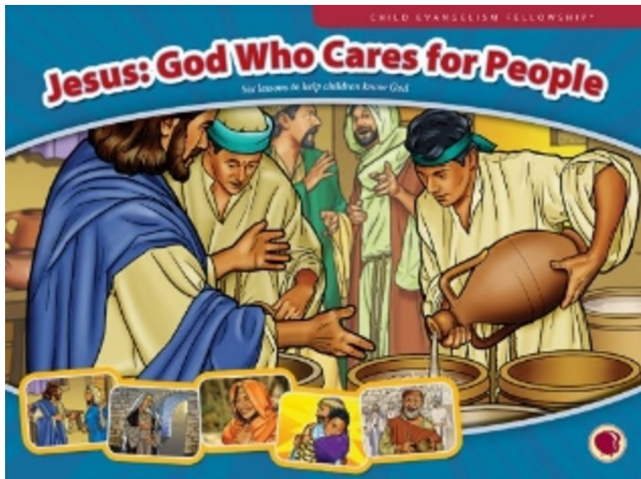


JESUS: GOD WHO CARES FOR PEOPLE *series overview*



Unit Summary

In this six-lesson series children will learn how people's lives changed in miraculous ways when they met Jesus. Text includes a master planning chart, schedule, lesson overview and outline, detailed story line, review questions, memory verse teaching and more!

Lesson 1

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Jesus Shows He is the Almighty God

Memory Verse: John 3:16

"For God so loved the world, that He gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have eternal life."

Jesus showed His amazing power at a wedding by turning ordinary water into the very best wine, proving He is no ordinary man but the mighty Son of God. This miracle helped the disciples see that Jesus has power over all things because He is truly God. When we trust Him, He can change our lives just like He changed the water—making us new and showing His love and glory. (John 2:1-11)



Jesus is the almighty God!

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Lesson 2

Nicodemus Can't Save Himself

Memory Verse: John 3:16

"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life."



Nicodemus came to Jesus wanting to understand God's truth, and Jesus told him that everyone needs to be "born again," because our hearts are dead in sin. Only Jesus can give us new life, and this new life comes from trusting Him and the work He came to do. God loved the world so much that He sent His only Son so that anyone who believes in Him will be made alive forever. (John 3:1-16)

Jesus met a woman at a well and showed her that He knew everything about her life, yet He still loved her and offered her the "living water" that only He can give. When she realized who Jesus was—the Savior—she believed in Him and ran to tell others the good news. Many people in her town believed in Jesus too, reminding us that He knows us completely, loves us deeply, and came to save everyone who trusts in Him. (John 4:1-30; 39-42)

Lesson 3

Jesus Loves Everyone

Memory Verse: John 3:17

"For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through Him might be saved."

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Jesus loves everyone!



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Lesson 4 *Jesus Heals the Nobleman's Son*

Memory Verse: John 3:36

"He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him."

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A royal official came to Jesus begging Him to heal his sick son, and Jesus told him to go home because his son would live. The man believed Jesus' words even before he saw the miracle, and on his way home he learned that his son was healed at the exact moment Jesus spoke. This reminds us that Jesus is the only Savior who has the power to give life, and we can believe every promise God gives. (John 4:46-54)

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Lesson 5

Jesus Cares for Bartimaeus

Memory Verse: John 3:36

"He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him."



A blind man called out to Jesus for help, believing that Jesus was the only one who could show him mercy and make him whole. Jesus listened to him, healed his eyes, and showed that He has the power to save and the kindness to care for anyone who comes to Him. The man immediately praised God and followed Jesus, reminding us that we can trust Jesus to forgive our sin and joyfully thank Him for His great mercy. (Mark 10:46-52; Luke 18:35-43)

Lesson 6

Creation Celebration

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Children will enjoy this "Guess Who?" party as they review what they've learned in the *Jesus: God Who Cares for People* series. Since this series has covered specific people Jesus cared for, children can play several games to "guess who" the characters are. This is also a great time to teach the children God is a personal God who knows their every thought and need. God doesn't play "guess who?" with people!



GUESS WHO?



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