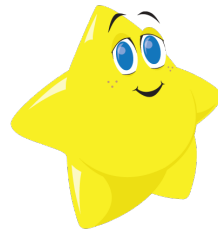


Small Group Leader Guide



Week 1

Age 4
Journeys
for Jesus

Question

Who should I share Jesus with?

Answer

Share Jesus with everyone!

Bible Verse

Mark 16:15 NLT ... "Go into all the world and preach the Good News to everyone."

What To Do First

Review

1. **Introduce** yourself.
2. **Say** the **Question**, **Answer**, and **Verse** together.

Read

1. **Lay** Story Cards in order.
2. **Point** to the first card.
3. **Read** the caption.
4. **Ask** the **Question**.
Kids answer.
5. **Do Action** together.
6. **Repeat** steps 2-5 for Story Cards 2-5.

Remember

What Do You See?

1. **Show** Story Card 1.
2. **Ask**, "What do you see in this picture?"
Group answers.
3. **Repeat** steps 1-2 for Story Cards 2-5.

Review Questions & Actions

Story Card 1

Question

Who did Paul share Jesus with? *Everyone he met*

Action

Put your hand to your ear and pretend to listen to Paul.

Story Card 2

Question

Was everyone happy that Paul taught about Jesus?
No

Action

Pretend to be angry. Make fists and hit the floor with them.

Story Card 3

Question

What did Paul have to travel on? *A boat*

Action

Clap your hands to make thunder. Make big waves with your arms.

Story Card 4

Question

What did everyone do when the boat crashed?
Swam to an island

Action

Make prayer hands.

Story Card 5

Question

Where was Paul chained in a house? *In a city called Rome*

Action

Pretend to write with your finger.

How To Wrap Up

Talk

We can share Jesus with everyone. Who will you share Jesus with?

Pray

Ask kids what they want to talk to God about, and pray with them.

Check Out Time

Begin When Parents Arrive

1. **Combine** your Small Groups if you need to free up a leader.
2. One leader **stands** at the door to **greet** parents and **run** check out.
3. When a kid leaves, **tell** the parents something positive about their kid.
4. **Keep kids busy in small groups:**
 - Repeat Story Card activities.
 - Let kids share what's on their minds.
 - Pray together to build closer relationships.

