



CREATION AND THE BEGINNING OF HUMAN HISTORY

#3 – The Beginning of Creation Genesis 1:1-2

PICTURES NEEDED

3-1 God visual

NURSERY CONCEPT

God isn't like the things he made.

LESSON CONTENT

Show the picture of the girl under the tree from the last lesson. Remember who made the tree? God isn't like the things he has made. The tree started from a seed and grew into a tree. Someday it will die. God has always lived and will never die. That means that he is very different from you and me. That is why God is able to make the earth all the things that live on it. **(Picture 3-1)** Point to the infinity symbol. We will use this symbol to show that God has always lived and that he is the maker (creator) of all things. The Bible says that in the beginning God made a place to put the things he made and the stuff to make them out of. That's like when you build something out of blocks you have to have a place to build on (the floor or a table) and something to build with (like blocks). In the picture the black square shows that God made a place to build things and the tiny little atoms are what he created to make things from.

QUESTIONS

What will happen to all the things God has made? Why won't God ever die? What did God make in the beginning?

PRAYER

Thank God that he is the everlasting and almighty creator. Thank him that he will never die and that he takes care of the things he has made.

BIG QUESTION

Where did created things come from? Jesus is God and created all things.

COLORING

Color in the picture on the class notes.

IDENTIFY

Name the pictures in the boxes on the back of the class notes.

LESSON SONG

My God Is So Great

Author Unknown

My God is so great, so strong and so mighty,
there's nothing my God cannot do.

My God is so great, so strong and so mighty,
there's nothing my God cannot do.

The mountains are his, the rivers are his,
the stars are His handiwork, too.

My God is so great, so strong and so mighty,
there's nothing my God cannot do, for you!

CONCEPT MOVEMENTS

God
isn't like
the things he made.

Put arms up in air and look up
Shake head and finger no
Point to self and something else

ACTIVITY

Make a building with blocks. Talk about how God made the stuff (matter) that all things are made up of, and that he put it all together in a wonderful way.