



WHAT IS THE BIBLE ABOUT?

BIBLE VERSE: The Word became flesh and dwelt among us. We observed his glory, the glory as the one and only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth. *John 1:14*

BONUS VERSE: Your word is a lamp for my feet and a light on my path. *Psalms 119:105*

BIBLE STORY: Jesus Read the Scroll (Luke 4:16-30)

BIBLE TRUTH: The Bible is the story of God's plan to save people through Jesus.

Your child began a new unit this week all about studying the Bible. The ability to read the Bible—God's true Word—is a gift. Only in recent history has access to any book been readily available. There was a time that only certain members of society, including religious figures, were allowed to read. Even today, because the Bible is not translated into all languages, some people have no access to the Scriptures in their language. Help your child understand that reading the Bible is not a chore; it is a beautiful privilege that not all believers enjoy.

This week's focus is that the Bible is the story of God's plan to save people through Jesus. Though Jesus' name as we know it is not in the Old Testament, prophets told of His coming. This week's Bible story tells of Jesus reading the Scriptures in Nazareth, His hometown. He read a passage that actually predicted His coming, and He called for people to believe in Him. Jesus was demonstrating that since the very beginning, He has always been the main thread of the storyline of Scripture.

Help reinforce to your child this week that reading the Bible is something we can do to understand Jesus' role throughout history. He is the promised Messiah, and we should constantly be developing healthy habits of studying God's Word.



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BIBLE TRIVIA!!

Which sister listened to Jesus while the other worked to prepare a meal?

Answer: Mary

Which disciple stepped out of the boat to try to walk on the water to Jesus?

Answer: Peter

How many lepers returned to thank Jesus after He healed them?

Answer: 1

How many women went to the tomb on the first Easter morning?

Answer: 2

To what city did Jesus and His parents travel for the Passover Festival?

Answer: Jerusalem

How old was Jesus when His parents looked for Him in Jerusalem for three days, and found Him in the temple among the teachers asking them questions?

Answer: 12

What is the name of the man who held baby Jesus in his arms at the temple in Jerusalem?

Answer: Simeon

Which disciple brought his brother Simon to Jesus?

Answer: Andrew

What new name did Jesus give to Simon?

Answer: Peter

What was the profession of Andrew and Simon Peter?

Answer: Fishermen

In what country did Jesus speak with the woman at the well?

Answer: Samaria

Where was Jesus born?

Answer: Bethlehem

Who baptized Jesus?

Answer: John the Baptist

Who were the parents of John the Baptist?

Answer: Zechariah and Elizabeth

What were the disciples doing while Jesus prayed in the garden?

Answer: Sleeping

What animal did Jesus ride into Jerusalem?

Answer: Donkey

