



At-A-Glance: Ages 4-5
God of Wonders Part 1: Miracles of Jesus
Unit 4, Lesson 21

Appearing to the Disciples

Lesson Aim: To see Jesus did miracles so we might believe in Him and tell others.

THE WELCOME TREASURE CHEST

WHISPER VERSE AND SIGN LANGUAGE: "Tell of His wonderful acts."

THE WORSHIP JESUS AS SAVIOR

Sing the Bible Memory Verse Song and other related songs.

It's Praise Time—our time to sing praise to Jesus as our Savior. Do you remember what that means? (Someone who rescues us from danger.) After Jesus died and rose again, He appeared one last time to help His followers know He was the Savior who God promised to send. His miracles help us believe. His Spirit helps us tell others of all His wonderful acts. That reminds me of today's Whisper Verse, "Tell of all His wonderful acts." Let's try it together. Review the Whisper Verse. Include sign language. Sing: "I Will Remember."

As we give our offering, let's thank God for all His wonderful acts—His miracles! Let's ask God to use our offering to help give all people what they truly need to believe in Jesus as the Savior whom God promised to send. Sing: "The Lord Is Faithful" while collecting the offering.

OFFERING: Collect the offering.

WORSHIP ILLUSTRATION: *The Adventures of Delbert & Lello* puppet script or storybook

We have great news to tell everyone. We can tell them that everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved! Sing: "Everyone Who Calls." He is mighty and He will save those who call on Him. Sing: "He Is Mighty to Save."

THE WORD JESUS APPEARS TO HIS FOLLOWERS CLASSROOM PROMISE

Last time, we learned Jesus helped Thomas believe. Today, we will learn Jesus appeared to His followers to help them believe in Him.

Let's open our Bible to today's story in the book of Luke. Handle Bible as a special treasure, leaving it open to Luke 24:48.

WATCH THE WORD: LUKE 24:36-48

Read poem. Display visual.

- After Jesus rose from the dead,
- He appeared to His followers and said,
- "Peace be with you," but they were afraid.
- He said, "It is Me!" And they were amazed!

- He asked if they had something to eat.
- They gave Him some fish and He helped them believe.
- He proved that the Bible was true. He explained,
- That to keep God's promises was why He came.

- Jesus reminded them of all they had seen.
- He said, "You are witnesses of these things."
- We are witnesses in that same way;
- Let's tell of all His wonderful acts today!

A witness is someone who sees something happen and tells others. Who did Jesus say His witnesses were? (His followers.) Let's find our answer in the Bible. Read Luke 24:48 from the teacher's Bible.

"You are witnesses of all these things." If you believe Jesus did these miracles and you tell others about them, then you are His witnesses, too! Let's say it together: "Tell of all His wonderful acts." Include sign language or hand motions.

THE WAY WE CAN BELIEVE AND TELL OTHERS

CRAFT: Sensing Miracles

GAMES: Name That Miracle, Miracle Balloon Bop

SNACK: Wonder-full Party

CIRCLE OF PRAYER

FINAL FIVE MINUTES

- COMPLETED CRAFT
- PONDER, PRAY & PLAY
- COLOR THIS STORY

GOT TIME?

SAY & DO: Luke 24:36-48

GAMES: Know and Tell

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE ACTIVITIES: Stop the Music, Everyone Who Calls
STORY TIME