



CREATION AND THE BEGINNING OF HUMAN HISTORY

#C3 – The Lamb of God
Hebrews 10:11-13

PICTURES NEEDED

C3-1 Manger scene with sheep

NURSERY CONCEPT

Jesus came to take away our sins.

LESSON CONTENT

Show the visual. (Picture C3-1)

What is this a picture of?

What animals are there? Why are there sheep at the manger scene?

At the time Jesus was born, God sent an angel to speak to shepherds who were taking care of their sheep out in a field, to tell them about Jesus' birth. The shepherds went to the stable where the angel said the baby was to see if what the angel had said was true. The shepherds were there at the stable right after Jesus was born.

The shepherds recognized how important the birth of Jesus was. They understood that he was a gift that God had sent to men to save us from the sin that would hurt us and destroy our lives. Sin is the bad things we and other people do. Jesus died on the cross to take away our sin. The Bible calls him the sacrificial lamb that has taken away the sin of the world.

When we give people gifts at Christmas, we want to think about what Jesus has given us.

What has Jesus given to us?

QUESTIONS

Who appeared to the shepherds? What did the angel tell the shepherd?
Why did God send Jesus to the earth? What is sin?

PRAYER

Thank God for loving us so much that he sent Jesus to take away our sin.

BIG QUESTION

How is Jesus the Lamb of God?

Jesus lived a perfect life and shed his blood to take away our sin.

CONCEPT MOVEMENTS

Jesus	Make sign of Jesus
Came	Move hands like come here
To take away	Hands in front palm down and move to side
Our sin	Thumbs down sign and sad face

COLORING

Color in the lesson picture on the class notes.

ACTIVITY

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

LESSON SONG

Jesus Loves Me

Jesus loves me! This I know,
For the Bible tells me so;
Little ones to Him belong;
They are weak, but He is strong.

Refrain:
Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me!
The Bible tells me so.

Jesus loves me! This I know,
As He loved so long ago,
Taking children on His knee,
Saying, "Let them come to Me."

Jesus loves me still today,
Walking with me on my way,
Wanting as a friend to give
Light and love to all who live.

Jesus loves me! He who died
Heaven's gate to open wide;
He will wash away my sin,
Let His little child come in.

Jesus loves me! He will stay
Close beside me all the way;
Thou hast bled and died for me,
I will henceforth live for Thee.