



CREATION AND THE BEGINNING OF HUMAN HISTORY

#26 – Cains Choice

Genesis 4:1-16

PICTURES NEEDED

26-1 Cain and Abel offering sacrifices

NURSERY CONCEPT

Don't be evil like Cain.

LESSON CONTENT

Show the visual. (Picture 26-1)

What is this a picture of?

After they left the garden, Adam and Eve had two sons, Cain and Abel. God told Cain and Abel to bring him an offering. Abel gave God the first and best sheep from his flock and God was pleased with Abel's offering. Cain just gave God some grain he had grown. God wasn't pleased with Cain's offering because Cain didn't give him the best.

Cain was jealous of Abel and his offering. God warned Cain to do what was right but Cain wouldn't listen to God. There was evil in his heart. Cain killed Abel so God had to punish him.

QUESTIONS

What did Abel give as an offering? What did Cain give? Why didn't God like Cain's offering? What did Cain do wrong?

PRAYER

Pray that you would want to do good like Abel did and not do evil like Cain.

BIG QUESTION

Why did Cain murder Abel?
Don't be evil like Cain.

CONCEPT MOVEMENTS

Don't be evil like Cain	Shake finger "no" Make a mean face and stick hand up like going to stab someone
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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

Oh Be Careful

Oh, be careful little eyes what you see,
Oh, be careful little eyes what you see,
For the Father up above is looking down with love.
Oh, be careful little eyes what you see.

Other verses

Oh, be careful little ears what you hear
Oh, be careful little mouths what you say
Oh, be careful little hands what you do
Oh, be careful little feet where you go
Oh, be careful little minds what you think