

PARENT GUIDE

PRESCHOOL – JULY 12TH

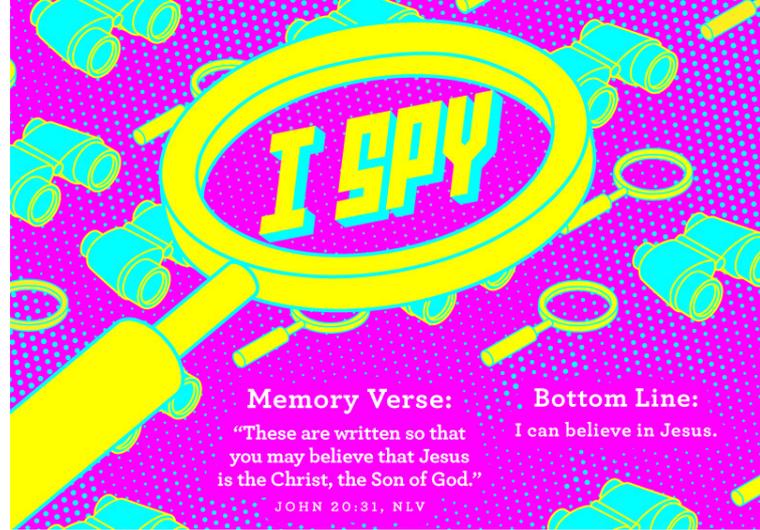
MEMORY VERSE

“These are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God.” John 20:31, NLV

KEY QUESTION & BOTTOM LINE

Who can believe in Jesus?

I can believe in Jesus.



[LINK TO WORSHIP SONG AND BIBLE STORY VIDEO: LINK](#)

BIBLE STORY CONTINUE

Paul told them how God made the sky, water, sun, moon, stars, trees, flowers, birds, fish, animals—God made all of it! The people were amazed, and wanted Paul to tell them more. So, he did!

Next, Paul told them how God made people. He told them God made all people to know him. Hmm . . . people. Get your binoculars ready! (Hold hands like binoculars.)

I spy, with my little eye, someone special God made. They have hair on their head . . . and two eyes . . . and a great big smile. Do you see someone special God made with hair on their head, two eyes, and a great big smile? Look with me! Look in front of you and beside you, to this side and to that side. It's people! God made people. Boys and girls, short and tall, God made us all! The people in Athens heard this and still wanted Paul to tell them more. So, he did!

Next, Paul told the people about Jesus. He told them that Jesus is God's son, that Jesus is alive, and He wants to be their friend forever. When Paul finished talking, some of the people believed in Jesus! It was amazing!

And the good news is that EVERYONE can believe in Jesus.

PRAYER

Dear God, we praise You because You are the one true God. You made the whole world and everything in it. Then, You gave us Your Son, Jesus, to be our friend forever. You are so amazing, God, and we love You very much. In Jesus' name, amen.”

FAMILY TIME – I SPY

Teach the children how to play “I Spy”. Call out the different items by color, shape, texture and allow them to guess the item.

ACTIVITY – TEACHER

WHAT YOU NEED: Nothing

Encourage your children to teach you something. Example:

How to draw a circle

How to draw a happy face

How to stand on one foot

How to hop up and down

What You Say:

After the Activity: “That was so much fun! Today, we’ll hear a Bible story about a man who went to a city to teach people all about Jesus!”

BIBLE STORY

Our story is about a man named Paul. Paul believed in Jesus. He told everyone that Jesus is alive and He wants to be their friend forever. One day, Paul went to a city called Athens. The people in Athens worshipped statues made of stone instead of believing in Jesus.

Paul looked around at all of the stone statues, and he told the people, Hey, you have a lot of statues, but you're missing something. You're not worshipping the one true God. The God who made everything!”

The people wanted Paul to tell them more, so he did! He told them how God made the whole world and everything in it.