



At-A-Glance: Ages 4-5
Kings & Kingdoms Part 1: The Life of Jesus
Unit 1, Lesson 4

Jesus Calls His Disciples

Lesson Aim: To know Jesus calls each of us to follow Him.

THE WELCOME TREASURE CHEST

WHISPER VERSE AND SIGN LANGUAGE: "Come, follow Me."

THE WORSHIP JESUS AS THE KING WHO IS WITH US
It's Praise Time—our time to sing praise to the King who is with us. We will sing praise, give our money offering, and pray to Him. These are some ways we can follow Jesus! Let's start by giving our offering now. Sing Bible Memory Verse and other related songs.

OFFERING: Collect the offering.

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

THE WORD JESUS CALLS HIS DISCIPLES CLASSROOM PROMISE

Last time, we learned how Satan tempted Jesus to do wrong, but Jesus always did what was right. Today, we'll hear about how Jesus called His disciples to follow Him. Handle Bible as a special treasure, leaving it open to Luke 5:11.

WATCH THE WORD: LUKE 5:1-11

Read poem. Display visual.

- Jesus sent some men to fish after they'd caught none all day.
- Because Jesus said so, Simon Peter did obey.
- At once, fish filled their nets until they began to break.
- Friends helped Simon Peter and both boats began to sink.
- Jesus told Simon Peter, "Do not be afraid.
- I'll make you fishers of men. Come, follow Me today."
- They brought their boats and nets and fish to shore.
- They left all their things to follow Jesus forevermore!

What did Simon Peter and his friends do when Jesus told them to follow Him? (They followed Him.) Let's find our answer in the Bible. Read Luke 5:11 from the teacher's Bible.

What does Jesus tell us to do? ("Come, follow Me.") Our Whisper Verse tells us the answer. Let's say it together: "Come, follow Me." Include sign language or hand motions.

THE WAY WE CAN FOLLOW JESUS

CRAFT: Follow Me Cards

GAMES: Follow the Leader, Let's Go Fishing

SNACK: Plenty of Fish

CIRCLE OF PRAYER

FINAL FIVE MINUTES

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

GOT TIME?

SAY & DO: Luke 5:1-11

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE ACTIVITIES: Jump to Obey; Mother, May I?
STORY TIME