

Today I learned... Jesus loves us and wants us to follow him.

Lesson 13
Today your child learned that **JESUS LOVES US AND WANTS US TO FOLLOW HIM.** Children told their Bible story about the lost sheep to their puppet friend. They talked about ways they can follow Jesus.

Help me learn this:

"The Lord is my shepherd"
(Psalm 23:1a).

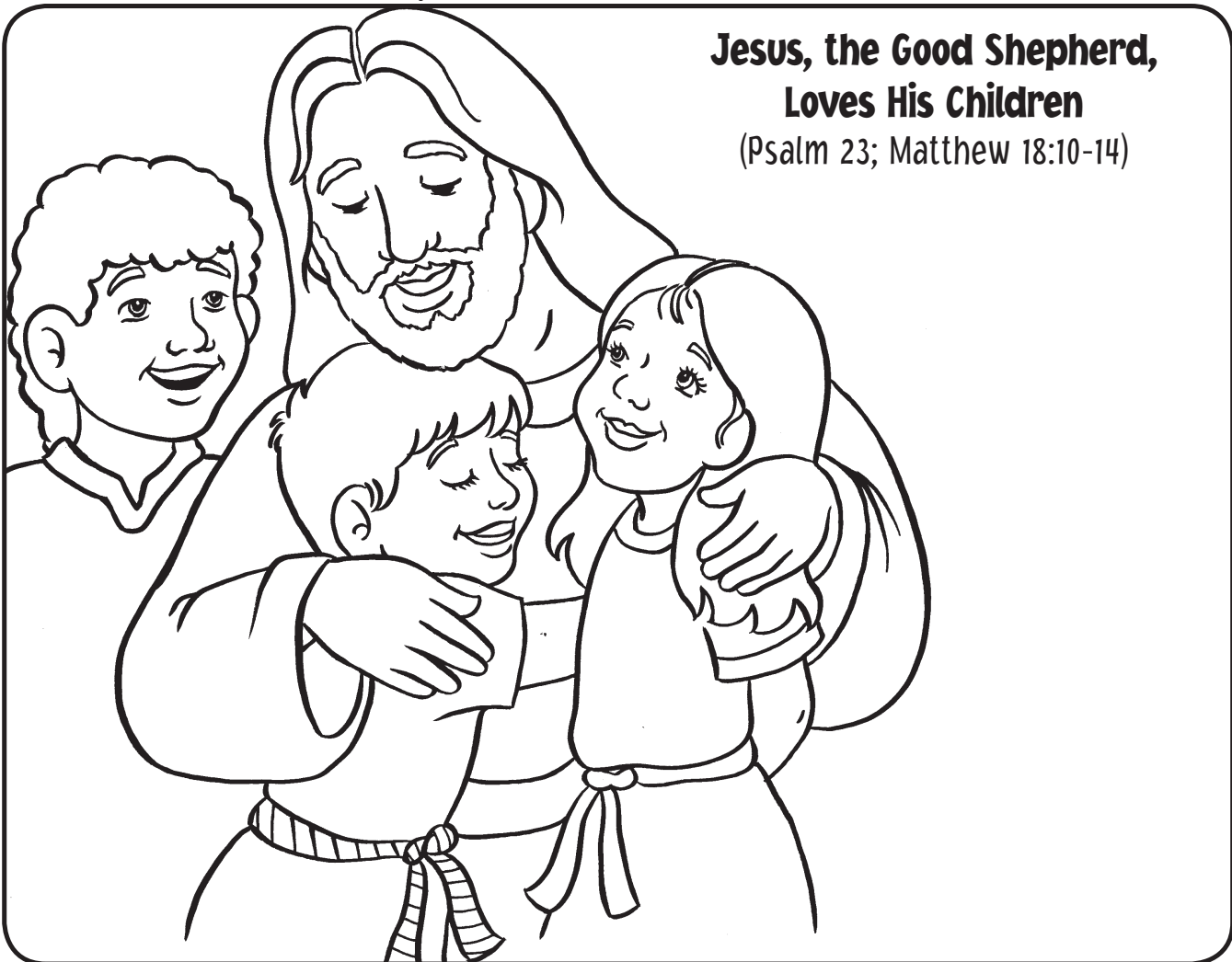
Ask me:

- What happened when the sheep didn't follow the shepherd?
- How can you follow Jesus?
- How can our family help each other follow Jesus this week?

Family Fun

- Trace your child's footprint on colored paper, and cut it out. Write, "I will follow Jesus" on it. Hang it on the refrigerator or near your child's bed.
- Sing "I'll Follow Jesus" with your child to the tune of "Jesus Loves Me."

Jesus loves me—this I know.	I'll follow Jesus.
Where he leads me, I will go.	I'll follow Jesus.
I know he'll take care of me.	I'll follow Jesus.
He's my shepherd; I'm his sheep.	I'll follow him each day.



Jesus, the Good Shepherd, Loves His Children

(Psalm 23; Matthew 18:10-14)