

KIDTOWN GUIDE

3K - 4K

DATE: 5/10/20

SCRIPTURE: Luke 4

LESSON: Jesus Taught In Nazareth

INTRO



Parents say to your kid(s) - Today we are going to learn how Jesus went to his hometown and began teaching the people there. Some of the people wanted to listen to Him and some of them did not. Let's do an activity to help us start our Bible Story!

Scroll Activity - Write the letters J-E-S-U-S on a piece of paper or have children write it themselves if they are able. Once finished, roll up the paper like a scroll and have children unroll it and read what is written.

SAY • J-E-S-U-S spells Jesus. In our Bible story today, Jesus read from a scroll of the Bible that was about Him. Let's watch our Bible Story video to see!

LESSON - JESUS' EARLY MIRACLES

Watch the Bible story video: [Jesus taught in Nazareth](#)



Story Point #1! (Kids repeat!)

Jesus taught that He was the Messiah! (Kids repeat!)

When Jesus taught in Nazareth, he told the people that He was the Messiah that the prophet Isaiah had talked about. A Messiah is a Savior - someone who would come to rescue us! That sounds like good news, right? Some people loved what Jesus said, but some people didn't think He was the Messiah or the Son of God. They didn't believe Jesus and wanted to kill him.

Christ Connection! (Kids repeat!)

Jesus is the one God promised to send! Kids repeat!

Long before Jesus was born, Isaiah the prophet talked about God's plan to send a Messiah to earth. Jesus is the One God promised to send. Jesus would bring good news and help people who were hurting!



RESPONSE

Sing: [In This Way](#)
[Rejoice, Pray and Give Thanks](#)

Discuss:

- What stood out to you from this story?
- Who told about Jesus long before he came to the earth? *Isaiah*
- What did Jesus teach about? *He taught that He was the Messiah*

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.*

Bible Verse:

Check out the weekly [Bible Verse Video](#). Read the Bible Verse together:

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life." John 3:16

Pray - Lord, thank You that You care for me and want what is best for me. Help me to trust You and what You want more than I trust me and what I want. Amen.



BONUS ACTIVITIES

Coloring Sheet - [Printable Coloring Sheet](#)

Guess the Shadow

Hang a large white piece of paper or sheet in front of a bright light. Hold an object in front of the light, slowly moving the object closer to the screen to make the shadow more distinct. Encourage children to guess the object making the shadow.

Parents say: When Isaiah heard God's plan to send a Messiah, it was kind of like seeing a shadow from far away. Isaiah didn't know exactly what Jesus would be like, but he still understood a lot about Him. Jesus taught that He is the Messiah whom Isaiah had written about long before. Finally people could see clearly the one God had promised to send!