### DEEP DOWN DETECTIVES

Visual Aids
Unit 16,
Bible Truth 2

### **About the Deep Down Detectives Visual Aids**

### **How Are They Used?**



The Deep Down Detectives Visual Aids book is a companion resource to be used alongside the Deep Down Detectives Core Curriculum book for each unit. These colorful pictures are used in presenting the key concepts; telling the Bible stories; and, in playing the Bible Story Review games.

### What Do They Include?





### There are four different resources included in this book:

- **1. Key Concept Visual Aids--** colorful signs of the Big Question and Answer, the Bible Truth, the Bible verse, and the Listening Assignments to use with the 3 lessons for each Bible Truth.
- **2. The Story Scenes, themselves.** Notice that each scene is numbered and that there is a brief summary of the story that corresponds to the picture. You can actually just tell the story in a simple way by using only the text at the bottom of each Story Scene.
- **3. Directions** for making the Deep Down Detectives "Bible" Folder and the **back/front images** to paste in place when making it. (Larger back/front images are found online with the curriculum.)
- **4. Directions** for how to make a homemade flannelgraph storyboard and sturdy Story Scene pictures are found in the back of this book.

### Ready, Set, Rip It Out!



This book is meant to be ripped up and made into your visual aids. The key concept signs can be cut out and laminated or slipped into sheet protectors. The Story Scenes can be put in sheet protectors or laminated, too.

### Store It!



Deep Down Detectives is a curriculum that can be used over and over. Store your visual aids and storyboard pictures after using them and they will serve you for many years. We store ours in manilla envelopes and then put them (along with all the rest of the curriculum) in magazine files, labelled by Bible Truth. If you have multiple classes using the curriculum, store each set of resources in separate manilla envelopes. This will make prep much simpler, second time around.

### **Replacement Story Scene Pictures**



You can always purchase this book again or simply go online and print out any scenes that go missing.

### **Other Options**



You can also choose to tell the story in a more traditional flannelgraph way by using your own flannelgraph figures or by purchasing/free downloading the Storyboard Pictures (large and small format size avaiable). This is more complex and requires more preparation, but some love it. And, it does allow for kids to interact more by helping to place pictures up on the board as you tell the story.

### Big Question 16, Bible Truth 2 Overview: Key Concepts

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### Unit 16: Jesus, the Returning King

**Unit Big Question (and Answer):** What Will Happen When Jesus Comes Back? God Will Make Everything New!

**Unit Bible Verse:** "And he who was seated on the throne said, "Behold, I am making all things new...It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end."--Revelation 21:5-6, ESV

### Bible Truth 2 Concept: God Will Make Everything New... God's People Will Live Happily with God Forever!

Have you ever been to a wedding? If you have, perhaps you've watched how happy the bride (woman) and groom (man) are to get married. They love each other so much and love being together. They are so happy on their wedding day! It's the day they begin to live the rest of their lives together.

The Bible says that Jesus is like a groom waiting for the day of His wedding. Not because He's going to get married to a woman, but because He is waiting to be joined forever with God's people, whom He loves so much. They are like a bride to Him.

At the end of world, it will be like a wedding day for Jesus and God's people. That will be the day when, at last, Jesus and God's people start living together in the new heaven and earth, He's creating for them. There will be a great celebration called the Wedding Feast of the Lamb ("the Lamb" is a nickname for Jesus that reminds God's people that He died to save them). What a lot there will be to celebrate! Jesus will rule as king forever. All of God's people will love Him and obey Him all the time. There will never be any sadness or hurting or dying anymore. Best of all, God's people will be completely filled up with knowing and enjoying God and each other in a way that can only be described as Perfect Wonderfulness. And it will be like this forever and ever. We can become God's people, too, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

### Bible Truth 2 Bible Verse: Revelation 19:6-7, ESV

"Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his Bride has made herself ready."

**Learn a Little:** "Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns."

### Meaning

This song is full of Bible words! "Hallelujah" is a Bible word that means "Praise the Lord." That's exactly what God's people will be doing when Jesus comes back to take them home to live with Him in the new heaven and earth forever!

"The Lamb" is a nickname for Jesus, who died on the cross as the perfect payment for the sins of God's people. Jesus has given God's people the nickname of "His Bride." They are His special people who He loves so much and will be joined to them forever. How happy they will live together, forever and ever. They will rejoice with a big celebration! We can become God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

### **Bible Truth 2 ACTS Prayer**

- A We praise You, Jesus! You are the great King who now rules over everything in heaven and will return one day. You will do away with sin, sadness, and death. You will be the great King over the new heaven and earth forever.
- C Jesus, we know that we disobey You and all of God's good laws. We can never be good enough on our own to deserve to live with You when You return. We ask You to forgive us! Be our Savior, so we can be God's people and live with You forever.
- Thank You, Jesus, for coming to be our Savior! Thank You that we can be God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in You as our Savior. Thank You for promising to get rid of sin, sadness, and death when You come back again. Thank You that You will create a perfect, new world for God's people to enjoy with You forever.
- **S** Work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in You, Jesus, as our Savior. Help us to love You and live for You today. Help us to look forward to the day when You come back and make all things new. Come back soon, Jesus! In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

### **Bible Truth 2 Story**

### The Case of the Promise Keeper

Isaiah 1,2,6,24,25,49,52-53,60,65,66; Daniel 3; Revelation 21

### Songs Used in Bible Truth 2

Big Q & A 16 Song

Big Question 16 Song: What Will Happen When Jesus Comes Back?

Big Question 16 Bible Verse Song: And He Who Was Seated Revelation 21:5-6, ESV

Extra Big Question 16 Bible Verse Song: I Am Making All Things New Revelation 21:5, NIV 1984

Big Question 16 Hymn: At the Name of Jesus, v.1

Big Question 16 Praise Song: He Is Lord

Bible Truth 2 Bible Verse Song: Hallelujah, Hallelujah! Revelation 19:6-7, ESV

Bible Truth 2 Extra Bible Verse Song: Hallelujah! Revelation 19:6-7, ESV

Bible Truth 2 Extra Bible Verse Song: We'll All Be Changed 1 Corinthians 15:51,52,54, ESV

Bible Truth 2 Extra Bible Verse Song: Behold a Great Multitude Revelation 7:9-10, ESV

27 Bible Verse: No More Death Revelation 21:3-4;22:3-8, ESV

listen to or download songs for free at https://praisefactory.org: Deep Down Detectives Music page

### Bible Story for Big Question 16, Bible Truth 2

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### The Case of the Promise Keeper

Isaiah 1,2,6,24,25,49,52-53,60,65,66; Daniel 3; Revelation 21

### **Story-telling Tips**

Ahead of time:

- 1. Read the Bible verses and story. Pray!
- 2. Choose story action cues and prepare storyboard figures/Story Scenes, if using. (In Visual Aids book)
- 3. Practice telling story with the storyboard figures/Story Scenes, timing your presentation. Shorten, if necessary.

### During your presentation:

- 1. Maintain as much eye contact as possible as you tell the story.
- 2. Put up storyboard figures/add story action cues/hold up Story Scenes as you tell the story. Allow the children to help you put them on the board, if desired.
- 3. Include the children in your story with a few questions about what they think will happen or words/concepts that might be new to them.
- 4. Watch the kids for signs that their attention span has been reached. Shorten, if necessary.

### INTRODUCTION/ LISTENING ASSIGNMENTS

**"Our story is called: The Case of the Promise Keeper. Here is your listening assignment."** Read from Detective Dan's Listening Assignment signs, but questions are summarized below:

### **Detective Dan's Lesson #1 Listening Assignment:**

I need to know:

- 1. What promises were the people of Israel waiting to come true?
- 2. Who has come and will come again, so that all these promises come true?

### **Detective Dan's Lesson #2 Listening Assignment:**

### Our Bible Verse is Revelation 19:6-7, ESV

"Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his Bride has made herself ready."

I need to know:

- 1. Who were the people of Israel looking forward to coming and being their Forever King?
- 2. What was the name of that king?

### **Detective Dan's Lesson #3 Listening Assignment:**

I found six clues, but two of them are **NOT** in the story.

They are: a man named Abraham, a crown, a mouse, a fake god, soldier, and a boat Hold each of them up for the children to see as you identify them.

I need to know:

- 1. Which four belong in the story and which two don't?
- 2. Who is the promised Forever King? Who will praise Him forever?

### Read the assignment questions, THEN SAY,

"Ok, Deep Down Detectives! Put on your best listening ears and see if you can hear the answers to Detective Dan's questions. When I finish telling the story, we will see if we can answer all the questions."

Read the Bible Truth story, answer questions, present the gospel and lead in prayer.

Answers to questions; the gospel; and, ACTS prayer are included with the story text.

**The Case of the Promise Keeper** *Isaiah 1,2,6,24,25,49,52-53,60,65,66; Daniel 3: Revelation 21* 

**Story with lines separating paragraphs (text in bold, optional** interaction cues in italics)

"Promises, promises! When will the LORD ever give us what He promised?" the people of Israel wanted to know.

Long ago, the LORD promised Abraham that a son from his family, the people of Israel, would bless all peoples in the world. But where was this special blessing? He STILL had not come!

Promises, promises! The LORD promised this son would also come from King David's family. He would be the Forever King and would rule over God's people for all eternity. How happy would life be with Him in charge!

No wonder the people longed for this special Son to come. Their lives were so unhappy, and it was their own fault. Instead of keeping God's good laws, they had chosen to break them, again and again. Instead of worshiping the LORD, they had chosen to worship fake gods, again and again. And, instead of learning God's Word, they had chosen to forget it, again and again. So, instead of pouring out His blessings upon them, the LORD had to discipline them, again and again.

"March, march, march!" came the mighty soldiers of Babylon into Judah and Jerusalem. "Crash, smash, burn!" down went their houses, and even the Temple, the LORD's beautiful worship place. Then, "Tromp, tromp," off went the people of Israel to Babylon, where they had to work hard for their enemies.

How sad the people of Israel were in the faraway land of their enemies! But they knew this was the LORD's punishment, and they knew they deserved it. Now, they were so very, very sorry. They wanted to turn back to the LORD, but was it too late? Were God's promises to them really gone?

What do you think? Was it too late?

The LORD gave them His answer through His prophets, Isaiah, and Daniel. It was good news. "Though your sins are so many, I, Myself, will provide the way for you to be forgiven," the LORD told the people. "I have not forgotten My promises. I will keep them all. I won't punish you forever. When seventy years have passed, I will bring you back home," He promised them.

That was great news, but the LORD had more, even BETTER news for them: "A son of Abraham will STILL come and bless all the peoples of the world. This son of David will STILL come and rule as the Forever King," the LORD promised. "But He won't be just a son of Abraham and a son of David," the LORD told them. "He will be MY Son, the Son of God. He will die for the sins of all My people. Then, He will rise from the dead, in victory over sin and death," the LORD said through Isaiah.

"Then, at the end of time, My Son will return to earth," the LORD promised. "He will judge all people fairly. Those who have NOT turned to the LORD will be separated from God forever. The time to receive God's forgiveness will be passed for them. It will be a very, very sad day for those people."

**Story with lines separating paragraphs (text in bold, optional** interaction cues in italics)

"But how wonderful it will be for God's people, all who turned away from their sins and trusted in Him as their Savior. I will create a new heaven and earth for them to live in with Me. It will be a wonderful, new world of perfect happiness," the LORD said through His prophets. "NEVER will there be sadness or death. NEVER will anyone disobey Me anymore. They will delight to worship Me," the LORD told the people of Israel. "And the Forever King, will rule on and on, and God's people will live in the bright light of His glory forever," the LORD promised the people.

Oh, what wonderful promises these were for those people of Israel, far away in the land of their enemies! How good the LORD is to His people! His love is more than they could ever deserve. God WOULD forgive and save all who turned back to Him in faith and repentance.

Promises, promises. Did God keep His promises to the people of Israel?

What do you think?

Yes, He did!

At just the right time, the LORD rescued them from their enemies and led them back home to Jerusalem. There was so much to do, but oh, how good it was to be home!

And, at just the right time, God sent the special Son—Abraham's son, David's son, GOD'S SON! He came to bless all the peoples of the world, and to save God's people from their sins. He was born in Bethlehem one night, and angels sang and rejoiced at His birth. Do you know His name? I bet you do!

Can you tell me?

### It's Jesus!

That little baby, Jesus, grew up to be a man, a perfect man --the ONLY person who never, ever disobeyed God. He taught about God and He did amazing things.

He suffered and died on the cross for the sins of God's people and was buried in a cave-grave. But on Day Three, Jesus rose up from the dead in victory. Jesus had beaten sin and death for God's people! For forty days, Jesus spent time with His disciples, teaching them many things. Then, up to heaven, Jesus went, and He is there now, ruling as the Forever King.

Promises, promises. One day, God will keep the last of His promises. On that wonderful day, Jesus will come back to this world again. Everyone will see Him as He comes through the clouds.

Then, Jesus will judge all people fairly. This old, broken world will be gone, and He will create a new, perfect world in its place.

And in this wonderful, new, home God's people will live with God forever. At last, they will get to know and enjoy Him fully. At last, they will get to know and enjoy each other fully, too. Sickness, sadness, sin, and death will be gone forever. It will be Perfect Wonderfulness that will never end. Come, Lord Jesus, come! Amen!

### **Cracking the Case:** (story wrap-up for Listening Assignments)

It's time to see how we did with our Listening Assignment.

### **Detective Dan's Lesson #1 Listening Assignment:** I need to know:

- 1. What promises were the people of Israel waiting to come true? God's promise to send a Son who would bless all nations and who would be the Forever King.
- 2. Who has come and will come again, so that all these promises come true? Jesus!

### For You and Me:

Like the people of Israel, we have all chosen to disobey God we all deserve His punishment. But through Jesus, God offers forgiveness for our sins. And the same promises that the people of Israel were waiting to come true will be promises that we're waiting to come true, too. What a wonderful day it will be when Jesus comes back to reign as the great, Forever King! God's people live with Him forever. It can be a happy day for us, too, if we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Ask God to help you do this. He loves to answer this prayer!

### **Detective Dan's Lesson #2 Listening Assignment:**

### Our Bible Verse is Revelation 19:6-7

"Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his Bride has made herself ready."

### I need to know:

- **1. Who were the people of Israel looking forward to coming and being their Forever King?** A special son God would send.
- 2. What was the name of that king? And what will it be like when he comes back? Jesus is the name of that Forever King. He will do away with sin and death. He will create a new heaven and earth to replace this broken one. Jesus will live together with God's people forever. How happy they will be!

### For You and Me:

The day Jesus comes back will be a great day of celebration for God's people. They look forward to living with Him forever. They look forward to sin and death been gone forever. We can become God's people, too. How? By turning away from our sins and trusting in Jesus as our Savior. Then, we will be able to look forward to celebrating on that day and living with Jesus forever, too.

### **Detective Dan's Lesson #3 Listening Assignment:**

I found six clues, but two of them are **NOT** in the story. They are: a man named Abraham, a crown, a mouse, a fake god, soldier, and a boat. Hold each of them up for the children to see as you identify them.

I need to know:

- **1.** Which four belong in the story and which two don't? Abraham, the crown, the fake god and the soldier belong. The mouse and the boat do not.
- **2.** Who is the promised Forever King? Who will live with Him and praise Him forever? Jesus is the Forever King. God's people will live with Him and praise Him forever.

### For You and Me:

Like the people of Israel, we have all chosen to disobey God we all deserve His punishment. But through Jesus, God offers forgiveness for our sins. And those same promises that the people of Israel were waiting to come true will be promises that we're waiting to come true, too! What a wonderful day it will be when Jesus comes back to reign as the great, Forever King. God's people will praise Him and live with Him forever! It can be a happy day for us, too, if we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Ask God to help you do this. He loves to answer this prayer!

**The Gospel** (story wrap-up if NOT using Listening Assignments)

### **Our Bible Truth is:**

What Will Happen When Jesus Comes Back? God Will Make Everything New... God's People Will Live Happily with God Forever!

What will happen when Jesus comes back? God will make everything new... God's people will live happily with God forever! After Jesus puts an end to sin, God's people will go to live with Him forever. When God's people lived on earth, they were so thankful for God sending Jesus to save them. But when they live with Him forever, they will be even happier. For then, they will be filled up as full as people can be with the happiness of knowing God. If we turn away from disobeying God and trust in Jesus as our Savior. We will get to be there with God and His people, enjoying Him forever and ever!

Close in prayer.

### **Closing ACTS Prayer**

- A We praise You, Jesus! You are the great King who now rules over everything in heaven and will return one day. You will do away with sin, sadness, and death. You will be the great King over the new heaven and earth forever.
- C Jesus, we know that we disobey You and all of God's good laws. We can never be good enough on our own to deserve to live with You when You return. We ask You to forgive us! Be our Savior, so we can be God's people and live with You forever.
- Thank You, Jesus, for coming to be our Savior! Thank You that we can be God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in You as our Savior. Thank You for promising to get rid of sin, sadness, and death when You come back again. Thank You that You will create a perfect, new world for God's people to enjoy with You forever.
- **S** Work in our hearts. Help us to turn away from our sins and trust in You, Jesus, as our Savior. Help us to love You and live for You today. Help us to look forward to the day when You come back and make all things new. Come back soon, Jesus!

In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

Go to Lesson Plan, p.9 for the script to the rest of the lesson.



## The Big Question

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

The Big Question we are investigating today is Big Question Number 16:

# What Will Happen When Jesus Comes Back? and the Answer is:

## God Will Make Everything New!

### Meaning:

Jesus is coming back one day. What a day it will be! This old world and its ways will come to an end. God will destroy it and sin and death with it. He will create a new, perfect world for His people to live in with Him forever.

It will be a beautiful, happy place where there will never be anything sad or bad in it...ever! God's people will live there with Jesus as their king. Here on earth, they know God in their hearts; but there, they will see Him face-to-face. Think of your favorite thing to do. Life with Jesus will be better than this. Think of your favorite place to be. Life with Jesus in the new world will be better than that! Think of your favorite person to be with. Living with Jesus will be far better than that! There will never be anything better than living with God like this!

What a wonderful day that will be for God's people! What a wonderful day that will be for us, too, if we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior!

Let's sing our Big Question Song:"

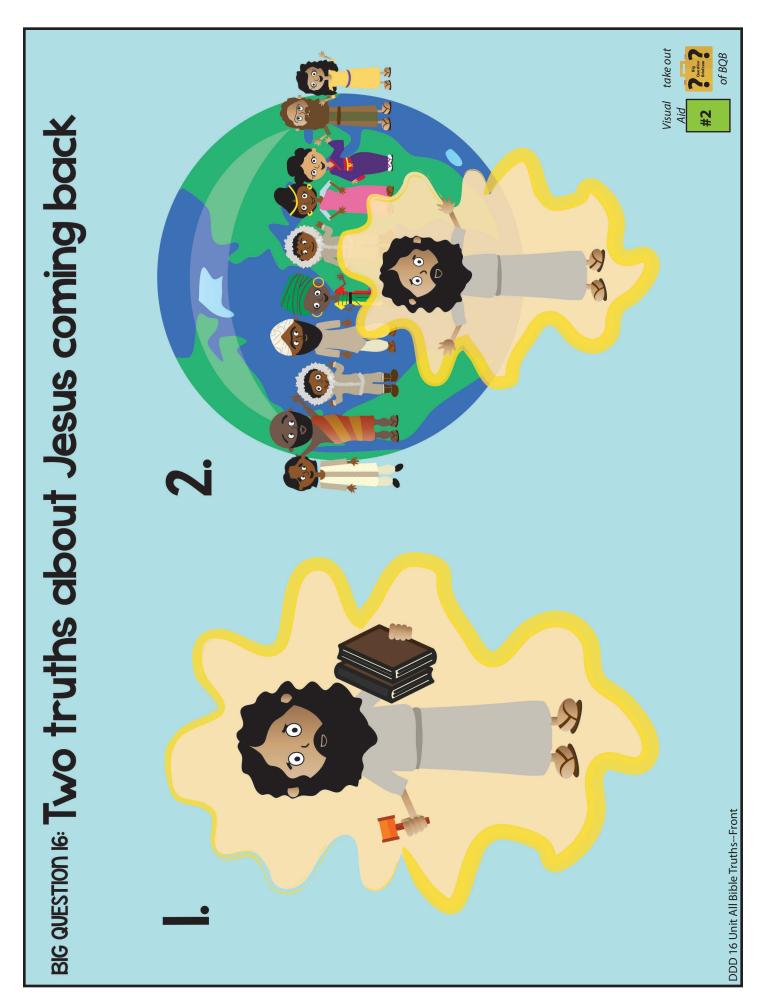
## Big Q & A I6 Song

DDD ESV Songs 16, track 12 (adapted version of "The Bear Went Over the Mountain)

What will happen when Jesus comes back? What will happen when Jesus comes back? What will happen when Jesus comes back? God will make everything new.

God will make everything new, God will make everything new.

DDD 16 Big Question Picture--Back



## This Unit's Bible Truths

"God Will Make Everything New" is a good beginning, but there's so more to learn. So it's time for us to dig down even deeper for more answers to our Big Question about God. We're going to be learning TWO Bible truths that all tell us more about the good things that God made.

Who would like to hand me the picture with our four Bible truths on it? It's in the Big Question Box/Briefcase."

Choose a child to get it and hand it to you, then hold it up and show them the pictures of the four truths they will be learning.

After everyone has had a good look say...

"Ok, we've learned one truth about Jesus coming back. It's this one: "Jesus Will Judge All People Fairly" (point to pictures as you identify each Bible Truth). Now let's look at our Bible Truth Clue sign and see if we can figure out which of these four truths we will be learning about today. Who would like to get it out of the Big Question Briefcase for me?"

Choose a child to open the briefcase, take out the Bible Truth Clue sign and hand it to you.



# Revealing the Bible Truth We Are Learning

Hold up the front side for the children to see. Cover up the answer, written along the bottom, and say:

"What Will Happen When Jesus Comes Back?
God Will Make Everything New!
God's People Will ???? Happily with God Forever!"

We're missing one word. Here's the hint to what the missing word is. It says: "Where someone makes their home? It starts with an "I" and it rhymes with "give."

Can you guess? It's "give."

So, the Bible Truth we are learning today is:

(uncover answer from bottom of sign, show it to them and say:)

"What Will Happen When Jesus Comes Back?
God Will Make Everything New!
God's People Will LIVE Happily with God Forever!"

And here is what this Bible Truth means: (read the meaning off of the back of the sign, say:)

Have you ever been to a wedding? If you have, perhaps you've watched how happy the bride (woman) and groom (man) are to get married. They love each other so much and love being together. They are so happy on their wedding day! It's the day they begin to live the rest of their lives together.

The Bible says that Jesus is like a groom waiting for the day of His wedding. Not because He's going to get married to a woman, but because He is waiting to be joined forever with God's people, whom He loves so much. They are like a bride to Him.

At the end of world, it will be like a wedding day for Jesus and God's people. That will be the day when, at last, Jesus and God's people start living together in the new heaven and earth, He's creating for them. There will be a great celebration called the Wedding Feast of the Lamb ("the Lamb" is a nickname for Jesus that reminds God's people that He died to save them). What a lot there will be to celebrate! Jesus will rule as king forever. All of God's people will love Him and obey Him all the time. There will never be any sadness or hurting or dying anymore. Best of all, God's people will be completely filled up with knowing and enjoying God and each other in a way that can only be described as Perfect Wonderfulness. And it will be like this forever and ever and ever. We can become God's people, too, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

DDD 16, Bible Truth 2--Back



## Bible Truth 2 Bible Verse

Remove the Bible Verse Picture from the "Bible" folder and hold it up for all the children to see, then say:

Revelation 19:6-7 tells us:

### Revelation 19:6-7

"Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his Bride has made herself ready."

**Learn a Little:** "Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns."

## What does that mean?

This song is full of Bible words! "Hallelujah" is a Bible word that means "Praise the Lord." That's exactly what God's people will be doing when Jesus comes back to take them home to live with Him in the new heaven and earth forever!

"The Lamb" is a nickname for Jesus, who died on the cross as the perfect payment for the sins of God's people. Jesus has given God's people the nickname of "His Bride." They are His special people who He loves so much and will be joined to them forever. How happy they will live together, forever and ever. They will rejoice with a big celebration! We can become God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

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

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## Hallelujah, Hallelujah!: Revelation 19:6-7, ESV

DDD ESV Songs 16, track 23

Hallelujah, hallelujah, the Lord, our God reigns, Hallelujah, hallelujah, The Lord our God, the Almighty reigns.

Let us rejoice and exult,
And give Him the glory,
For the marriage of the Lamb has come,
And his Bride has made herself ready.

Hallelujah, hallelujah, the Lord, our God reigns, Hallelujah, hallelujah, The Lord our God, the Almighty reigns. Revelation Chapter Nineteen, verses six and seven.



# Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #1



Hi, Deep Down Detectives!

I'm working on a brand-new case called:

"The Case of the Promise Keeper."



I. What promises were the people of Israel waiting to come true?

2. Who has come and will come again, so that all these promises come true?

Can you help me? Listen carefully to the story and you might just hear the answers!

Thanks!
Detective Dan

**Then say.** "Ok, Deep Down Detectives! Put on your best listening ears and see if you can hear the answers to Detective Dan's questions. When I finish telling the story, we will see if we can answer all of his questions."

Read the Bible Truth story, putting up the storyboard pictures as you tell it. At the end of the story, repeat the questions and lead the children in answering them. Present the gospel and close in prayer.

\*Answers to assignment questions, the gospel and ACTS prayer are also included at the end of the story text.\*

### Answers:

- 1. What promises were the people of Israel waiting to come true? God's promise to send a Son who would bless all nations and who would be the Forever King.
- 2. Who has come and will come again, so that all these promises come true? Jesus!

### For You and Me:

Like the people of Israel, we have all chosen to disobey God we all deserve His punishment. But through Jesus, God offers forgiveness for our sins. And the same promises that the people of Israel were waiting to come true will be promises that we're waiting to come true, too. What a wonderful day it will be when Jesus comes back to reign as the great, Forever King! God's people live with Him forever. It can be a happy day for us, too, if we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Ask God to help you do this. He loves to answer this prayer!



# Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #2

Hi, Deep Down Detectives!
I'm still working on the case called:
"The Case of the Promise Keeper."



Our Bible verse is Revelation 19:6-7, ESV

"Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his Bride has made herself ready."

need to find out:

I. Who were the people of Israel looking forward to coming and being their Forever King?

AND

2. What was the name of that king?

Can you help me? Listen carefully to the story and you might just hear the answers!

Thanks for your help!
Detective Dan

**Then say.** "Ok, Deep Down Detectives! Put on your best listening ears and see if you can hear the answers to Detective Dan's questions. When I finish telling the story, we will see if we can answer all of his questions."

Read the Bible Truth story, putting up the storyboard pictures as you tell it. At the end of the story, repeat the questions and lead the children in answering them. Present the gospel and close in prayer.

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### Inswers:

## Our Bible Verse is: Revelation 19:6-7, ESV

"Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his Bride has made herself ready."

1. Who were the people of Israel looking forward to coming and being their Forever King? A special son God would send.

2. What was the name of that king? And what will it be like when he comes back? Jesus is the name of that Forever King. He will do away with sin and death. He will create a new heaven and earth to replace this broken one. Jesus will live together with God's people forever. How happy they will be!

### For You and Me:

The day Jesus comes back will be a great day of celebration for God's people. They look forward to living with Him forever. They look forward to sin and death been gone forever. We can become God's people, too. How? By turning away from our sins and trusting in Jesus as our Savior. Then, we will be able to look forward to celebrating on that day and living with Jesus forever, too.



# Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #3

Hi, Deep Down Detectives!
I'm still working on the case called:
"The Case of the Promise Keeper."



I found SIX clues, but TWO of them are NOT in the story. They are: man named Abraham, a crown, a mouse, a fake god, soldier, and a boat.

Hold up each of the six pictures for the children to see as you identify them. Better yet, put them up on your flannelgraph board, off to one side.

### need to know:

- I. Which four belong in the story and which two don't?
- 2. Who is the promised Forever King? Who will praise Him forever?

Can you help me? Listen carefully to the story and you might just hear the answers!

Thanks!
Detective Dan

**Then say.** "Ok, Deep Down Detectives! Put on your best listening ears and see if you can hear the answers to Detective Dan's questions. When I finish telling the story, we will see if we can answer all of his questions."

Read the Bible Truth story, putting up the storyboard pictures as you tell it. At the end of the story, repeat the questions and lead the children in answering them. Present the gospel and close in prayer.

\*Answers to assignment questions, the gospel and ACTS prayer are also included at the end of the story text.\*

### Answers:

1. Which four belong in the story and which two don't? Abraham, the crown, the fake god and the soldier belong. The mouse and the boat do not.

2. Who is the promised Forever King? Who will live with Him and praise Him forever? Jesus is the Forever King. God's people will live with Him and praise Him forever.

### For You and Me:

Like the people of Israel, we have all chosen to disobey God we all deserve His punishment. But through Jesus, God offers forgiveness for our sins. And those same promises that the people of Israel were waiting to come true will be promises that we're waiting to come true, too! What a wonderful day it will be when Jesus comes back to reign as the great, Forever King. God's people will praise Him and live with Him forever! It can be a happy day for us, too, if we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Ask God to help you do this. He loves to answer this prayer!!



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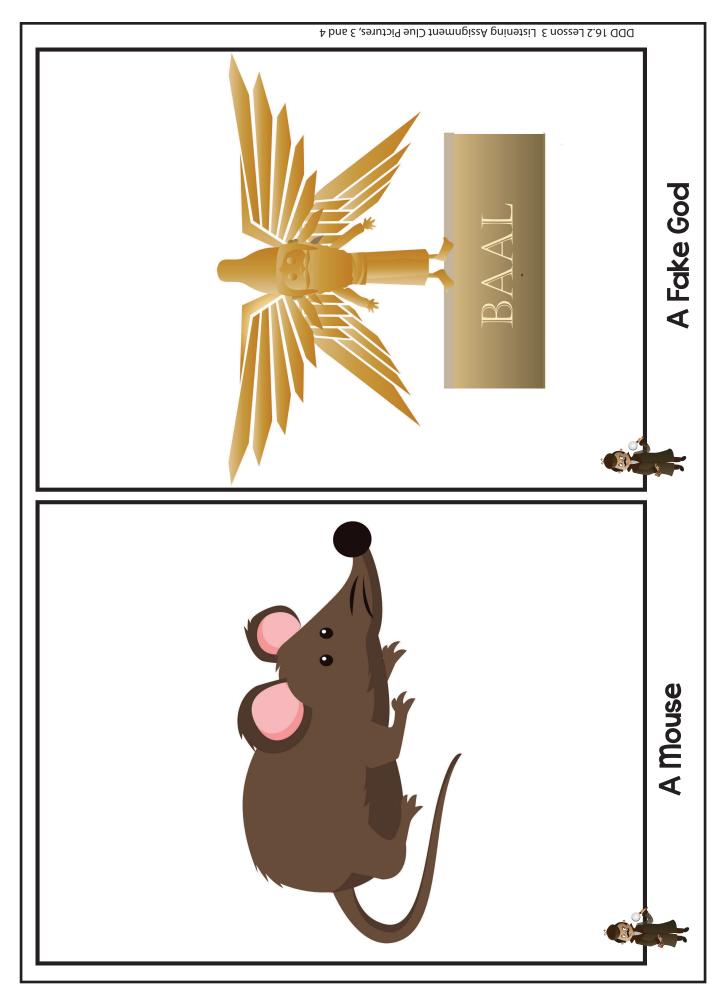
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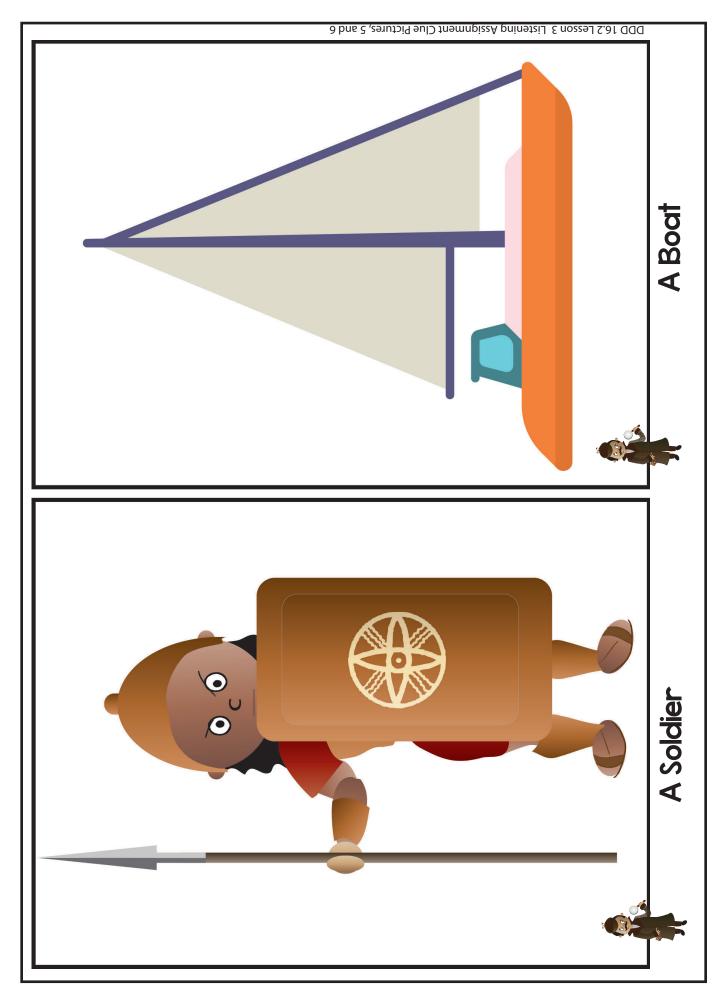
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