

# A QUESTION FOR THE DISCIPLES

SESSION 7



Text Truth: **Jesus, the Son of God, is the Messiah.**

Bible Verse: **You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.**

**Matthew 16:16**

Bible Verse Paraphrase: **You are the Messiah, the Son of God.**

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For Kids  
and  
Parents

## MARK 8:27-30; MATTHEW 16:13-20

Jesus and His disciples traveled to many places and taught people. The men watched Jesus feed people and make sick people well. The disciples heard Jesus tell stories to help people understand what they should do. The disciples saw Jesus do miracles, things no one else could do.

One day Jesus asked His disciples a question. "Who do the people say that I am?"

This was an interesting question. The disciples knew Jesus was special and that God had sent Him. So they answered that some people said Jesus was a prophet or messenger like John or Elijah.

"But I am asking you, My friends," Jesus said. "Who do you say that I am?"

Peter was first to answer. "You are the Messiah, the Son of God!"

Jesus was pleased with Peter's answer. Jesus knew Peter only knew this was true because God had helped Peter know it.

# Who Is Jesus?

Jesus wants us to know who He is.  
Trace the letters to learn who Jesus is.

the Messiah  
the Son of God

**Find this verse  
in a Bible.**

Matthew 16:16

The word *Messiah* means “chosen leader or savior.” God chose His Son, Jesus, to rescue people and save them.

