


Child's Name: _____

Lesson Passage—Genesis 1:26-27

²⁶Then God said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth." ²⁷So God created man in His *own* image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.

Through God's word we discover what is right and true.
Then we live it out in all we say and do.



LESSON 16



THIS WEEK'S BIG QUESTION

How are we to reflect God's image?

LESSON RHYME

M—M—Man
Mind, heart, will and soul
M—M—Man
By God created whole

Level 2—Parent Notes:

- **Daily Reading:** Read the entire booklet to the child. Go back to the appropriate day, reread the content and have the child answer questions about it from the **Daily Reading Questions** at the back of the booklet. Include personal ideas and additional questions. Read and discuss the daily Bible verse if appropriate for the child. Have the child draw a picture related to the content.
- **Lesson Rhyme:** Read the **Lesson Rhyme** on the next page, saying the sound of the letter instead of its name. Point to each word as you read it. Discuss the meaning of the rhyme. Have the child trace the letter with a finger and say its sound. Practice with the child the signs that go along with the **Lesson Rhyme** (included below). Review and repeat the rhyme every day.
- **Concluding Lesson:** Complete the activities under **Concluding Lesson** at the back of the book.
- **Completion:** If the student brings this booklet back to the teacher on Sunday, with each day's work completed and the lesson rhyme memorized, the student will receive acknowledgement of a job well done.
- **Way to go, parents!** Your faithfulness in teaching your children the deed and statutes of the Lord isn't always easy, but it honors God and will have an eternal impact. Keep up the good work! Remember Galatians 6:9, *And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart.*

This week I learned

Lesson Rhyme Signs

M—M	Sign of M
Man	1st 2 fingers of right hand, walking on left
Mind,	Point to head
heart,	Make heart over heart
will	One thumb up, other thumb down
and soul	Connect index fingers and thumbs to make chain (rather like infinity symbol, soul connects us to God)
M—M—Man	same as above
By God	Lift arms in air
created	Arms at side palms facing forward
whole	



Daily Reading Questions

Day 1: Who is man? What was man created in the image of? What is the reason God created man?

Day 2: What two people did God create first? What did God give to man that made him a whole being?

Day 3: Why did God give man a mind? Why did God give man a heart?

Day 4: Why did God give man a will? Why did God give man a soul?

Day 5: How is man different from all other animals?

Day 6: What should you do with your heart? What should you do with your mind? What should you do with your will? What should you do with your soul?

Concluding Lesson

Review: What was man created in the image of? What is the reason God created man? Why did God give man a mind? Why did God give man a heart? Why did God give man a will? Why did God give man a soul?

Prayer: Thank God that he made you to have a relationship with him. Pray that your heart would love God fully. Pray that your mind would be filled with God's truth. Pray that with your will you would choose to do what's right. Thank God that he gave you a soul so you could be completely whole and have an eternal relationship with him.

Application: How have you responded to God? What fills your mind? What fills your heart? What do you choose to do?

Dictation: Have the child dictate what important truth was learned from the lesson. Have the child repeat back the dictation, trace over the letters and draw a picture to go with it.

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Who is man?



M—M—Man

Mind, heart, will and soul

M—M—Man

By God created whole

Day 1

Draw a picture of a boy and a girl.

Boys and girls are people;
God refers to them as man.
And each and every one of them
fits into God's good plan.
Created in God's image,
the height of God's creation,
The purpose of man's life
is to give God adoration.

Day 6

Draw a picture of you reading the Bible.

To follow after God,
you must give to him your heart.
Then with your mind you read God's word
till you become quite smart.
With your will you must choose
to follow God each day.
Devote your soul to God
so with him you will stay.

Genesis 1:26: ²⁶ Then God said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth."

Mark 12:29b-30: "Hear, O Israel, the LORD our God, the LORD is one. ³⁰ And you shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.' This *is* the first commandment.

Day 5

Draw a picture of you worshipping God.

Created in God's image
the height of God's creation,
The purpose of man's life
is to give God adoration.
There is no other animal
like man completely whole
Cause only man was given:
a mind, heart, will and soul.

Day 2

Draw a picture of Adam and Eve.

When God created man,
there were only two.
So from Adam and from Eve
are descended me and you.
At the very start,
man was completely whole.
With a body, mind and heart,
besides a will and soul.

Isaiah 43:6b-7: Bring My sons from afar, And My daughters from the ends of the earth—⁷ Everyone who is called by My name, Whom I have created for My glory; I have formed him, yes, I have made him.”

Genesis 1:27:²⁷ So God created man in His *own* image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.

Day 3

Draw a picture of a person thinking.

God gave to man a mind
so he could think and learn
Then he could be quite smart
and for God's truth would yearn.
God gave to man a heart
so with it he could love
Then man could be devoted
to the Father up above.

Day 4

Draw a picture of two paths.

God gave to man a will
so he could choose God's way.
And in choosing what is right
on God's path he would stay.
When God breathed life in Adam,
he gave to man a soul.
Wanting man to dwell with him
and be forever whole.

Colossians 3:1-2:¹ If then you were raised with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ is, sitting at the right hand of God.² Set your mind on things above, not on things on the earth.

Deuteronomy 10:12-13: "And now, Israel, what does the LORD your God require of you, but to fear the LORD your God, to walk in all His ways and to love Him, to serve the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul,¹³ and to keep the commandments of the LORD and His statutes which I command you today for your good?"