

THE WORD BECAME FLESH



CREATION AND THE BEGINNING OF HUMAN HISTORY

#22 - The Call to Follow Jesus Luke 9:46-50, 57-62, 10:1-24

PICTURES NEEDED

22-2 Jesus teaching the disciples

NURSERY CONCEPT

We should want to follow Jesus

LESSON CONTENT

Explanation: (Show lesson picture) (picture 22-2)

What is this a picture of?

Jesus wants us to love him more than we love the things of the world.

Jesus disciples argued with one another about who was the greatest. They wanted to think they were better than other people. Jesus said that in God's eyes the one who is humble and serves others is the greatest.

Jesus sent his disciples out to share the gospel. They weren't to take food or clothing with them but were to trust God to give them the things they needed to live.

Lots of people wanted to follow Jesus but Jesus told them it would be hard. They would have to give up a lot of things they liked in the world.

QUESTIONS

Who does God say is the greatest in his eyes? What does it mean to be humble?
Why isn't it easy to follow Jesus?

PRAYER

Thank God that he is great and good. Pray that you would see him as he is and yourself for who you are. Pray that you would be humble and want to serve others.

BIG QUESTION (This is for reference only. The nursery children are not expected to learn it.)

Who is the greatest in the kingdom of God?

The most humble servant is the greatest in the kingdom of God.

CONCEPT MOVEMENTS

We should want Shake head "yes"

To Follow Move hand palm down like road in front

Jesus Make sign of Jesus

COLORING

Color in the lesson picture.

IDENTIFY

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

LESSON SONG

Jesus Wants me for a Sunbeam

Jesus wants me for a sunbeam,
To shine for Him each day;
In every way try to please Him,
At home, at school, at play.

Chorus:

A sunbeam, a sunbeam,
Jesus wants me for a sunbeam;
A sunbeam, a sunbeam,
I'll be a sunbeam for Him.

Jesus wants me to be loving,
And kind to all I see;
Showing how pleasant and happy
His little one can be.

Chorus

I will ask Jesus to help me,
To keep my heart from sin;
Ever reflecting His goodness,
And always shine for Him.

Chorus

I'll be a sunbeam for Jesus;
I can if I but try;
Serving Him moment by moment,
Then live with Him on high.
Chorus