



At-A-Glance: Ages 4-5
Kings & Kingdoms Part 1: The Life of Jesus
Unit 2, Lesson 10

Jesus with Mary and Martha

Lesson Aim: To learn how to spend time with Jesus.

THE WELCOME

TREASURE CHEST

WHISPER VERSE AND SIGN LANGUAGE: "Be still."

THE WORSHIP JESUS AS THE KING WHO SERVES

It's Praise Time—our time to sing praise to the King who serves. That means He gives us what we need. In today's story, Jesus shows Martha she needs to be still and spend time with Him. Martha's sister, Mary, made a wonderful choice to "be still" and spend time listening to Jesus. We can be like Mary, too. We can "be still" and listen to Him.

Sometimes, being still can help us listen to God as He speaks to us in different ways.

We can spend time with Jesus by praying, praising Him and by giving our offering of money to help serve others. Let's spend time with Him in those ways now. Sing Bible Memory Verse and other related songs.

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

OFFERING: Collect the offering.

THE WORD JESUS TALKS WITH MARTHA

CLASSROOM PROMISE

Last time, we learned Jesus talked to the woman at the well. Today, we'll hear Jesus wanted Martha to "be still," like her sister Mary, and spend time with Him. Handle Bible as a special treasure, leaving it open to Luke 10:39.

WATCH THE WORD: LUKE 10:38-42

Read poem. Display visual.

- When Jesus came to Martha's town,
- She invited Him into her house.
- At His feet, her sister, Mary, sat down;
- She listened, quiet as a mouse.

- But Martha soon became upset,
- So she went to Jesus and said,
- "I'm doing all the work myself!
- Jesus, tell my sister to help!"

- "Martha, Martha," Jesus said,
- "You're worried, I can see.
- But only one thing do you need,
- And that's to be with Me!"

Who did Mary sit still and listen to? (Jesus.) Let's find our answer in the Bible. Read Luke 10:39 from teacher's Bible.

Jesus likes us to spend time with Him. What should we do with our bodies when we are praying or listening quietly to a Bible story? ("Be still.") Our Whisper Verse tells us the answer. Let's say it together: "Be still." Include sign language or hand motions.

THE WAY SPENDING TIME WITH JESUS

CRAFT: Be Still Sign

GAMES: Go! Be Still!, I Can Be Still In...

SNACK: Wiggling Treat

CIRCLE OF PRAYER

FINAL FIVE MINUTES

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

GOT TIME?

SAY & DO: Luke 10:38-42

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE ACTIVITIES: Circle of Love, How Big Is Jesus' Love?

STORY TIME