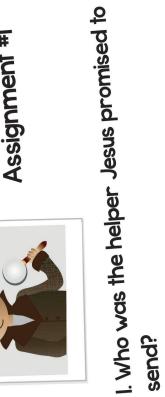
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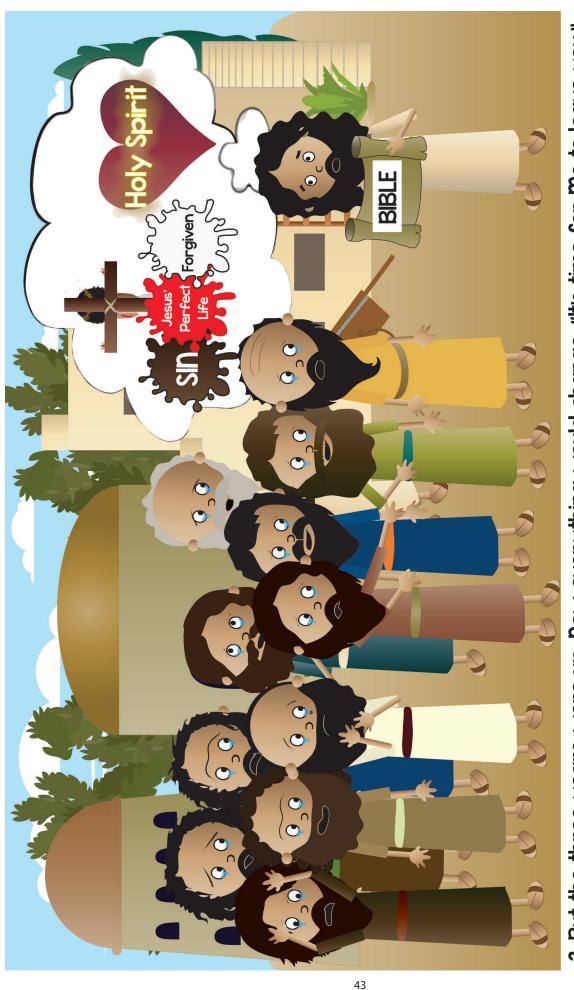
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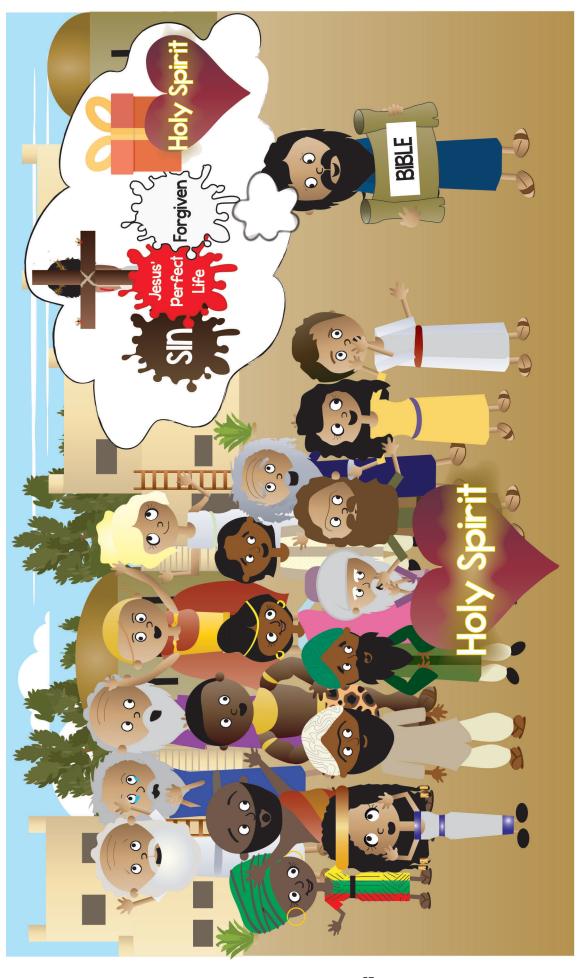


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# The Case of the Heart Helper Acts I-2



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Ezekiel 36:26, ESV

"I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you."

I. What did God promise to give to His people? He would put a new heart/new spirit within them. 2. Who would this new spirit be? What would He do? God's own Holy Spirit. He would change their heart and help them to love God and live for Him.

For You and Me:

God wants us to love Him and live for Him, but He knows we cannot do this on our own. We need His Holy Spirit to live within us and change our hearts. God gives His Holy Spirit to all who turn from their sins and trust in Jesus as their Savior. He will give His Holy Spirit to us, if we turn from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

I. Who was the helper Jesus promised to send? The Holy Spirit. 2. How would He help God's people? He would come to live in their heart, helping them to love God and live for Him. For You and Me:
God sent the Holy Spirit to live inside God's people long ago.
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from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

HSK 10

But even though we all deserve God's punishment, God is so merciful that He chose to send His Son, Jesus, to become a man and to be our Savior. Jesus lived a perfect life and offered it up on the cross as the full payment for the sins of Jesus died and was buried, but on the third day, He rose up from the dead. He had beaten sin and death for God's people. Now, we can become God's people come to live in our hearts, if we do? You guesed it! God's Holy Spirit. He will live in when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. And Who will us and help us our whole lives, to love God and live for Him. Then one day, we will In the beginning, people rebelled against God. Sin came into their hearts. They deserved God's punishment and lost the special closeness they knew with God. Since then, we all have sinful hearts and all have chosen to rebel against God. go to live with God in heaven forever. That will be best of all! What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People? He Changes Their Heart! God's people. Our Bible Truth is:

HSK 10

# A Prayer

A God, we praise You for being the Giver of Your Holy Spirit to Your people.

C God, we confess that we like our own way. Sometimes, we choose to disobey You to get what we want. We need Jesus to be our Savior! We need new hearts.

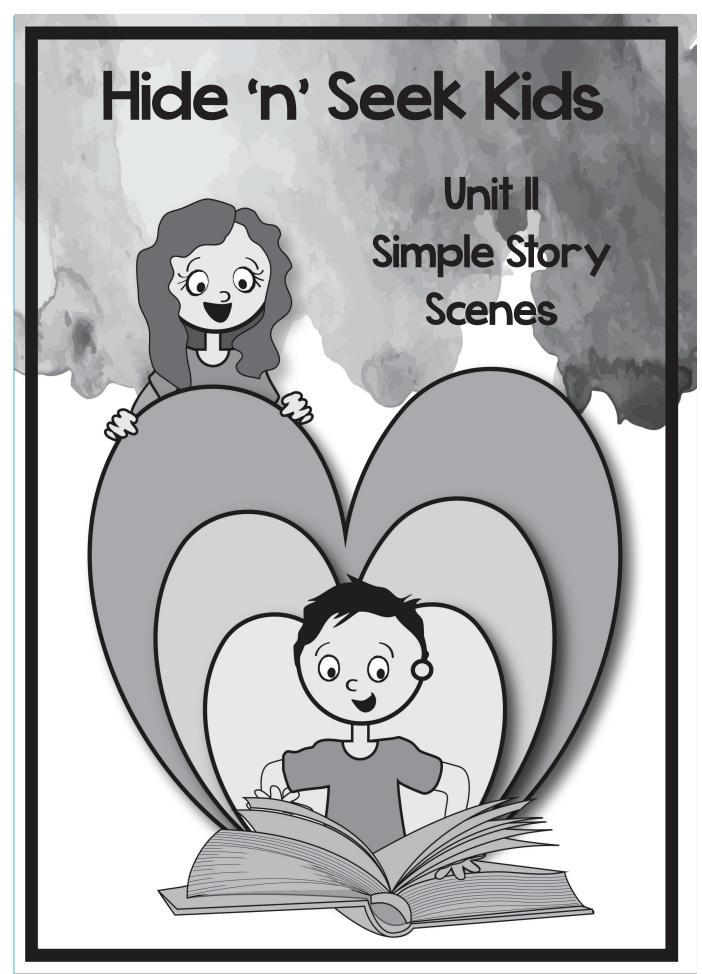
Your Holy Spirit to live inside Your people and change their hearts. Thank You T Thank You, God, for being able to change our hearts. Thank You for sending for sending Jesus, so we can be Your people.

S God, work in our hearts, that we might turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Send Your Holy Spirit to live in our hearts, that we might love You and live for You, more and more.

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A= Adoration (God, we praise You!) C=Confession (God, forgive us!) T= Thanksgiving (Thank You, God) S=Supplication (Make us like Jesus!)



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Give the children a Detective Dan listening assignment. Two are provided in this book. The full curriculum actually includes three more, with corresponding take-home sheets, if desired. using the ideas on the bonus, third take-home sheet, if desired. Each listening assignment, let's you teach the story with a different learning emphasis.

# Show & Tell the Story

Hold up the pictures and tell the story from the story scenes. Alternatively, you can find in the and Pieces section for this unit at praisefactory.org, these same listening assignments and story scenes, gospel and ACTS prayer modified for view on a screen. Simply download them or open them online and show through your own monitor (tablet, big screen, whatever).

# Solve the Case

Repeat Detective Dan's listening assignment question and discuss the answer.

# Share the Gospel

Share the gospel tie-in with the kids.

# Close in ACTS Prayer

Pray the ACTS prayer with the kids. If using the curriculum with older children, give them a chance to think up their own ACTS tie-ins to the story, using the one provided as cues/ideas for you.

# Review Time

Give out the take-home sheet (there are three: two that correlates to the two Detective Dan assignments in the Story Scenes, and a bonus third one.) As the children are coloring, use the take-home sheet discussion questions or your own questions to further review and apply the key concepts, Bible verse, and story truths to the children.

# Looking for more?

Online, in the Bits and Pieces section for this unit, you will find review games, crafts, storyboard flannelgraph figures, and audio and sheet music for all of the songs. There are also full lesson plans that offer more of a script and take this curriculum's possibilities to much more depth. Don't forget to tell the parents about the Parents Resources section where they can read

# Unit II Overview of Key Concepts

### **UNIT 11: The God Who Saves**

Unit Big Question (and Answer): "How Can We Be Saved? It Is God's Free Gift!"

# **Meaning:**

We have all disobeyed God. We have all lost the wonderful special closeness with God that He created us to have with Him. No matter how hard we try, we can never be good enough to win back special closeness with God. No, we can't save ourselves, but God can. That's why He sent Jesus: to save us as a free gift from Him. God promises to forgive the sins of all who turn away from disobeying Him and trust in Jesus as their Savior. God will give them special closeness with Himself right now. Then one day, He will take them to live with Him forever. This is the free gift God offers to you and me, too. God is so kind to us!

### Unit 11 Bible Verse: Romans 6:23, ESV

"For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord."

# **Meaning:**

We all want to have eternal life. That is, we all want to know and enjoy God and all of His love forever. But the sad truth is that none of us deserve it. We have all turned away from God and His good ways. We all deserve God's punishment, not wonderful life with Him. But God, in His amazing mercy, sent His Son, Jesus, to live the perfect life we have never lived. He took the punishment we deserve for our sins. When we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior, He gives us the free gift of eternal life. How good is God to sinners, like you and me!

# **Unit 11 ACTS Prayer**

- A We praise You, God for being our Savior, who came to rescue us from our sins as Your free gift.
- **C** God, we know we choose to disobey You and Your good laws. We need a Savior. Please forgive us and help us to live for You.
- Thank You for sending Jesus to be the Savior we need. We could never save ourselves!
- **S** God, work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from disobeying You. Help us to trust in Jesus as our own Savior. We want Your free gift!

In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

# **Unit 11 Story**

# The Case of the Most Important Question

Acts 16

**Songs Used in Unit 11** *listen to or download songs for free at https://praisefactory.org: Hide n Seek Kids Music page* 

Big Q & A 11 Song

Big Question 11 Song: How Can I Be Saved?

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# Acts 16 "The Case of the Most Important Question"



Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #1

Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #2



Romans 6:23, ESV

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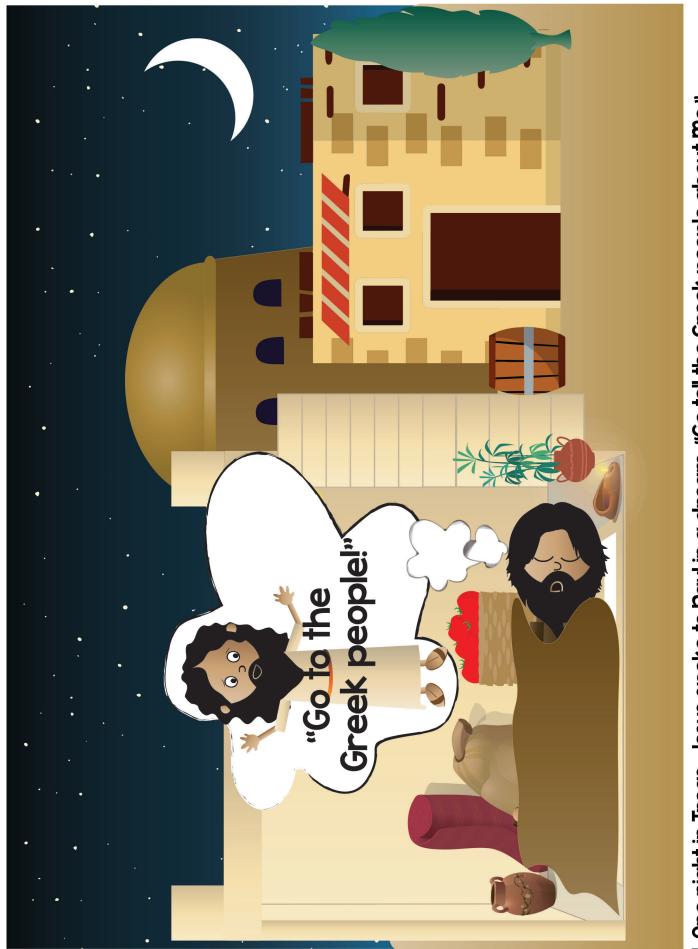
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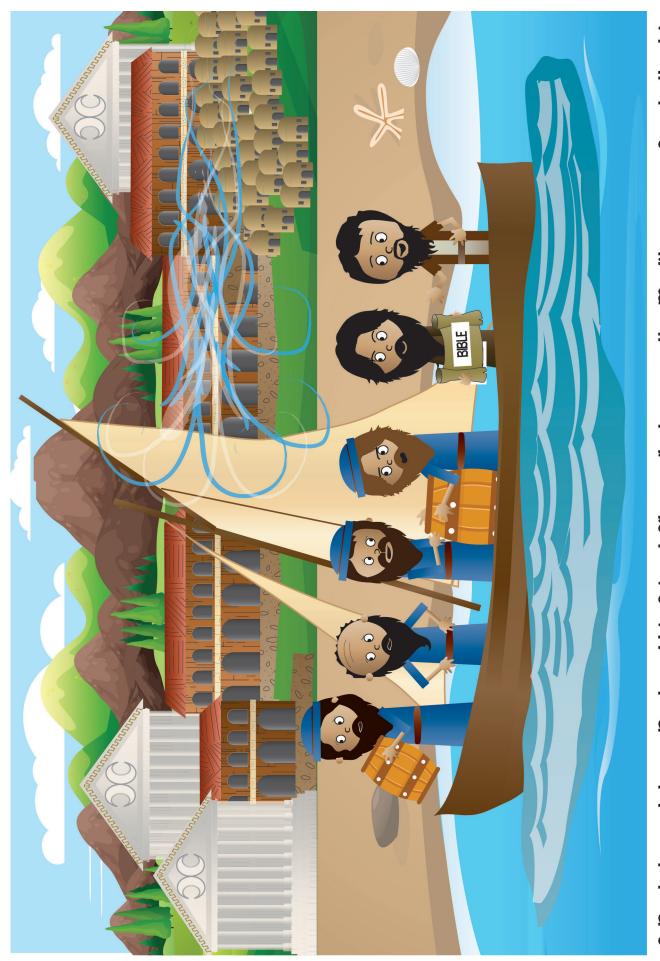
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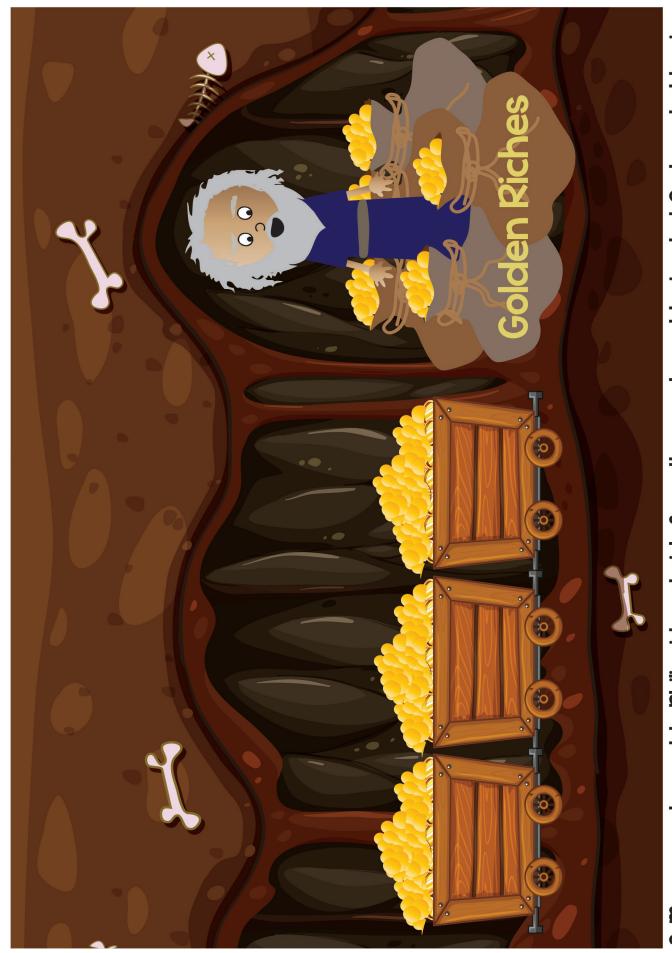
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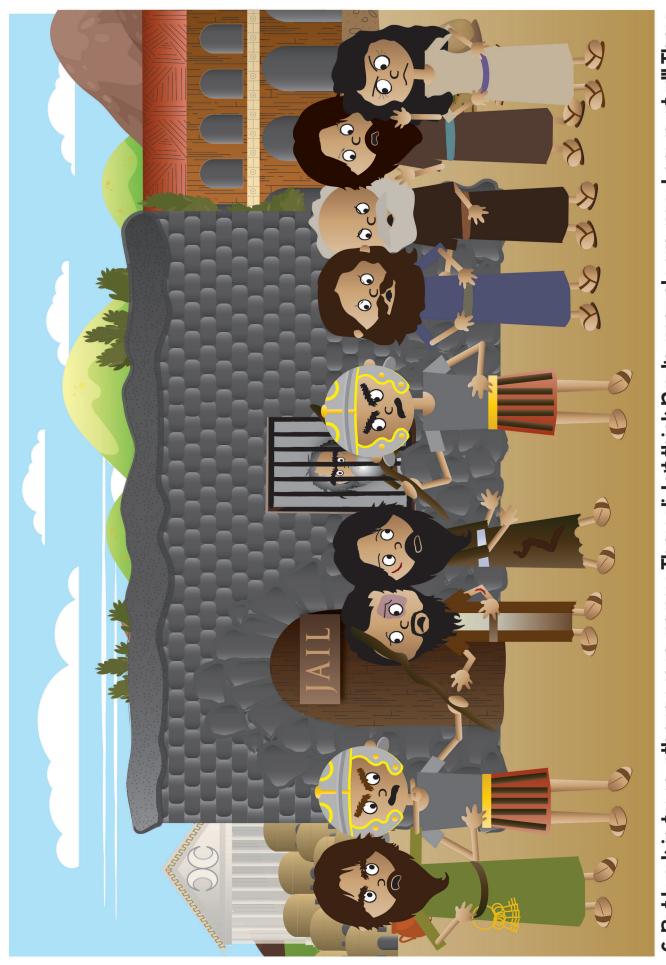
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I. Who was worried about his sins?

The jailer.

2. How did he find out about the gift of being saved through Jesus? Did he receive it?

Paul told the jailer how when he asked him. And that very night, the jailer repented of his sins and trusted in Jesus as his Savior.

For You and Me:

That jailer isn't the only one who has sins to think about. We all have disobeyed God. We all need His forgiveness, if we are to know God and enjoy eternal life with Him. Just like the jailer, we can receive that wonderful gift of eternal life, if we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

I. Who had the most important question?

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2. What was the question? Why was it so important? "What must I do to be saved?" is the question, and It is so important because we all need to be saved. For You and Me:
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And if we do this, God's Holy Spirit will come live inside us, helping us love God and live for Him. Then one day, we will go to live with God in heaven forever

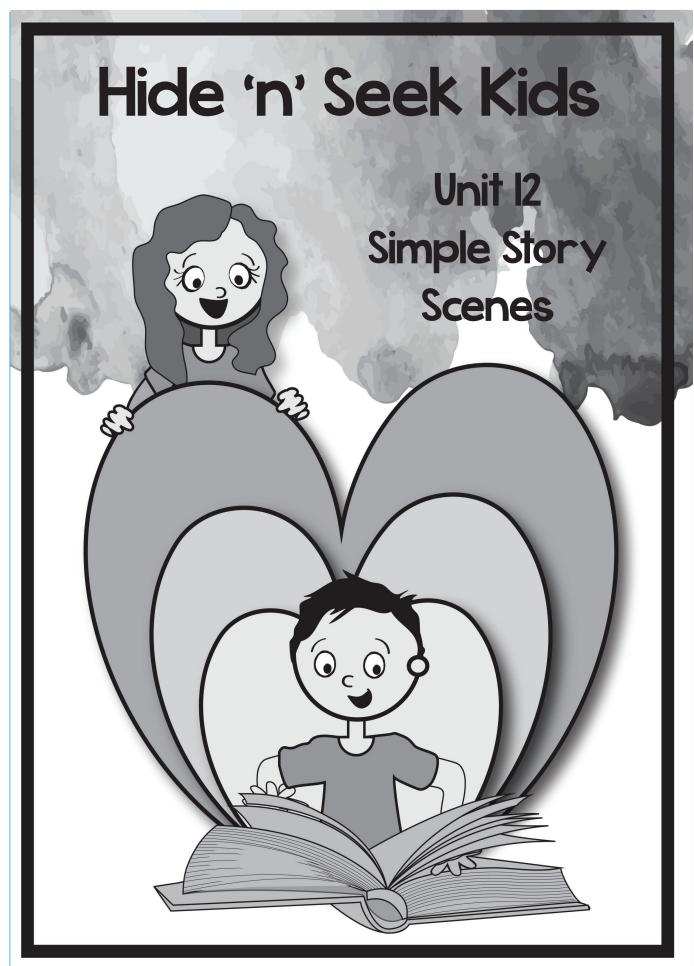
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# A Prayer

We praise You, God for being so full of mercy! You are the Savior. You came to rescue us from our sins. It was Your free gift that we could never deserve. C God, we know we choose to disobey You and Your good laws. We need you to save us. Please forgive us and help us to live for You. Thank You for sending Jesus to be the Savior we need. We could never save ourselves! God, work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from disobeying You. Help us to trust in Jesus as our own Savior. We want Your free gift! S

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Give the children a Detective Dan listening assignment. Two are provided in this book. The full curriculum actually includes three more, with corresponding take-home sheets, if desired. using the ideas on the bonus, third take-home sheet, if desired. Each listening assignment, let's you teach the story with a different learning emphasis.

### Show & Tell the Story

Hold up the pictures and tell the story from the story scenes. Alternatively, you can find in the and Pieces section for this unit at praisefactory.org, these same listening assignments and story scenes, gospel and ACTS prayer modified for view on a screen. Simply download them or open them online and show through your own monitor (tablet, big screen, whatever).

### Solve the Case

Repeat Detective Dan's listening assignment question and discuss the answer.

### Share the Gospel

Share the gospel tie-in with the kids.

### Close in ACTS Prayer

Pray the ACTS prayer with the kids. If using the curriculum with older children, give them a chance to think up their own ACTS tie-ins to the story, using the one provided as cues/ideas for you.

### Review Time

Give out the take-home sheet (there are three: two that correlates to the two Detective Dan assignments in the Story Scenes, and a bonus third one.) As the children are coloring, use the take-home sheet discussion questions or your own questions to further review and apply the key concepts, Bible verse, and story truths to the children.

### Looking for more?

Online, in the Bits and Pieces section for this unit, you will find review games, crafts, storyboard flannelgraph figures, and audio and sheet music for all of the songs. There are also full lesson plans that offer more of a script and take this curriculum's possibilities to much more depth. Don't forget to tell the parents about the Parents Resources section where they can read

### Unit 12 Overview of Key Concepts

### **Unit 12: God's People Live for Him**

**Unit Big Question (and Answer):** "How Should God's People Live? They Should Live Like Jesus!

### **Meaning:**

We become God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. When we do, God forgives our sins and we begin a whole new way of life. God's people no longer live life just to please themselves. They want to honor God with their whole lives, like Jesus did. They seek to love God most of all and love all people, too.

### Unit 12 Bible Verse: Ephesians 5:1-2

"Be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us."

### **Meaning:**

When you imitate someone, you try to act like them. God's people honor God by imitating His good ways. There's no one better for us to imitate than Jesus Christ, God's Son. He loved God and loved others in everything He did. His perfect life shows us how God wants us to live. God's people know they are God's dearly loved children. How they want to live like Jesus did!

### **Unit 12 ACTS Prayer**

- **A** God, we praise You for giving us Jesus, so we can know how You want us to live.
- C God, many time we don't love You or others as You want us to. Please forgive us. We need a Savior!
- Thank You, God for promising to help us live like Jesus, by Your Holy Spirit.
- S Please work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to live like Jesus did, loving others and loving You most of all. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

### **Unit 12 Story**

### The Case of the Runaway Who Ran Back

Philemon

**Songs Used in Unit 12** *listen to or download songs for free at https://praisefactory.org: Hide n Seek Kids Music page* 

Big Q & A 12 Song

Big Question 12 Song: How Should God's People Live Each Day? Unit 12 Bible Verse Song: Walk in Love Ephesians 5:1-2, ESV

Extra Unit 12 Bible Verse Song: Let Everyone Who Names the Name 2 Timothy 2:19,22, ESV

Unit 12 Hymn: Trust and Obey, v.1

Unit 12 Praise Song: I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

### Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 12 Track Numbers

This is a listing of all songs mentioned in the unit curriculum. You may or may not choose to use all of the songs. They are listed in easy-reference order—NOT in the order used in the curriculum. You may choose to simply burn a CD/load them onto an mp3 device in this order. Or, you may want to do what we do: choose the songs we want to use and create a play list of them in that order. Then, we burn a CD/upload the play list onto an mp3 device. A teacher only has to click forward to the next song, instead of hunting for the right track. The track number have been included as part of the title of each song, so teachers will still have a reference to the track number listed in the curriculum (same as those listed below), even if you change the order on your customized play list.

### SONGS USED EVERY UNIT OF THE CURRICULUM

- 1 The Classroom Song v.1
- 2 The Classroom Song v.2
- 3 The Classroom Song v.3
- 4 The Classroom Song v.4
- 5 Hide 'n' Seek Kids Theme Song
- 6 The Classroom Rules Song
- 7 Let's Pray Song
- 8 The Big Question Box Song
- 9 The Bible Chant Song
- 10 ACTS Prayer Song (Short Version)
- 11 ACTS Prayer Song (Full Version)

### **UNIT 12: GOD'S PEOPLE LIVE FOR HIM**

- 12 Big Q & A 12 Song
- 13 Big Question 12 Song: How Should God's People Live Each Day?
- 14 Unit 12 Bible Verse Song: Walk in Love Ephesians 5:1-2, ESV
- 15 Extra Unit 12 Bible Verse Song: Let Everyone Who Names the Name 2 Timothy 2:19,22, ESV
- 16 Unit 12 Hymn: Trust and Obey, v.1
- 17 Unit 12 Praise Song: I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

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### Why the Extra Songs?

Hide 'n' Seek Kids is a curriculum used by children of different ages. Sometimes one of the other songs is a better fit for your kids. Or, you may simply want to teach them more songs on the same Bible Truth. Use as many or as few as you want.

## "The Case of the Runaway Who Ran Back" The Book of Philemon



Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #1

Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #2



Ephesians 5:1,2, ESV

"Be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us."

- I. What did Onesimus know he needed to do to live a life of love towards Philemon?
- 2. How could Philemon live a life of love towards Onesimus when Onesimus asked him for forgiveness?

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

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2. Why did he run back?

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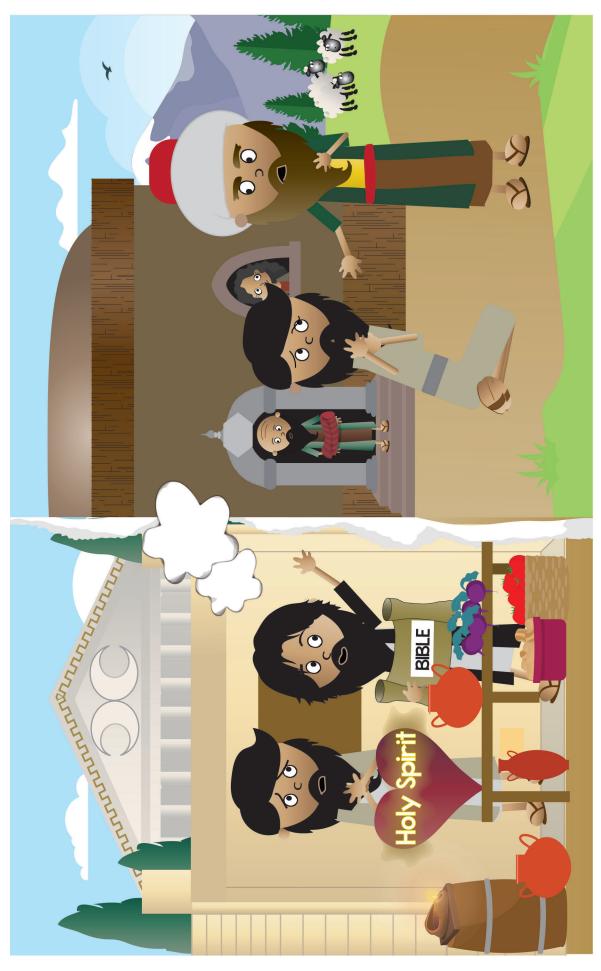
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"I will write a letter to Philemon. He may be a very rich man, and, other, too," Paul told him. and want to live for Him. That means loving and forgiving each you may be just his worker; but most of all, both of you love God



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# "The Case of the Runaway Who Ran Back" The Book of Philemon



# SOLVE

Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #I

Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #2



Ephesians 5:1,2, ESV

"Be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us." I. What did Onesimus know he needed to do to live a life of love towards Philemon?

He needed to go back home and ask for Philemon's forgiveness for running away.

2. How could Philemon live a life of love towards Onesimus when Onesimus asked him for forgiveness? He should forgive him.

For You and Me:

If we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior, we become God's people. That's just the beginning. God wants His people to live a life of love, just as Jesus Christ has loved them. Sometimes this is very hard, like it was for Onesimus and Philemon; but, God always promises to help His people live for Him. Thank you, God!

I. Who ran away? Onesimus ran away from working for Philemon. 2. Why did he run back? When Onesimus believed in Jesus, his life changed. Now he lived for Jesus. That even meant going back to philemon and lived for Jesus. That even running away. asking his forgiveness for running away. For You and ITIE:

Believing in Jesus means we should live for Jesus, too. God Believing in Jesus means we should live wants us to live. tells us in His Word, the Bible, how He wants us to live. Sometimes it means doing things we don't like to do, but that sometimes it means doing things we don't like to do, but that we know God wants us to do, just like God helped Onesimus, He went back to Philemon. And just like God helped Onesimus, He will help us to live for Him, too. It's His promise to all who turn will help us to live for Him, too. It's his promise to all who turn thus to help you! He loves to answer prayers like this.

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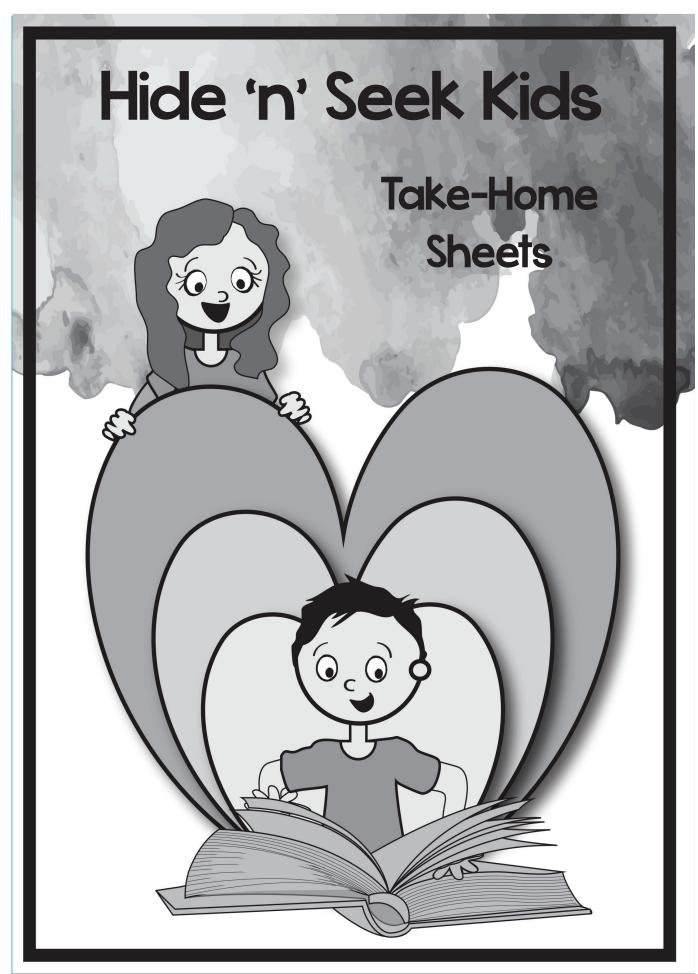
that none of us do. We all have sinful hearts and choose to live our own way, All of us were created to love God and others like Jesus did. But the sad news is instead of God's good way. That's why we all deserve God's punishment. How Should God's People Live? They Should Live Like Jesus! Our Bible Truth is:

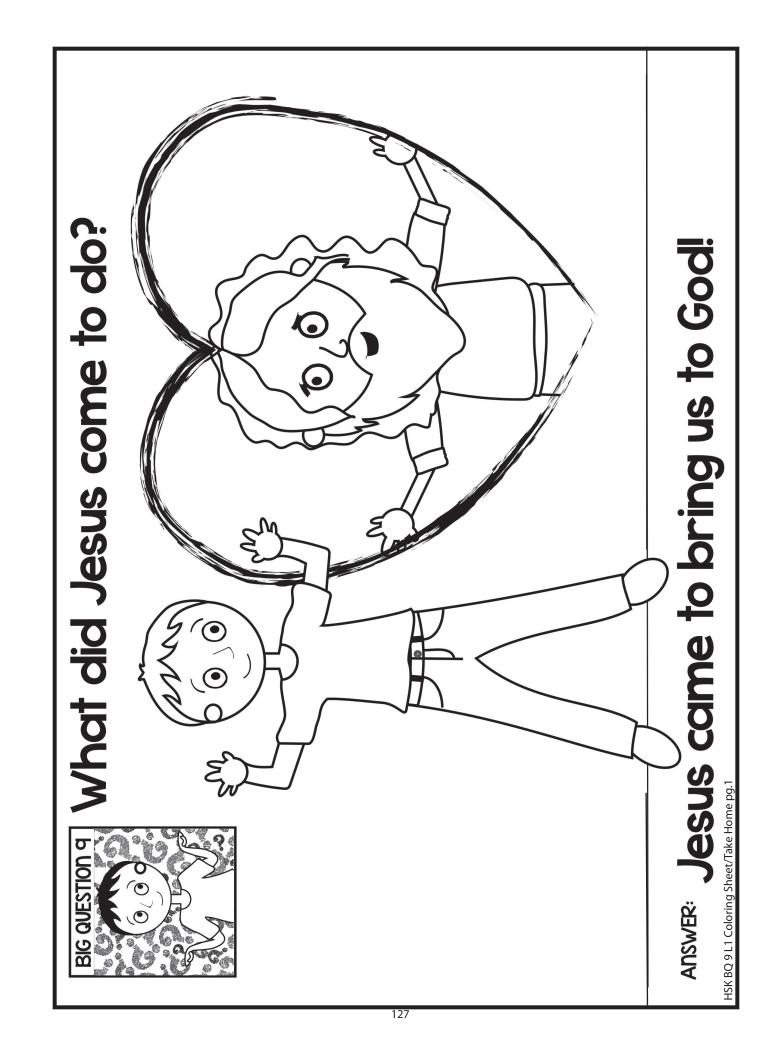
But even though we all deserve God's punishment, God is so merciful that He chose to send His Son, Jesus, to become a man and to be our Savior. Jesus lived a perfect life, and offered it up on the cross as the full payment for the sins of God's people.

Jesus died and was buried, but on the third day, He rose up from the dead. He had beaten sin and death for God's people.

Jesus as our Savior. And if we do, God's Holy Spirit will come live inside us, helping We can become God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in us love God and live for Him. HE will help us live like Jesus! Then one day, we will go to live happily with God forever. That will be best of all! HSK 12

## A= Adoration (God, we praise You!) C=Confession (God, forgive us!) T= Thanksgiving (Thank You, God) S=Supplication (Make us like Jesus!) A God, we praise You for being the God who shows us how You want us to live. C God, many time we don't love You or others as You want us to. We choose to Please work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Make us Your people. Give us Your Holy Spirit to help us You show us through Your Son, Jesus, We praise You for being the God who Thank You, God for promising to help Your people live like Jesus, by Your to live like Jesus did. Help us to love others, and to love You most of all. Holy Spirit. Thank You that You love to help us become Your people. not live like Jesus did. Please forgive us. We need a Savior! helps live like Jesus, too, through Your Holy Spirit. A Prayer In Jesus' name we pray, Amen. S





hiding God's Word in our hearts, seeking to know God Himself



## Big Question 9, Lesson I Take Home Sheet

**Big Question 9:** What Did Jesus Come to Do? **Answer:** Jesus Came to Bring Us to God!

## Meaning:

In the beginning, God created the world. Everything God created was perfect. Best of all, people knew and loved God in a wonderful, perfectly close way. How good was the world that God created!

But sadly, life did not stay this way. People chose to disobey God and this perfect life was broken. Disobeying God is called "sin." People's sin brought sickness, sadness, and death into God's good world. Sin broke our special closeness with God, too. We can see it when we look inside our hearts. We do not love God or others as we should. Saddest of all, sin meant we deserved never to know God's love, only His punishment for our sins.

But God has been so kind to us. He has treated us much better than we could ever deserve! Even from the very beginning, God had an amazing plan to rescue us. He promised to send a Savior who would rescue His people. This Savior would take the punishment for their sins, so they wouldn't have to. This is how He would make them God's people. Who was that Savior? God's Son, Jesus. And who are God's people? All who turn away from their disobeying and trust in Him as their Savior. Jesus came to bring us to God! We can be God's people, too, if we trust in Jesus as our Savior. Ask Him to help you!

## How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"Christ suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that He might bring us to God." 1 Peter 3:18

## Some Questions for You

## 1. Can You Fix the Big Question and Answer?

What did Jesus come to do? Jesus came to swing up to God! Answer: No! That's silly! Jesus came to BRING US to God!

- **2. Why do we need Jesus to bring us to God?** Because we all have disobeyed God and have broken our friendship with Him. Only Jesus could fix our friendship with God, by suffering and dying on the cross to pay for our sins.
- 3. What do we need to do to have our friendship with God fixed? We can ask God to help us to work in our heart and help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. He delights to do these things!

## Let's Pray!

- A Jesus, we praise You for being our Savior. You came to bring us to God.
- God, You sent Jesus to save us, and we certainly do need a Savior! We are all sinners who choose to disobey You and Your good rules. We deserve Your punishment, not Your love. Please forgive us for disobeying You and Your good rules. Please rescue us from the punishment our sins deserve!
- Thank you, Jesus, for dying on the cross to save all who trust in You as their Savior. You took the punishment they deserved for disobeying God. You made the way to bring us to God.
- **S** God, work in our hearts. Help us to see that we are sinners who have disobeyed you. Help us to turn away from our sins and ask You to save us. Help us to trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to know You in our hearts even today. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

## Let's Sing Our Big Question and Answer!

**Big Q & A 9 Song** from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 9, track 12 What did Jesus come to do? What did Jesus come to do?

Jesus came to bring us to God.

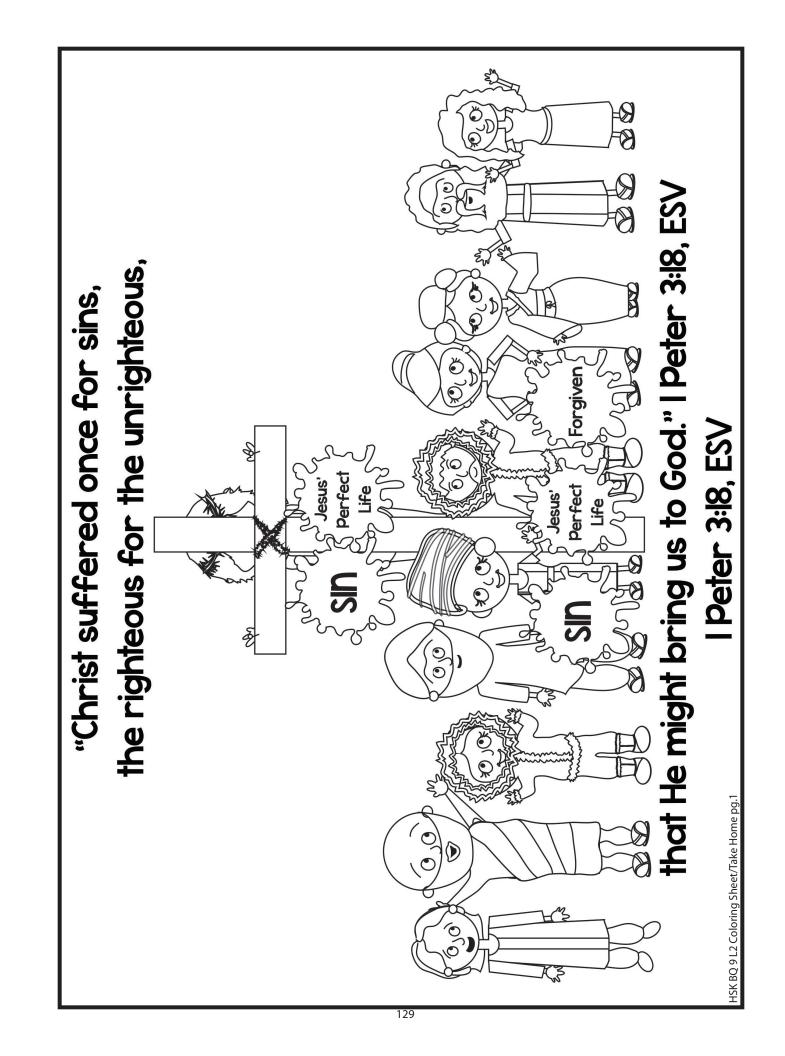
That's what Jesus came to do!

## Song Question: What did Jesus come to do?

**Answer:** Jesus came to bring us to God!

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hiding God's Word in our hearts, seeking to know God Himself



## Big Question 9, Lesson 2 Take Home Sheet

**Big Question 9:** Can You Tell Me What God Made? **Answer:** God Made All Things Good!

## How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"Christ suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that He might bring us to God." 1 Peter 3:18, ESV

What did Jesus come to do? Jesus came to bring us to God! That's just what this Bible verse tells us. We are all sinners and deserve God's punishment. We could never come to God on our own. But Jesus came to take God's punishment for sin for EVERYONE who turns away from rebelling against God and trusts in Jesus as their Savior! Yes! God forgives them and makes them His very own people. They can know God in their hearts now. And one day, they will get to live with Him forever. This is how we can become God's people, too. Thank You, Jesus!

## Some Questions for You

- 1. What's the missing word to the Bible verse?
- "Christ suffered once for \_\_\_\_, the righteous for the unrighteous, that He might bring us to God."
- **2. What are sins? Do we and I have any?** Sin is disobeying God and doing things our own way instead of God's good way. And sadly, yes, we all have sins. We all need a Savior!
- **3. What can we ask Jesus to do with our sins?** We can turn away from our sins and forgive us our sins. We can trust in Him as our Savior. Then, we, too can know God and be His people.

## Let's Pray!

- A Jesus, we praise You for being our Savior. You came to bring us to God.
- **c** God, You sent Jesus to save us, and we certainly do need a Savior! We are all sinners who choose to disobey You and Your good rules. We deserve Your punishment, not Your love. Please forgive us for disobeying You and Your good rules. Please rescue us from the punishment our sins deserve!
- T Thank you, Jesus, for dying on the cross to save all who trust in You as their Savior. You took the punishment they deserved for disobeying God. You made the way to bring us to God.
- 5 God, work in our hearts. Help us to see that we are sinners who have disobeyed you. Help us to turn away from our sins and ask You to save us. Help us to trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to know You in our hearts even today. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

## Let's Sing Our Bible Verse!

**Big Question 9 Bible Verse Song** from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 9, tracks 14, 14T **Christ Suffered Once for Sins: 1 Peter 3:18** 

Christ suffered once for sins, That He might bring us to God, Christ suffered once for sins, That He might bring us to God.

The righteous for the unrighteous, The righteous for the unrighteous.

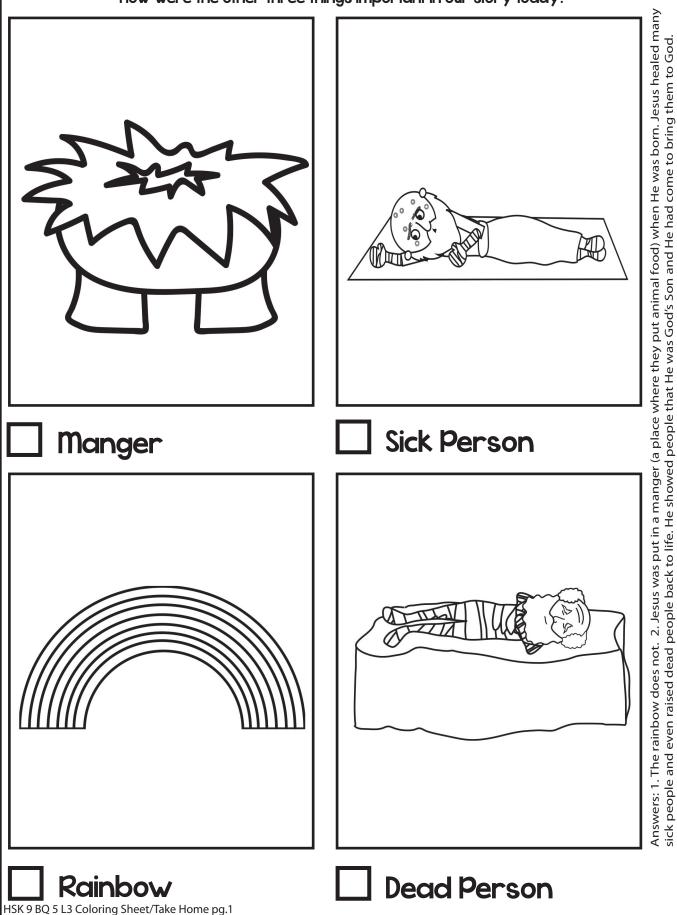
That He might bring us to God. First Peter Three, eighteen.

Song Question: Who is Christ and why did He suffer and die? Jesus is the Christ--the special Savior, God's Son. He suffered and died on the cross to pay for our sins so that He could bring us to God.

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Which three things were in our story? Put an "X" in the box next to each of these.

How were the other three things important in our story today?



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## Big Question 9, Lesson 3 Take Home Sheet

**Big Question 9:** What Did Jesus Come to Do? **Answer:** Jesus Came to Bring Us to God!

## Meaning:

In the beginning, God created the world. Everything God created was perfect. Best of all, people knew and loved God in a wonderful, perfectly close way. How good was the world that God created!

But sadly, life did not stay this way. People chose to disobey God and this perfect life was broken. Disobeying God is called "sin." People's sin brought sickness, sadness, and death into God's good world. Sin broke our special closeness with God, too. We can see it when we look inside our hearts. We do not love God or others as we should. Saddest of all, sin meant we deserved never to know God's love, only His punishment for our sins.

But God has been so kind to us. He has treated us much better than we could ever deserve! Even from the very beginning, God had an amazing plan to rescue us. He promised to send a Savior who would rescue His people. This Savior would take the punishment for their sins, so they wouldn't have to. This is how He would make them God's people. Who was that Savior? God's Son, Jesus. And who are God's people? All who turn away from their disobeying and trust in Him as their Savior. Jesus came to bring us to God! We can be God's people, too, if we trust in Jesus as our Savior. Ask Him to help you!

## How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"Christ suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that He might bring us to God." 1 Peter 3:18, ESV

## **Some Questions for You**

- 1. What did Jesus come to do? Jesus came to bring us to God!
- 2. Who did people have a wonderful closeness with in the beginning? With God.
- 3. What did people do that caused the wonderful closeness with God to end? They disobeyed Him.
- 3. What did all people deserve for disobeying God? God's punishment that keeps them separated from Him and all His goodness forever. How sad!
- 5. Who did God send to bring His people to Him? Jesus.
- 6. What did Jesus take for God's people on the cross? The forever punishment for their sins.
- 7. What happens to us when we turn away from our sins and trust Jesus as our Savior? God forgives our sins. He makes us His people. We have special closeness with God now. Then, when our bodies die, we will go on living happily with God forever.

## Let's Pray!

- A Jesus, we praise You for being our Savior. You came to bring us to God.
- **C** God, You sent Jesus to save us, and we certainly do need a Savior! We are all sinners who choose to disobey You and Your good rules. We deserve Your punishment, not Your love. Please forgive us for disobeying You and Your good rules. Please rescue us from the punishment our sins deserve!
- Thank you, Jesus, for dying on the cross to save all who trust in You as their Savior. You took the punishment they deserved for disobeying God. You made the way to bring us to God.
- **S** God, work in our hearts. Help us to see that we are sinners who have disobeyed you. Help us to turn away from our sins and ask You to save us. Help us to trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to know You in our hearts even today. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

## Let's Sing about Our Big Question and Answer!

## **Big Question 9 (Action Rhyme) Song** from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 9, track 13

Refrain
What did Jesus come to do?
Jesus came to bring us to God.
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Jesus came to bring us to God.

Verse 1
In the beginning, people enjoyed
Perfect fellowship with God.
But they disobeyed,
their fellowship lost.
Would things always

stay this way? Refrain

Verse 2
At just the right time,
God sent His Son
to pay for His people's sins,
He offered His life, the perfect sacrifice,
Gave them fellowship
with God again. Refrain

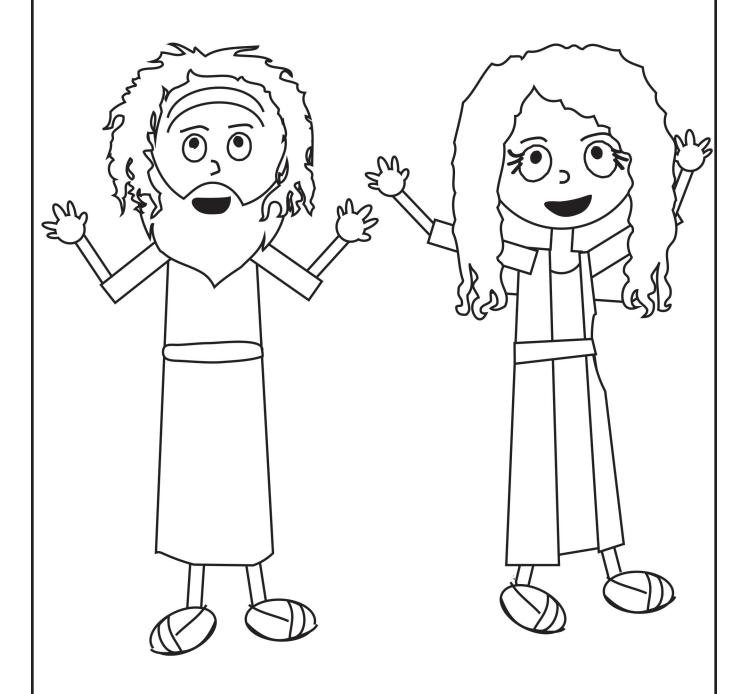
Verse 3 On the third day, Jesus rose from the grave, Then He went back home to heav'n. Now all who repent

and believe in Him, Can know God forever. *Refrain* 

**Song Question:** What did Jesus do on the cross for God's people? Jesus offered His life up to God, His Father, as the perfect sacrifice that paid for the sins of God's people.

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# Thank You, Jesus!



What a wonderful day that was, when Jesus rose from the dead! How happy were God's people that Jesus had beaten sin and death for them when He died on the cross. They had so much to thank God for!

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## Big Question 9, Lesson 4 Take Home Sheet

**Big Question 9:** What Did Jesus Come to Do? **Answer:** Jesus Came to Bring Us to God!

## Meaning:

In the beginning, God created the world. Everything God created was perfect. Best of all, people knew and loved God in a wonderful, perfectly close way. How good was the world that God created!

But sadly, life did not stay this way. People chose to disobey God and this perfect life was broken. Disobeying God is called "sin." People's sin brought sickness, sadness, and death into God's good world. Sin broke our special closeness with God, too. We can see it when we look inside our hearts. We do not love God or others as we should. Saddest of all, sin meant we deserved never to know God's love, only His punishment for our sins.

But God has been so kind to us. He has treated us much better than we could ever deserve! Even from the very beginning, God had an amazing plan to rescue us. He promised to send a Savior who would rescue His people. This Savior would take the punishment for their sins, so they wouldn't have to. This is how He would make them God's people. Who was that Savior? God's Son, Jesus. And who are God's people? All who turn away from their disobeying and trust in Him as their Savior. Jesus came to bring us to God! We can be God's people, too, if we trust in Jesus as our Savior. Ask Him to help you!

## How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"Christ suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that He might bring us to God." 1 Peter 3:18, ESV

## Some Questions for You

- **1. What do God's people thank Jesus for doing?** For bringing them to God.
- **2. What are some things they thank Jesus for doing when He came to earth?** They thank Him for teaching them about God; for showing them His mighty power by the great things He did; and, most of all, for suffering and dying on the cross to pay for their sins.
- **3. Did Jesus come to bring us to God, too?** Yes, He did. When we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior, God will forgive our sins, too, and we will get to be His people! We will get to know and enjoy Him forever.

## Let's Pray!

- **A** Jesus, we praise You for being our Savior. You came to bring us to God.
- **C** God, You sent Jesus to save us, and we certainly do need a Savior! We are all sinners who choose to disobey You and Your good rules. We deserve Your punishment, not Your love. Please forgive us for disobeying You and Your good rules. Please rescue us from the punishment our sins deserve!
- Thank you, Jesus, for dying on the cross to save all who trust in You as their Savior. You took the punishment they deserved for disobeying God. You made the way to bring us to God.
- God, work in our hearts. Help us to see that we are sinners who have disobeyed you. Help us to turn away from our sins and ask You to save us. Help us to trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to know You in our hearts even today. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

## Let's Praise God Right Now!

**Big Question 9 Hymn: To God Be the Glory** from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 9, track 18

## Verse 1

To God be the glory, great things He hath done; So loved He the world that He gave us His Son. Who yielded His life, an atonement for sin, And opened the lifegate that all may go in.

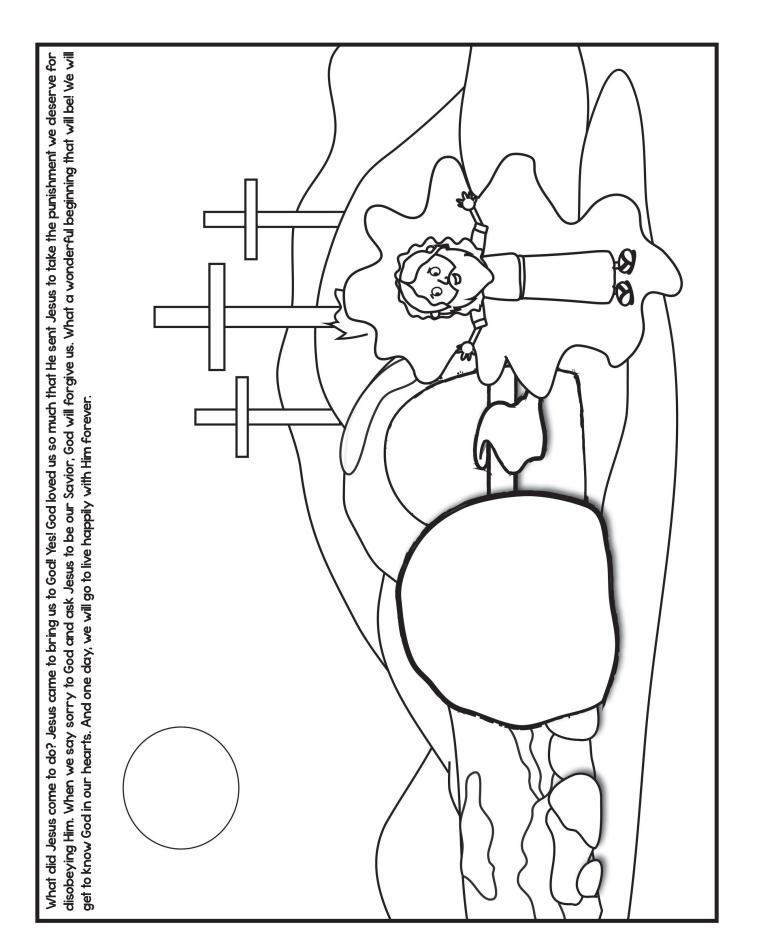
## Refrain

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, Let the earth hear His voice. Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, Let the people rejoice. O, come to the Father through Jesus the Son, And give Him the glory, great things He hath done.

Words: Fanny Crosby Music: William H. Doane

**Song Question:** What's something we can thank God for? For loving us so much that He would send Jesus to give up His life to pay for our sins that we might be forgiven.

HSK BQ9 L4 Coloring Sheet/Take Home pg.2





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## Big Question 9, Lesson 5 Take Home Sheet



**Big Question 9:** What Did Jesus Come to Do? **Answer:** Jesus Came to Bring Us to God!

## Meaning:

In the beginning, God created the world. Everything God created was perfect. Best of all, people knew and loved God in a wonderful, perfectly close way. How good was the world that God created!

But sadly, life did not stay this way. People chose to disobey God and this perfect life was broken. Disobeying God is called "sin." People's sin brought sickness, sadness, and death into God's good world. Sin broke our special closeness with God, too. We can see it when we look inside our hearts. We do not love God or others as we should. Saddest of all, sin meant we deserved never to know God's love, only His punishment for our sins.

But God has been so kind to us. He has treated us much better than we could ever deserve! Even from the very beginning, God had an amazing plan to rescue us. He promised to send a Savior who would rescue His people. This Savior would take the punishment for their sins, so they wouldn't have to. This is how He would make them God's people. Who was that Savior? God's Son, Jesus. And who are God's people? All who turn away from their disobeying and trust in Him as their Savior. Jesus came to bring us to God! We can be God's people, too, if we trust in Jesus as our Savior. Ask Him to help you!

## How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"Christ suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that He might bring us to God." 1 Peter 3:18, ESV

## Some Questions for You

- **1. What bad thing did Jesus' enemies do to Jesus?** They hurt Jesus and put Him on a cross to suffer and die.
- **2. What good thing did God use that bad thing to do for God's people?** Jesus took the punishment for the sins of God's people when He suffered and died on the cross. Jesus rose from the dead on the third day, showing that He had really beat sin and death for them! That's how Jesus brought us to God!
- **3. How can I know that Jesus beat sin and death for me?** God promises to forgive all who turn away from their sins and trust in Jesus as their Savior. And God ALWAYS keeps His promises!

## Let's Pray!

- A Jesus, we praise You for being our Savior. You came to bring us to God.
- **C** God, You sent Jesus to save us, and we certainly do need a Savior! We are all sinners who choose to disobey You and Your good rules. We deserve Your punishment, not Your love. Please forgive us for disobeying You and Your good rules. Please rescue us from the punishment our sins deserve!
- Thank you, Jesus, for dying on the cross to save all who trust in You as their Savior. You took the punishment they deserved for disobeying God. You made the way to bring us to God.
- **S** God, work in our hearts. Help us to see that we are sinners who have disobeyed you. Help us to turn away from our sins and ask You to save us. Help us to trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to know You in our hearts even today. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

## Let's Praise God Right Now!

Big Question 9 Praise Song: Blessed Be the Name from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 9, track 18

Blessed be the name, Blessed be the name,

Blessed be the name of the Lord;

Blessed be the name, Blessed be the name,

Blessed be the name of the Lord.

**Song Question: Who is the Lord and why do God's people bless Him?** Jesus is Lord. That means that He is the great king over everything. God's people bless Him for coming to be their Savior. Jesus can be our Savior, too, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

Go to the Hide 'n' Seek Kids Parent Resources for Unit 5 to get the Bible story and many more resources for this unit at www.praisefactory.org

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# He changes their hearts to be like Jesus! What does the Holy Spirit do in God's people? (X) (X) H\$K BQ 10 L1 Coloring Sheet/Take Home pg.1 **BIG QUESTION 10 ANSWER**:



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## Big Question IO, Lesson I Take Home Sheet



**Big Question 10:** What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People? **Answer:** He Changes Their Heart!

## Meaning:

God's Holy Spirit works in our heart as we hear God's Word, the Bible. He gives us the gift of faith in Jesus. He helps us to turn away from living for ourselves and to being to live for God instead. This is how we become God's people. But that's just the beginning of what the Holy Spirit does in God's people! He goes on living inside of them their whole lives, helping them and changing their hearts. He helps them to know God and obey His laws. He helps them to love God and others as Jesus did. He comforts them when they are sad and helps them to be brave when they are scared. He helps them know the right way to live. The Holy Spirit in our hearts is God's wonderful gift to us, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

## How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you." Ezekiel 36:26, ESV

## **Some Questions for You**

## 1. Can You Fix the Big Question and Answer?

What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People? He Changes Their Art!

Answer: No! That's silly! What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People? He Changes Their Heart!

- 2. Who does the Holy Spirit help us know? God.
- **3.** Who can have the wonderful gift of the Holy Spirit living in their hearts? Anyone who turns away from their sins and trusts in Jesus as our Savior. That includes you and me!

## Let's Pray!

- **A** God, we praise You for being the Giver of Your Holy Spirit to Your people.
- God, we confess that we like to have our own way--even when it is disobeying You. We need Jesus to be our Savior! We need the Holy Spirit to change our hearts to love You and live for You!
- Thank You, God, for being able to change our hearts. Thank You for sending Your Holy Spirit to live inside Your people and change their hearts. Thank You for sending Jesus, so we can be Your people.
- **S** God, work in our hearts, that we might turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Send Your Holy Spirit to live in our hearts, that we might love You and live for You, more and more. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

## Let's Sing Our Big Question and Answer!

**Big Q & A 10 Song** from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 10, track 12

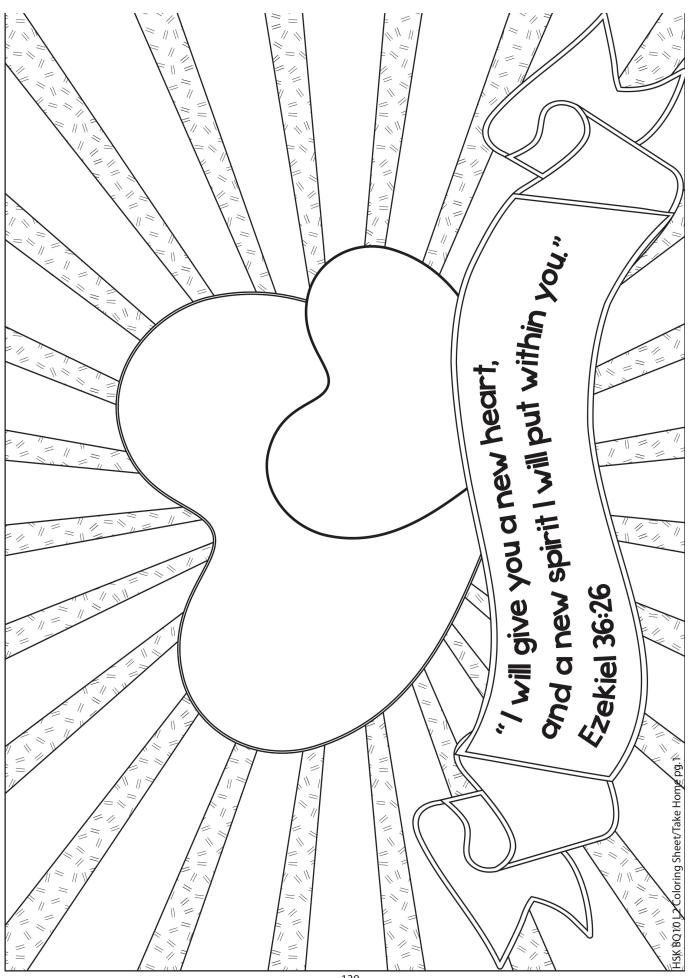
What does the Holy Spirit do inside of God's people? What does the Holy Spirit do? He changes their heart!

**Song Question:** What does the Holy Spirit do inside of God's people?

**Answer:** *He changes their heart!* 

Go to the Hide 'n' Seek Kids Parent Resources for Unit 10 to get the Bible story and many more resources and songs for this unit at praisefactory.org

HSK BQ10 L1 Coloring Sheet/Take Home pg.2



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## Big Question IO, Lesson 2 Take Home Sheet



**Big Question 10:** What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People? **Answer:** He Changes Their Heart!

## How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you." Ezekiel 36:26, ESV

## Meaning:

We like to have our own way, and sometimes we choose to go against God's good ways to do what we want. This is called sin, and it comes from deep inside us in our hearts. We need new hearts, alive with love for God if we are to be God's people. Only God can give us new hearts. His Holy Spirit lives inside us and changes our hearts when we turn from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

## **Some Questions for You**

## 1. What's the missing word to the Bible verse?

"I will give you a new heart, and a new \_\_\_\_ I will put within you." Ezekiel 36:26, ESV *Answer: spirit*.

- 2. Who is the new spirit God promises to give His people? His Holy Spirit.
- 3. How can we have God's Holy Spirit in our heart? What difference does it make?

God gives His Holy Spirit to all who turn away from disobeying Him and trust in Jesus as their Savior. The Holy Spirit helps us to love God and live for Him. He comforts us and gives us wisdom. He is how we can have special closeness with God.

## Let's Pray!

- **A** God, we praise You for being the Giver of Your Holy Spirit to Your people.
- God, we confess that we like to have our own way--even when it is disobeying You. We need Jesus to be our Savior! We need the Holy Spirit to change our hearts to love You and live for You!
- Thank You, God, for being able to change our hearts. Thank You for sending Your Holy Spirit to live inside Your people and change their hearts. Thank You for sending Jesus, so we can be Your people.
- God, work in our hearts, that we might turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Send Your Holy Spirit to live in our hearts, that we might love You and live for You, more and more. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

## Let's Sing Our Bible Verse!

Big Question 10 Bible Verse Song from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 10, tracks 14, 14T I Will Give You a New Heart: Ezekiel 36:26

I will give you a new heart, And a new spirit I'll put within you. I will give you a new heart, And a new spirit I'll put within you. Ezekiel Thirty-six, twenty-six.

## Song Question: What does God promise to give us?

A new heart, filled with His Holy Spirit, when we turn from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

Go to the Hide 'n' Seek Kids Parent Resources for Unit 10 to get the Bible story and many more resources for this unit at www.praisefactory.org

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Which three things were in our story? Put an "X" in the box next to each of these. How were the other three things important in our story today? Answers: The apple was not in the story. Jesus promised to send His Holy Spirit to live inside His friends, the disciples, when He left them. The Holy Spirit would be their helper. The disciples waited and waited and waited for the Holy Spirit come. At last He did, in a very exciting way. There was the sound of a great wind, then something that looked like fire appeared above their heads. Then, the Holy Spirit came into their hearts. Apple Heart

HSK 10 L3 Coloring Sheet/Take Home pg.1

(Something Like) Fire

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## Big Question IO, Lesson 3 Take Home Sheet

**Big Question 10:** What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People? **Answer:** He Changes Their Heart!

## Meaning:

God's Holy Spirit works in our heart as we hear God's Word, the Bible. He gives us the gift of faith in Jesus. He helps us to turn away from living for ourselves and to being to live for God instead. This is how we become God's people. But that's just the beginning of what the Holy Spirit does in God's people! He goes on living inside of them their whole lives, helping them and changing their hearts. He helps them to know God and obey His laws. He helps them to love God and others as Jesus did. He comforts them when they are sad and helps them to be brave when they are scared. He helps them know the right way to live. The Holy Spirit in our hearts is God's wonderful gift to us, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

## How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you." Ezekiel 36:26, ESV

## **Some Questions for You**

- 1. Who works in our heart as we hear God's Word, the Bible? The Holy Spirit.
- 2. Who does the Holy Spirit give us faith in? Jesus.
- 3. How long does the Holy Spirit keep working inside of God's people? Their whole lives.
- 4. Who does the Holy Spirit help us know and obey? God.
- 5. How can we become one of God's people? By turning away from our sins and trusting in Jesus as our Savior.

## Let's Pray!

- **A** God, we praise You for being the Giver of Your Holy Spirit to Your people.
- C God, we confess that we like to have our own way--even when it is disobeying You. We need Jesus to be our Savior! We need the Holy Spirit to change our hearts to love You and live for You!
- Thank You, God, for being able to change our hearts. Thank You for sending Your Holy Spirit to live inside Your people and change their hearts. Thank You for sending Jesus, so we can be Your people.
- **S** God, work in our hearts, that we might turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Send Your Holy Spirit to live in our hearts, that we might love You and live for You, more and more. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

## Let's Sing about Our Big Question and Answer!

## Big Question 10 (Action Rhyme) Song from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 10, track 13 Verse 2:

Refrain What does the Holy Spirit do in God's people? What does the Holy Spirit do in God's people? He changes their hearts, He changes their hearts, He changes their hearts to be like Jesus!

Place hand on heart

point up to heaven

and out to others

God gives power to the hearts of people, He gives them the courage to live boldly for Him,

hold up your arms and flex your muscles

make prayer hands and bow head

the hearts of God's people. He reveals His

He gives wisdom to

make an open Bible Holy Word to them. with your two palms

Refrain

He puts love in the hearts of God's people, He helps them love God and others always.

He gives them the gifts of repentance and faith,

He gives life to the hearts of God's people,

Refrain

**Song Question:** What are seven things the Holy Spirit does in the hearts of God's people? He gives them life, repentance, faith, love, power, courage, and wisdom.

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# Help Us, God!



Jesus' friends waited and asked God to send His wonderful gift of the Holy Spirit. God sent Him at just the right time. God wants us all to depend on Him. He wants us to trust in Jesus as our Savior and He wants us to have the Holy Spirit inside us, helping us to know and love Him and to live for Him. God loves to answer these prayers and so many more, all in His perfect timing.

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## Big Question 10, Lesson 4 Take Home Sheet

**Big Question 10:** What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People? Answer: He Changes Their Heart!

## Meaning:

God's Holy Spirit works in our heart as we hear God's Word, the Bible. He gives us the gift of faith in Jesus. He helps us to turn away from living for ourselves and to being to live for God instead. This is how we become God's people. But that's just the beginning of what the Holy Spirit does in God's people! He goes on living inside of them their whole lives, helping them and changing their hearts. He helps them to know God and obey His laws. He helps them to love God and others as Jesus did. He comforts them when they are sad and helps them to be brave when they are scared. He helps them know the right way to live. The Holy Spirit in our hearts is God's wonderful gift to us, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

## How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you." Ezekiel 36:26, ESV

## **Some Questions for You**

- **1. What do we need to ask God to do in our hearts?** To give us a new heart. One that loves Him and wants to live for Him.
- 2. What does God promise to do, when we confess our sins, trust in Jesus as our Savior and live for God? He promises to forgive our sins and save us from our sins. And, to give us a new heart, filled with His Holy Spirit.

## Let's Pray!

- **A** God, we praise You for being the Giver of Your Holy Spirit to Your people.
- C God, we confess that we like to have our own way--even when it is disobeying You. We need Jesus to be our Savior! We need the Holy Spirit to change our hearts to love You and live for You!
- Thank You, God, for being able to change our hearts. Thank You for sending Your Holy Spirit to live inside Your people and change their hearts. Thank You for sending Jesus, so we can be Your people.
- 5 God, work in our hearts, that we might turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Send Your Holy Spirit to live in our hearts, that we might love You and live for You, more and more. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

## Let's Praise God Right Now!

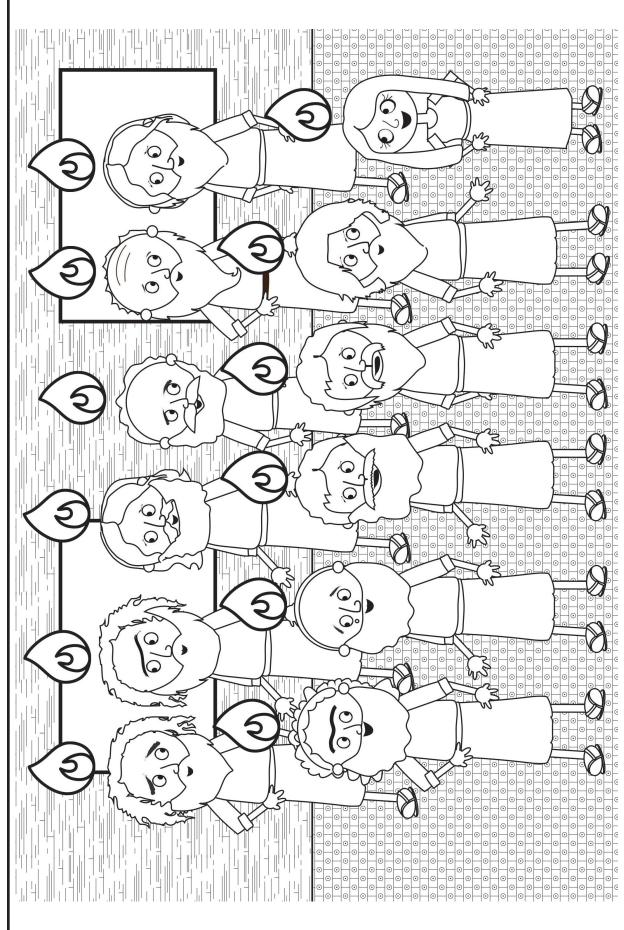
Big Question 10 Hymn: The Church's One Foundation from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 10, track 18

## Verse 1

The Church's one foundation Is Jesus Christ her Lord: She is His new creation, By Spirit and the Word; From heav'n He came a sought her, To be His holy bride, With His own blood He bought her, And for her life He died.

Words: Samuel J. Stone Music: Samuel S. Wesley

Song Question: Who do God's people thank God for sending? For sending Jesus to be their Savior. And, for sending the Holy Spirit to live in their hearts. Jesus can be our Savior, too, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus. If we do, God will send the Holy Spirit to live in our hearts, too. ISK BQ10 L4 Coloring Sheet/Take Home pg.2



HSK BQ 10 L5 Coloring Sheet/Take Home pg.1 Spirit was, when God sent Him to live in their hearts. He helped them have that special closeness with God. He helped them love God and live for Him. How exaited they were to tell others how they could be saved through Jesus and have the Holy Spirit live in their hearts, too. We, too, can have the Holy Spirit live in our hearts. We can know God in this What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People? He Changes Their Heart! The disciples were so sad when Jesus left! They missed Him so much! But what a wonderful gift the Holy wonderful way, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. God loves to answer this prayer!



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# Big Question IO, Lesson 5 Take Home Sheet

**Big Question 10:** What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People? **Answer:** He Changes Their Heart!

# Meaning:

God's Holy Spirit works in our heart as we hear God's Word, the Bible. He gives us the gift of faith in Jesus. He helps us to turn away from living for ourselves and to being to live for God instead. This is how we become God's people. But that's just the beginning of what the Holy Spirit does in God's people! He goes on living inside of them their whole lives, helping them and changing their hearts. He helps them to know God and obey His laws. He helps them to love God and others as Jesus did. He comforts them when they are sad and helps them to be brave when they are scared. He helps them know the right way to live. The Holy Spirit in our hearts is God's wonderful gift to us, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

# How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you." Ezekiel 36:26, ESV

#### Some Questions for You

- **1. Who did God give the Holy Spirit to?** All who turned away from their sins and trust in Jesus as their Savior.
- **2. What did the Holy Spirit help God's people do?** He gave them a special closeness with God. He helped them love God and live for Him. He helped them tell others about Jesus.

# Let's Pray!

- **A** God, we praise You for being the Giver of Your Holy Spirit to Your people.
- **C** God, we confess that we like to have our own way--even when it is disobeying You. We need Jesus to be our Savior! We need the Holy Spirit to change our hearts to love You and live for You!
- Thank You, God, for being able to change our hearts. Thank You for sending Your Holy Spirit to live inside Your people and change their hearts. Thank You for sending Jesus, so we can be Your people.
- God, work in our hearts, that we might turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Send Your Holy Spirit to live in our hearts, that we might love You and live for You, more and more. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

# Let's Praise God Right Now!

Big Question 10 Praise Song: Create in Me a Clean Heart from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 10, track 19

#### Refrain

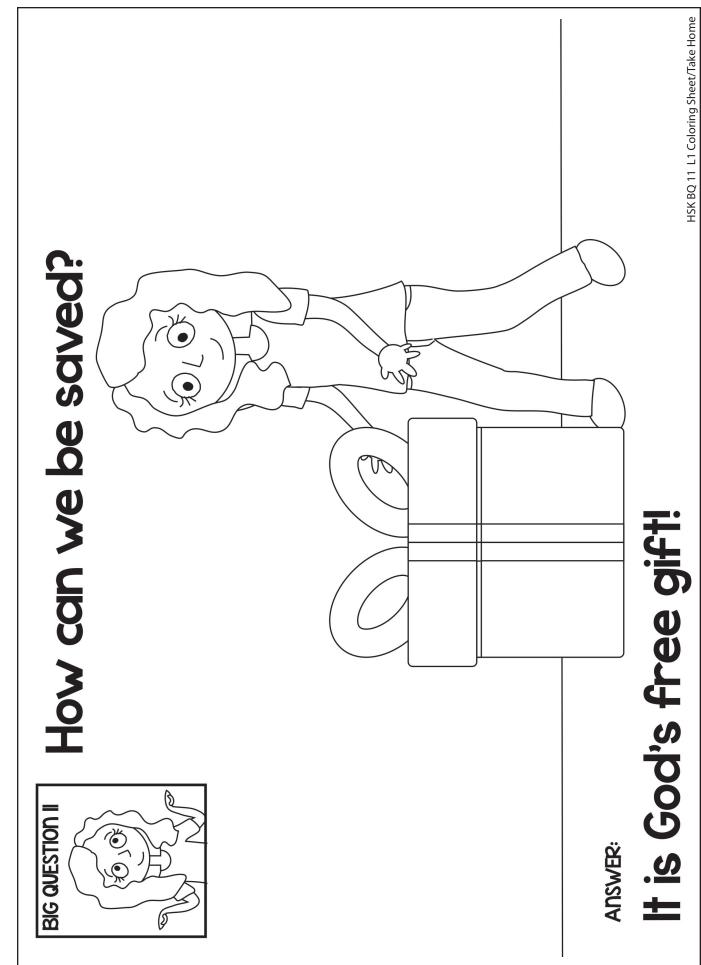
Create in me a clean heart, O God, And renew a right spirit within me. Create in me a clean heart, O God, And renew a right spirit within me.

Words: Adapted from Psalm 51:10-12 Music: Anonymous

**Song Question:** Why do we need God to give us a clean heart and a right spirit? How do we get these? We need God to create a clean heart and give us a right spirit because we are all sinners who disobey God. God sent Jesus to be the Savior for all who would turn away from their sins and trust in Him as their Savior. When we trust in Jesus as our Savior, God forgives our sins and gives us His Holy Spirit. He is the one who gives us a new heart and a right spirit.

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# Big Question II, Lesson I Take Home Sheet



**Big Question 11:** How Can We Be Saved? **Answer:** It Is God's Free Gift!

# Meaning:

We have all disobeyed God. We have all lost the wonderful special closeness with God that He created us to have with Him. No matter how hard we try, we can never be good enough to win back special closeness with God. No, we can't save ourselves, but God can. That's why He sent Jesus: to save us as a free gift from Him. God promises to forgive the sins of all who turn away from disobeying Him and trust in Jesus as their Savior. God will give them special closeness with Himself right now. Then one day, He will take them to live with Him forever. This is the free gift God offers to you and me, too. God is so kind to us!

#### How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord." Romans 6:23, ESV

#### **Some Questions for You**

# 1. Can You Fix the Big Question and Answer?

How Can We Be Saved? It Is God's Sneeze and Sniff! Answer: No! That's silly! It Is God's Free Gift!

- **2. Why do we need to be saved?** We all have disobeyed God and lost the special closeness with Him we were created to have.
- **3.** How can enjoy special closeness with God forever? How can we be saved? By turning away from disobeying God and trusting in Jesus as our Savior. When we do, God will forgive us and make us His special people as His free gift.

# Let's Pray!

- A We praise You, God for being our Savior, who came to rescue us from our sins as Your free gift.
- **C** God, we know we choose to disobey You and Your good laws. We need a Savior. Please forgive us and help us to live for You.
- T Thank You for sending Jesus to be the Savior we need. We could never save ourselves!
- **S** God, work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from disobeying You. Help us to trust in Jesus as our own Savior. We want Your free gift! In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

# Let's Sing Our Big Question and Answer!

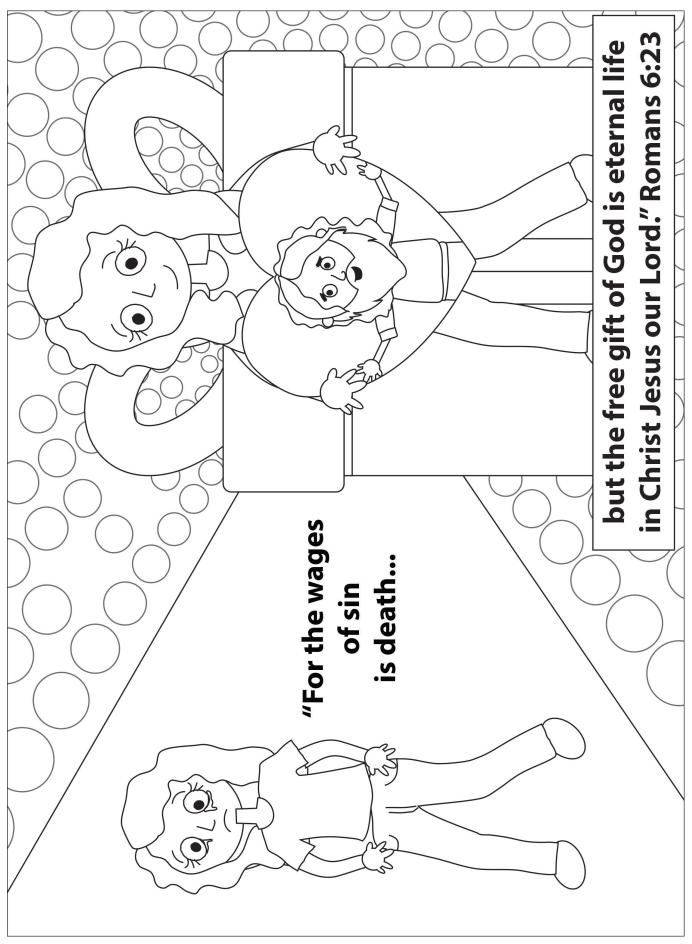
**Big Q & A 11 Song** from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 11, track 12

How can we be saved? How can we be saved? How can we be saved? It is God's free gift!

**Song Question:** How Can We Be Saved? **Answer:** It Is God's Free Gift!

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# Big Question II, Lesson 2 Take Home Sheet



**Big Question 11:** How Can We Be Saved? **Answer:** It Is God's Free Gift!

#### How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord." Romans 6:23, ESV

# Meaning:

We all want to have eternal life. That is, we all want to know and enjoy God and all of His love forever. But the sad truth is that none of us deserve it. We have all turned away from God and His good ways. We all deserve God's punishment, not wonderful life with Him. But God, in His amazing mercy, sent His Son, Jesus, to live the perfect life we never have lived. He took the punishment we deserve for our sins. When we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior, He gives us the free gift of eternal life. How good is God to sinners, like you and me!

# Some Questions for You

# 1. What's the missing word to the Bible verse?

"For the wages of sin is death, but the free \_\_\_\_ of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord." *Answer: gift*.

**2. What is eternal life and how what do I ask God for it?** Eternal life is living with God forever. It is enjoying God and all His love and it will never, ever end.. It is the most wonderful thing we can ever have. God tells us to turn away from disobeying Him and trust in Jesus as our Savior. His free gift of eternal life is ours through Jesus. God loves to help us. Ask Him!

#### Let's Pray!

- A We praise You, God for being our Savior, who came to rescue us from our sins as Your free gift.
- **C** God, we know we choose to disobey You and Your good laws. We need a Savior. Please forgive us and help us to live for You.
- T Thank You for sending Jesus to be the Savior we need. We could never save ourselves!
- **S** God, work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from disobeying You. Help us to trust in Jesus as our own Savior. We want Your free gift! In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

# Let's Sing Our Bible Verse!

**Big Question 11 Bible Verse Song** from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 11, tracks 14, 14T

# The Free Gift of God: Romans 6:23

The free gift of God is,

The free gift of God is,

The free gift of God is....what?

The free gift of God is eternal life through Jesus, through Jesus

The free gift of God is eternal life through Jesus. (repeat)

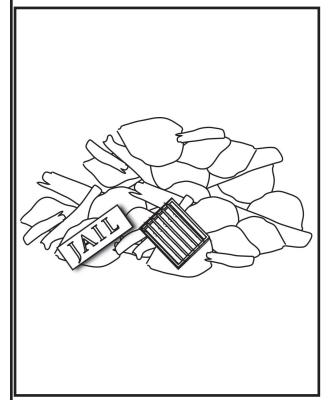
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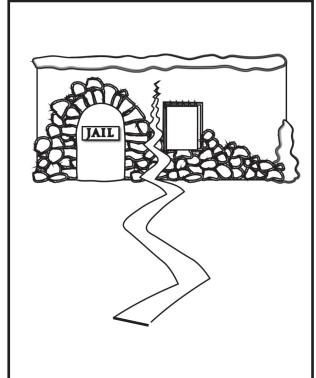
**Song Question: What does God offer to give us through Jesus?** *Eternal life! The most wonderful gift of all! Knowing and enjoying God forever!* 

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# Which three things were in our story? How were they important? Put an "X" in the box next to each of these.



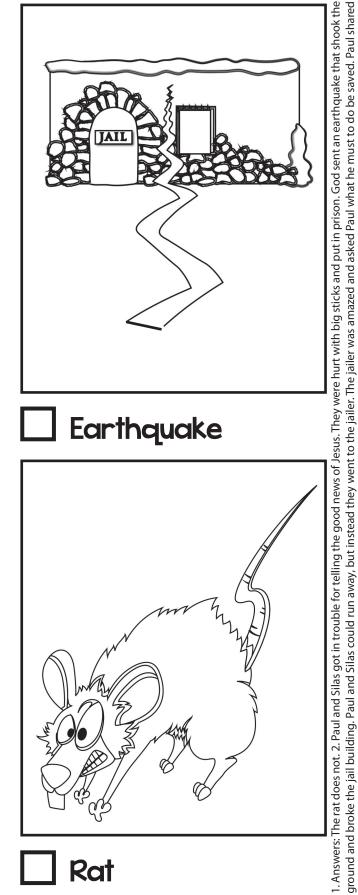


**Broken Building** 



**Big Sticks** 

Earthquake



the gospel with him, and the jailer was saved!

Rat

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# Hide 'n' Seek Kids Sneaky Seekers hiding God's Word in our hearts, seeking to know God Himself

# Big Question II, Lesson 3 Take Home Sheet

Big Question 11: How Can We Be Saved? Answer: It Is God's Free Gift!

# Meaning:

We have all disobeyed God. We have all lost the wonderful special closeness with God that He created us to have with Him. No matter how hard we try, we can never be good enough to win back special closeness with God. No, we can't save ourselves, but God can. That's why He sent Jesus: to save us as a free gift from Him. God promises to forgive the sins of all who turn away from disobeying Him and trust in Jesus as their Savior. God will give them special closeness with Himself right now. Then one day, He will take them to live with Him forever. This is the free gift God offers to you and me, too. God is so kind to us!

#### How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord." Romans 6:23, ESV

#### Some Questions for You

- 1. Which of the pictures on the coloring sheet does not belong in the story? The rat does not.
- 2. How were the other three things important in our story? Paul and Silas got in trouble for telling the good news of Jesus. They were hurt with big sticks and put in prison. God sent an earthquake that shook the ground and broke the jail building. Paul and Silas could run away, but instead they went to the jailer. The jailer was amazed and asked Paul what he must to do be saved. Paul shared the gospel with him, and the jailer was saved!
- 3. What did the jailer do when Paul told him how to be saved? He prayed to God right then and there. He turned away from disobeying God and trusted in Jesus as his Savior.
- **4. What did God do when the jailer prayed to Him?** He forgave the jailer's sins and made him one of His dearly loved people.
- **5. Can we be saved, too, like the jailer?** Yes, we can. When we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. God will help us if we ask Him. He loves to do this!

# Let's Pray!

Refrain:

**A** We praise You, God for being our Savior, who came to rescue us from our sins as Your free gift.

Verse 1

- C God, we know we choose to disobey You and Your good laws. We need a Savior. Please forgive us and help us to live for You.
- Thank You for sending Jesus to be the Savior we need. We could never save ourselves!
- 5 God, work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from disobeying You. Help us to trust in Jesus as our own Savior. We want Your free gift! In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

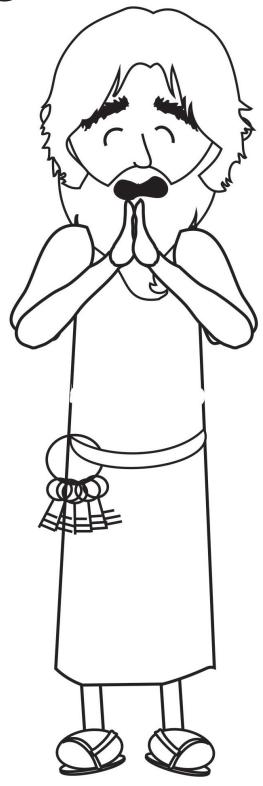
# Let's Sing about Our Big Question and Answer!

# **Big Question 11 (Action Rhyme) Song** from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 11, track 13

How can we be saved? How can we be saved? How can we be saved? It's God' free gift. How can we be saved? How can we be saved? How can we be saved? It's God's free gift through C	point up to God in heaven hrist.	I disobey God, I need a Savior, You disobey God, You need a Savior, We all disobey God, We need a Savior. To save us from our sins.  Verse 2  Jesus, He paid the price, the perfect sacrifice, On the cross, gave His life, Bought us eternal life, Takes away all our sin, Makes our hearts clean within, When we repent and believe in Him Refrain	Point to sell Point out to others  make a cross with your index fingers  Touch heart Make prayer hands and bow head

**Song Question:** Who made the way for us to be saved? *Jesus! He paid for all the sins of God's people so they could be saved!*  $Go to the {\it Hide'n' Seek Kids Parent Resources for Unit 11 to get the {\it Bible story and many more resources for this unit at www.praise factory.org}$ HSK BQ11L3 Coloring Sheet/Take Home pg.2

# Forgive us, God!



The jailer was so happy to hear how he could be saved! He confessed his sins to God and trusted in Jesus as his Savior. He chose to live for God, rather then go on living his own way. God heard the jailer's prayer and forgave his sins. He made the jailer one of His dearly loved people. How the jailer rejoiced! God wants us to confess our sins to Him, too. He wants us to trust in Jesus and live for Him. He wants us to be His dearly loved people.

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# Big Question II, Lesson 4 Take Home Sheet

**Big Question 11:** How Can We Be Saved? **Answer:** It Is God's Free Gift!

# Meaning:

We have all disobeyed God. We have all lost the wonderful special closeness with God that He created us to have with Him. No matter how hard we try, we can never be good enough to win back special closeness with God. No, we can't save ourselves, but God can. That's why He sent Jesus: to save us as a free gift from Him. God promises to forgive the sins of all who turn away from disobeying Him and trust in Jesus as their Savior. God will give them special closeness with Himself right now. Then one day, He will take them to live with Him forever. This is the free gift God offers to you and me, too. God is so kind to us!

#### How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord." Romans 6:23, ESV

#### **Some Questions for You**

- **1. What does it mean to confess something to God?** It means to tell Him about how we have disobeyed Him.
- **2. Why does want us to confess our sins to Him?** He wants to forgive us for doing them.
- 3. How can we know God's forgiveness for our sins? By confessing our sins to God, trusting in Jesus as our Savior and choosing to live for God. God promises to forgive all who do.

# Let's Pray!

- A We praise You, God for being our Savior, who came to rescue us from our sins as Your free gift.
- **C** God, we know we choose to disobey You and Your good laws. We need a Savior. Please forgive us and help us to live for You.
- Thank You for sending Jesus to be the Savior we need. We could never save ourselves!
- **S** God, work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from disobeying You. Help us to trust in Jesus as our own Savior. We want Your free gift! In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

# Let's Praise God Right Now!

Big Question 11 Hymn: Grace that Is Greater than All Our Sin from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 11, track 15

#### Verse 1

Grace, grace, God's grace, Grace that will pardon and cleanse within; Grace, grace, God's grace, Grace that is greater than all our sin.

Words: Julie H. Johnston Music: Daniel B. Towner

**Song Question:** Grace is a Bible word that means a free gift from God to us. What is the free gift that God offers to all who turn away from their sins and trusts in Jesus as their Savior? Eternal life with God--the most wonderful thing we can ever know!

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deserve for disobeying Him! How can WE be saved? It's just like Paul and Silas told the man in our story: "Say 'sorry' to How Can We Be Saved? It Is God's Free Gift! We all need God's free gift of salvation through Jesus, just like the man in our story. Why? Because ALL of us disobey God! We are ALL sinners! We need God to save us from the punishment we God for disobeying Him. Say 'no' to sin. Ask Jesus to be your Savior, and God will forgive you and save you. It is His free HSK BQ 11 L5 Coloring Sheet/Take Home pg.1



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# Big Question II, Lesson 5 Take Home Sheet



**Big Question 11:** How Can We Be Saved? **Answer:** It Is God's Free Gift!

# Meaning:

We have all disobeyed God. We have all lost the wonderful special closeness with God that He created us to have with Him. No matter how hard we try, we can never be good enough to win back special closeness with God. No, we can't save ourselves, but God can. That's why He sent Jesus: to save us as a free gift from Him. God promises to forgive the sins of all who turn away from disobeying Him and trust in Jesus as their Savior. God will give them special closeness with Himself right now. Then one day, He will take them to live with Him forever. This is the free gift God offers to you and me, too. God is so kind to us!

#### How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord." Romans 6:23, ESV

# Some Questions for You

- 1. What did the people promise the LORD they would do with His perfect laws? Obey them.
- 2. Did they keep their promise? Who did the LORD need to send them? No, they didn't. A Savior.
- **3. Who is the Savior that God sent to save them?** It is Jesus, God's Son. He came to save all who tell God their sins and ask His forgiveness. He promises to save all who ask Him to be their Savior and live for Him. You can ask Him to be your Savior, too! He will help you. Just ask Him!
- **4. Can Jesus be our Savior? How?** Yes! Jesus came to save all who turn away from their sins and trust in Him as their Savior. If we do this, Jesus will save us, too. We can know the happiness of knowing God in our heart even today. And one day, He will take us to live with Him forever in heaven. That will be happiest of all!

#### Let's Pray!

- **A** We praise You, God for being our Savior, who came to rescue us from our sins as Your free gift.
- **C** God, we know we choose to disobey You and Your good laws. We need a Savior. Please forgive us and help us to live for You.
- Thank You for sending Jesus to be the Savior we need. We could never save ourselves!
- **5** God, work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from disobeying You. Help us to trust in Jesus as our own Savior. We want Your free gift! In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

# Let's Praise God Right Now!

Big Question 11 Praise Song: Blessed Be the Name from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 11, track 16

Blessed be the name,

All praise to Him who reigns above Blessed by

Blessed be the name,

In majesty supreme.

Blessed be the name of the Lord;

Who gave His Son for man to die, That He might man redeem! Blessed be the name,

Blessed be the name,

Blessed be the name of the Lord.

# **Song Questions:**

- **1. Who is the great king who rules over everything?** *The Lord.*
- **2. What did He give us that make us want to praise Him so much?** The Lord gave His Son, Jesus, to save people like you and me from our sins. He offers us the gift of eternal life with Him!

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# How should God's people live? They should live like Jesus! **ANSWER**: HSK BQ 12 L1 Coloring Sheet/Take Home pg.1 157

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# Big Question I2, Lesson I Take Home Sheet

**Big Question 12:** How Should God's People Live? **Answer:** They Should Live Like Jesus!

# Meaning:

We become God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. When we do, God forgives our sins and we begin a whole new way of life. God's people no longer live life just to please themselves. They want to honor God with their whole lives, like Jesus did. They seek to love God most of all and love all people, too.

# How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"Be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us." Ephesians 5:1-2, ESV

# **Some Questions for You**

# 1. Can You Fix the Big Question and Answer?

How Should God's People Live? They Should Live with Sneezes! No. That's silly! They should live like Jesus!

- **2.** How did Jesus love God and others? Jesus loved God most of all. Jesus loved all people, too.
- **3. How can we become one of God's people?** We can ask Him to work in our heart, that we would turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. He delights to do these things!
- **4.** How should we live, if we are to be God's people? We should live like Jesus, too. God will help us.

#### Let's Pray!

- **A** God, we praise You for giving us Jesus, so we can know how You want us to live.
- C God, many time we don't love You or others as You want us to. Please forgive us. We need a Savior!
- **T** Thank You, God for promising to help us live like Jesus, by Your Holy Spirit.
- S Please work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to live like Jesus did, loving others and loving You most of all. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

# Let's Sing Our Big Question and Answer!

**Big Q & A 12 Song** from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 12, track 12

How should God's people live each day?

They should live like Jesus!

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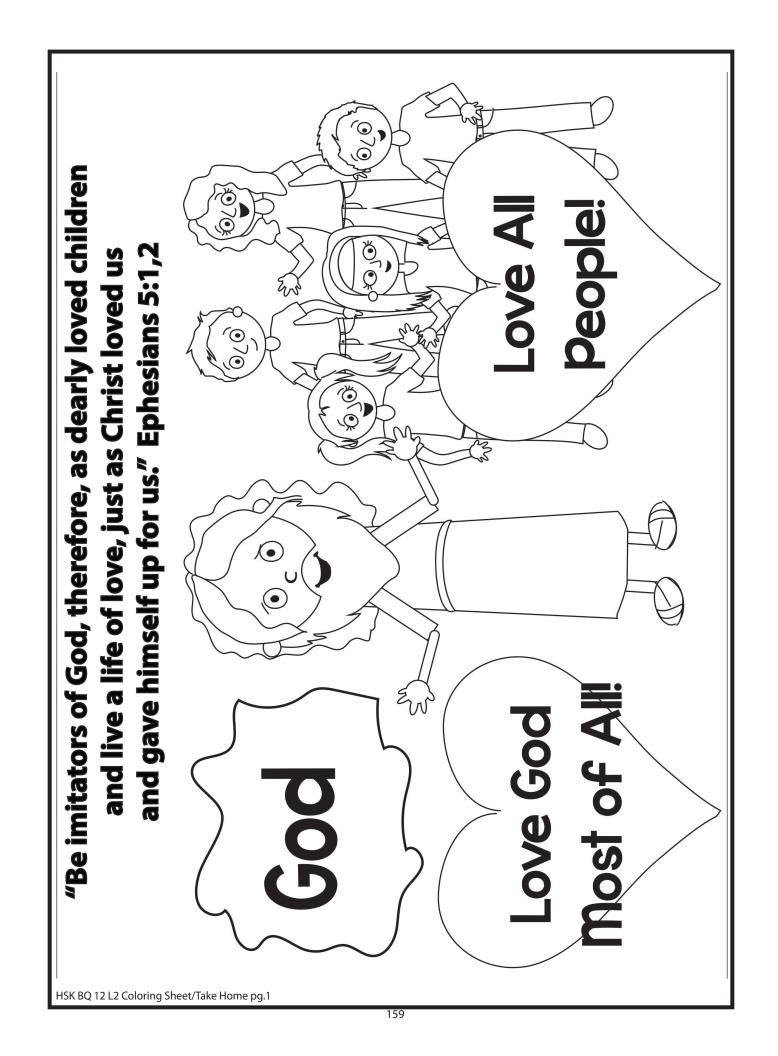
They should live like Jesus!

# **Song Question:**

**How Should God's People Live? Answer:** They Should Live Like Jesus!

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# Big Question I2, Lesson 2 Take Home Sheet



**Big Question 12:** How Should God's People Live? **Answer:** They Should Live Like Jesus!

#### How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"Be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us." Ephesians 5:1-2, ESV

# Meaning:

When you imitate someone, you try to act like them. God's people honor God by imitating His good ways. There's no one better for us to imitate than Jesus Christ, God's Son. He loved God and loved others in everything He did. His perfect life shows us how God wants us to live. God's people know they are God's dearly loved children. How they want to live like Jesus did!

#### **Some Questions for You**

# 1. What's the missing word to the Bible verse?

"Be \_\_\_\_ of God, therefore, as dearly loved children and live a life of love, just as Christ loved us." *Answer: Imitators.* 

- **2. What does it mean to imitate someone?** *It means you act like them.*
- **3. Who shows us how to imitate God?** *Jesus does. He shows us how to love God most of all and love all people, too.*
- **4. How can we become God's people?** By turning away from our sins and trusting in Jesus as our Savior.

# Let's Pray!

- A God, we praise You for giving us Jesus, so we can know how You want us to live.
- C God, many time we don't love You or others as You want us to. Please forgive us. We need a Savior!
- Thank You, God for promising to help us live like Jesus, by Your Holy Spirit.
- S Please work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to live like Jesus did, loving others and loving You most of all. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

# Let's Sing Our Bible Verse!

**Big Question 12 Bible Verse Song** from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 12, tracks 14, 14T **Walk in Love: Ephesians 5:1,2** 

Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children,

And walk in love, as Christ loved us,

Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children,

And walk in love, as Christ loved us,

Walk, walk, walk in love, walk in love as Christ loved us,

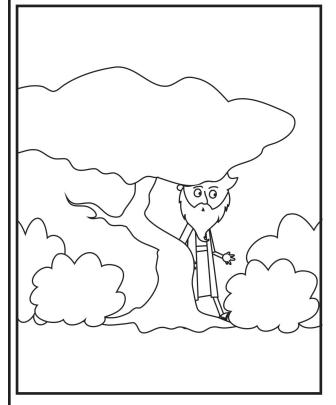
Walk, walk, walk in love, walk in love as Christ loved us.

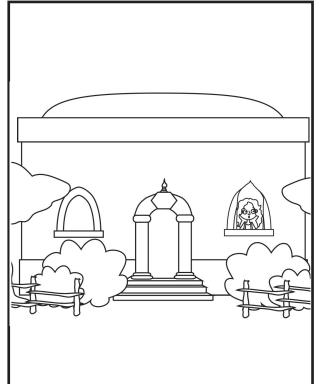
Ephesians Five, one and two.

**Song Question: What does it mean to walk in love, as Christ loved us?** It means we should love God most of all and love all people, too. God loves to help us do this.

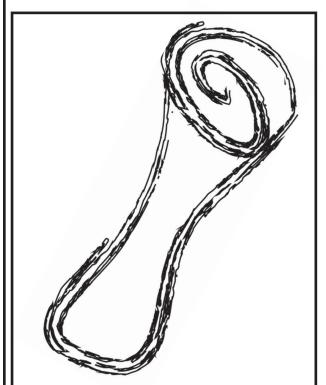
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Which three things were in the Bible story? How were they important? Put an "X" in the box next to each of these.

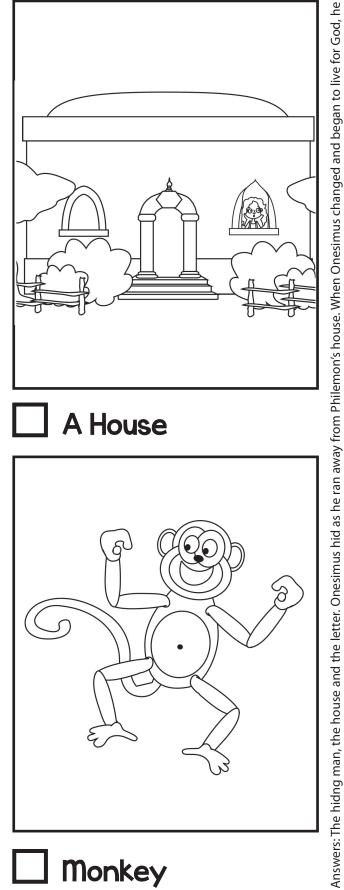




A Hiding Man



A House



knew he must go home and ask for Philemon to forgive him. Paul sent a letter urging Philemon to forgive Onesimus.

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Monkey

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# Big Question 12, Lesson 3 Take Home Sheet

**Big Question 12:** How Should God's People Live? **Answer:** They Should Live Like Jesus!

# Meaning:

We become God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. When we do, God forgives our sins and we begin a whole new way of life. God's people no longer live life just to please themselves. They want to honor God with their whole lives, like Jesus did. They seek to love God most of all and love all people, too.

# How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"Be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us." Ephesians 5:1-2, ESV

#### **Some Questions for You**

- **1. Which picture does not belong in the story?** The monkey does not.
- **2. How are the other three pictures important in the story?** Onesimus hid as he ran away from Philemon's house. When Onesimus changed and began to live for God, he knew he must go home and ask for Philemon to forgive him. Paul sent a letter urging Philemon to forgive Onesimus.
- **3. What do we do, if we want to become one of God's people, like Philemon and Onesimus?** We can turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.
- 5. How should we live, if we are God's people?

Believing in Jesus means we should live for Jesus, too. God tells us in His Word, the Bible, how He wants us to live. Sometimes it means doing things we don't like to do, but we know are right, just like Onesimus did when he went back to Philemon. God will help us to live for Him, just like He helped Onesimus. Ask Him! He loves to answer prayers like this.

# Let's Pray!

- **A** God, we praise You for giving us Jesus, so we can know how You want us to live.
- C God, many time we don't love You or others as You want us to. Please forgive us. We need a Savior!
- Thank You, God for promising to help us live like Jesus, by Your Holy Spirit.
- S Please work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to live like Jesus did, loving others and loving You most of all.

  In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

# Let's Sing about Our Big Question and Answer!

**Big Question 12 (Action Rhyme) Song** from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 12, track 13

How should God's people live?
They should live like Jesus!

Verse 2

God's people should love God most of all,
They should love others, too,
And God the Holy Spirit,

And God the Holy Spirit,
Will help them in all they do.

Touch heart

Point up to God in

Point out to others

heaven

**Verse 1**Jesus loved God most of all,

Touch heart, then point

Refrain

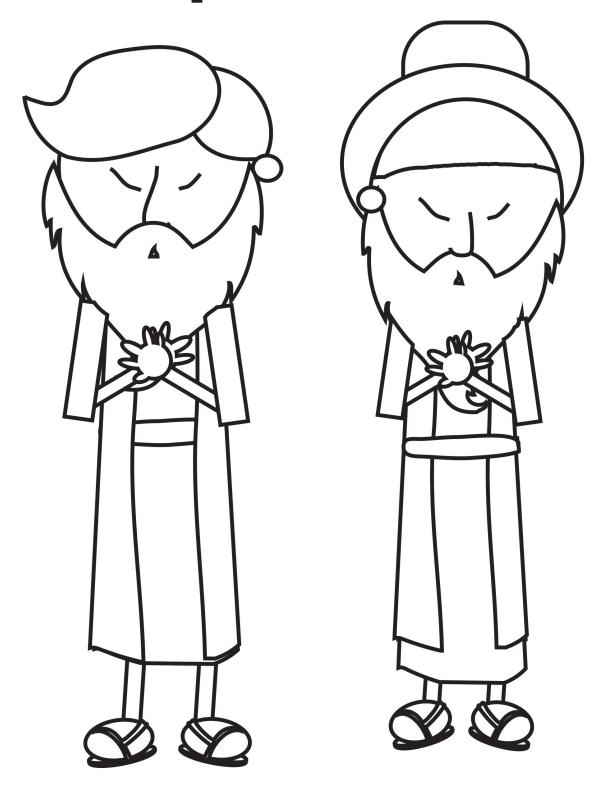
He loved all people, too, up to God in heaven
In all that He did

and said and thought, Point out to others
He loved them thru and thru. Refrain
Touch heart

**Song Question:** In what three ways did Jesus show His love for God and for people? *Answer: In all He did, said and thought.* Go to the Hide 'n' Seek Kids Parent Resources for Unit 12 to get the Bible story and many more resources and songs for this unit at praisefactory.org

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# Help Us, God!



Both Philemon and Onesimus heard the good news of Jesus and believed. They turned away from their sins and trusted in Jesus as their Savior. They thanked God for forgiving their sins and they asked God to help them to love Him and live for Him. God helped Philemon and Onesimus. He will help us to trust in Jesus as our Savior and will help us to live for Him. Ask Him! He loves to answer these prayers!

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# Big Question 12 Lesson 4 Take Home Sheet

**Big Question 12:** How Should God's People Live? **Answer:** They Should Live Like Jesus!

# **Meaning:**

We become God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. When we do, God forgives our sins and we begin a whole new way of life. God's people no longer live life just to please themselves. They want to honor God with their whole lives, like Jesus did. They seek to love God most of all and love all people, too.

#### How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"Be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us." Ephesians 5:1-2, ESV

#### **Some Questions for You**

- **1. Who asked Jesus to be his Savior?** Both Philemon and Onesimus.
- **2.** What did they ask God to help them do, after they trusted in Jesus as their Savior? They asked God to help them live for Him.
- **3. How can we become one of God's people?** We can talk to God and tell Him our sins. We can ask Him to forgive us. And, we can ask Him to work in our heart and help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. He loves to answer prayers like these!
- **4. What should we ask God to help us to do, if we want to live as God's people?** We should ask Him to help us to live like Jesus--to love God most of all, and love others, too.

# Let's Pray!

- **A** God, we praise You for giving us Jesus, so we can know how You want us to live.
- **C** God, many time we don't love You or others as You want us to. Please forgive us. We need a Savior!
- T Thank You, God for promising to help us live like Jesus, by Your Holy Spirit.
- **S** Please work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to live like Jesus did, loving others and loving You most of all. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

# Let's Praise God Right Now!

**Big Question 12 Hymn: Trust and Obey** from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 12, track 16

# Verse 1

When we walk with the Lord, In the light of His Word, What a glory He sheds on our way! While we do His good will; He abides with us still, And with all who will trust and obey.

Words: John H. Sammis Music: Daniel B. Towner

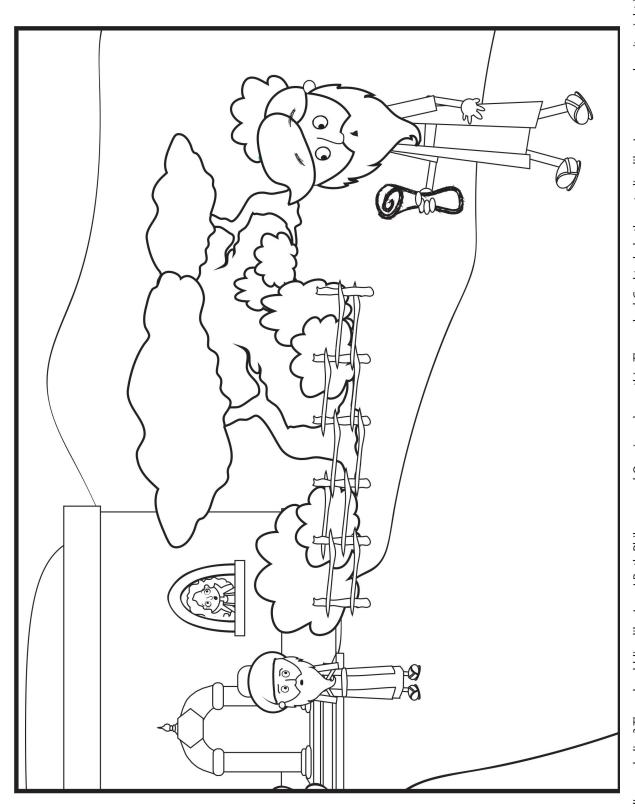
# Refrain

Trust and obey, For there's no other way, To be happy in Jesus, But to trust and obey.

**Song Question:** Who do God's people trust and obey? *God and His Word, the Bible.* 

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How should God's people live? They should live like Jesus! Both Philemon and Onesimus knew this. They asked God to help them to live like Jesus, even when it might be very hard. That's why Onesimus went back home after he ran away: He knew God wanted him to ask Philemon to forgive him. And that's why Paul sent Philemon the letter, asking him to forgive Onesimus. That would be living like Jesus, who made the way for sinners like you and me to be forgiven of all their sins by God. God can help us live like Jesus, too. Ask Him! He loves to answer prayers like these!



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# Big Question 12, Lesson 5 Take Home Sheet



**Big Question 12:** How Should God's People Live? **Answer:** They Should Live Like Jesus!

# Meaning:

We become God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. When we do, God forgives our sins and we begin a whole new way of life. God's people no longer live life just to please themselves. They want to honor God with their whole lives, like Jesus did. They seek to love God most of all and love all people, too.

#### How do I know this is true? The Bible tells me so:

"Be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us." Ephesians 5:1-2, ESV

# **Some Questions for You**

- **1. Who heard the good news of Jesus and believed?** *Philemon and Onesimus.*
- **2. How did they change after they believed?** Philemon started telling everyone about Jesus and gathered people at his house to worship God. Onesimus went back home and asked Philemon for forgiveness.
- **3. Can Jesus be our Savior? How?** Yes! Jesus came to save all who turn away from their sins and trust in Him as their Savior. If we do this, Jesus will save us, too. We can know the happiness of knowing God in our heart even today. And one day, God will take us to live with Him forever in heaven. That will be happiest of all!
- **4. How will God help us live, if Jesus is our Savior?** He will help us live for Him.

# Let's Pray!

- A God, we praise You for giving us Jesus, so we can know how You want us to live.
- **C** God, many time we don't love You or others as You want us to. Please forgive us. We need a Savior!
- T Thank You, God for promising to help us live like Jesus, by Your Holy Spirit.
- **S** Please work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Help us to live like Jesus did, loving others and loving You most of all. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

#### Let's Praise God Right Now!

Big Question 12 Praise Song: I Have Decided to Follow Jesus from Hide 'n' Seek Kids ESV Songs 12, track 17

I have decided to follow Jesus,

I have decided to follow Jesus,

I have decided to follow Jesus,

No turning back, no turning back.

**Song Question: What does it mean to follow Jesus and not turn back?** It means to turn away from your sins and trust in Jesus as your Savior. It means to begin a new life of obeying God and living for Him and not going back to your old way of living. God will help us do this! Ask Him!

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