



Optional Craft Template: Ages 2-3/4-5
God of Wonders Part 2: Genesis through Joshua
Unit 5, Lesson 25

Adam and Eve in the Garden

Lesson Aim: To know God created us for relationships with Him and with one another.

THE WORSHIP

Who God is: The God Who Creates

THE WORD

Bible Story: Genesis 2:15-22

What He has done: God made Adam and Eve and placed them in the garden.

AGES 2-5 CRAFT: TAKE CARE OF IT!

Purpose: Child plants a seed to care for it as Adam cared for the Garden of Eden.

Supplies: Sturdy clear cup as a planter (recycled from snack time), seeds for a fast-growing plant such as bean seeds, potting soil, water, large spoon or scoop, craft stick or sturdy twig, sturdy paper, optional: stickers, crayons or markers

Prepare: For each child, print and cut out a "Take care of it." **Genesis 2:15** label.

Adaptation for Ages 2-3: Seeds and beans can be choking hazards. The teacher or a helper should assist each child in planting his or her seed(s).

God gave Adam a job to take care of the garden and God gave Adam a friend to help with the garden. Let's help each other to prepare and take care of a garden plant.

Directions:

1. Optional: Allow children to decorate the cup and label.
2. Scoop dirt into the cup.
3. Insert finger into the center of the dirt to create a deep hole.
4. Plant the seed(s) in the hole.
5. Pack down the dirt.
6. Lightly water the plant.
7. Tape or glue the label to the craft stick.
8. Insert the bottom of the stick into the dirt so the "Take Care of It" sign stands up.

Craft Discussion:

- **What can you do to take care of your plant?** (Put it in a safe place with light, water it.)
- **How can you take care of the plants in your yard or in your neighborhood?** (Pull weeds, remove litter, etc.)

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