

# KIDTOWN GUIDE

Preschool

**DATE:** 11/1/20

**SCRIPTURE:** Matthew 26-27

**LESSON:** Jesus' Crucifixion



## INTRO

**Parents say to your kid(s)** - Last week we saw that Jesus was arrested. Today will be one part of a two part story. It will be sad today as we talk about what Jesus did for us, but we can have hope that today's story is not the final ending!

**The Ultimate Price-** Write various prices on the price tags and label different toys, games, or things in your room. Talk about which items the children would like to purchase and how much each item costs. Talk about if each item is worth the price on the price tag.

**Parents Say:** You all had different reasons for wanting to buy the different toys and items. In our story today, we learned about the price Jesus paid to rescue us from sin. Jesus died on the cross to pay for our sins. There was no other way for us to have forgiveness and eternal life with God. Jesus showed how much He loved us paying the ultimate price.



## LESSON - JESUS' CRUCIFIXION

Watch the Gospel Project Bible video: [Jesus' Crucifixion](#)

**Story Point #1:** (Kids repeat!)

**Jesus loved us so much that He took away our punishment.** (Kids repeat!)

Jesus had been arrested because the leaders did not believe Him when He said He was the Messiah, God's Son. They thought He was lying, even though he hadn't done anything wrong. Over the last few weeks we've talked about how Jesus knew what was going to happen to Him. He knew He was sent to the earth by His Father God to die on the cross because He loved us that much. Jesus never sinned, and didn't deserve the punishment of the cross. Sin breaks His heart because He loves us so much and He came to bring us life, and joy! All of the yucky stuff we all do called sin - Jesus took to the cross and wiped it away forever!

**Christ Connection!** (Kids repeat!)

**God loves us and kept His promise to send a Rescuer!** (Kids repeat!)

John 3:16 says that God loved us so much that He sent His only son to die for our sin! Because Jesus died on the cross for our sin, we can have everlasting life with God forever. All of our sin was taken away and we were rescued! Although this life may have hard times, because of Jesus, we can have joy and peace in any struggle! Jesus brought hope to a hopeless world and we can have that same hope today. Today's story may end on a sad note with Jesus' death, but that was not the end of the story! We know one thing for sure- Jesus is more powerful than death!



## RESPONSE

**Sing:** [He Humbled Himself](#) (Key Passage Song)  
[Good Good Father](#)

**Pray:** Dear God, Thank you for Jesus.. Thank you for loving us so much and taking away all of our sin and giving us everlasting life. You are a good, good Father and we are so thankful for you.

**Discuss:**

- What stood out to you from this story?
- Why did the leaders want Jesus to die? They didn't believe that He was the Messiah, God's Son.
- What did Jesus do for us on the cross? He died in our place to take away all of our sin. In His death He gave us freedom from sin and a promise of everlasting, joy filled life with Him forever!
- Does anyone have any questions? Was anything about this lesson confusing?
  - *Allow time for questions and if you don't know the answers, that's okay. Affirm their question and let them know that you don't know but will try to find out.*
  - *If you have any questions you are really stumped on, feel free to email us at [hdisbrow@midtowncolumbia.com](mailto:hdisbrow@midtowncolumbia.com)*



## BONUS ACTIVITIES

**Coloring Sheet** - [Printable Coloring Sheet](#)

**Chalk Crosses** - Set out chalk and construction paper on a table. Guide children to draw pictures of crosses on construction paper with the chalk. After a child is done with his picture, gently spray the paper with hairspray in a well-ventilated area to set the drawing. Lay aside to dry. If weather permits, consider leading children outside to draw cross pictures on the sidewalks around your church building.

**Parents Say:** When we look at these crosses, we can remember how God loves us and kept His promise to send a Rescuer, His very own Son. Jesus never did anything wrong, but He died in our place!