

At-A-Glance: Ages 10-12 Kings & Kingdoms Part 1: The Life of Jesus Unit 4, Lesson 18

Jesus is Risen

Lesson Aim: To understand Jesus conquered sin and death when He rose from the grave.

THE WELCOME

MEET & GREET: What is the most unbelievable thing you have seen?

GAME: Roll the Stone Away

THE WORSHIP JESUS AS THE KING WHO ROSE

Read Worship Scripture: 1 Corinthians 15:57

Sing songs and worship God.

Bless and collect the offering.

Perform Kingdom Adventures script or read storybook.

THE WORD VICTORY OVER SIN AND DEATH

Children sign note cards; place in Golden Bowl. Classroom Covenant.

Review: Jesus suffered and died on the cross. When King Jesus laid down His life for us, He won the victory in the battle over sin and death. Today, we will learn more about this Easter victory. Reveal Bible Story Scripture Reference: Romans 6:10, 11, 23; Mark 15:37-39; John 20:1-18. Find Romans 6:10, 11, 23 First. Pray. Read above Scripture references. Highlight Key Verse: John 20:18.

THE WAY CELEBRATING THE VICTORY

Display each symbol from Easter Symbols Egg as it is discussed.

CROSS: Display cross. **Jesus gave His life on the cross in the battle to win something for us. What did Jesus win for us?** (He won God's forgiveness for our sins by paying for our sins with His own life.)

TEMPLE CURTAIN: Display purple-red fabric. Before Jesus died, no one but the High Priest could go beyond the temple curtain to be close to God. What happened the moment Jesus died? (The curtain tore from top to bottom.) If the top of the curtain stood for God in heaven and the bottom stood for people on earth, what did tearing the curtain open from top to bottom stand for? (The separation between God and man was removed.)

BURIAL CLOTH: Display linen cloth scented with myrrh. Which part of the story does the scent and feel of this linen cloth symbolize? (After Jesus died, His friends wrapped His body in linen cloth with good smelling spices and placed it in the tomb.) Since God's final punishment for our sin is death, why is it important to know many witnesses saw Jesus had really died? (If Jesus had not actually died, our sins would not have been paid for.)

STONE: Display stone. How does the stone remind us of Jesus' victory over death? (The stone was rolled away to reveal Jesus had risen.) On the cross, Jesus made a way for us to be forgiven and come close to God. By raising Jesus from the dead, God showed what He would do for all who are close to Him. What does this mean will happen to all believers when they die? (They will be raised to life forever close to God.)

CHRIST CONNECTION:

EGG: Display Easter Symbols Egg. The egg stands for new life with God that lasts forever. Over one thousand years before Jesus rose, Job described what it will be like to see God face to face after our bodies die. Reveal Job 19:25-27. Find It First. Highlight. Read.

How do you think you will feel to see God with your own eyes one day? All who believe in Jesus will have life forever with Him. This is why believers celebrate Easter!

THE GOLDEN BOWL: Pray for individuals. Pray the Lord's Prayer.

FINAL FIVE MINUTES:

- TREASURE TREAT: Easter Symbols Egg
 W³ BETWEEN THE LINES Journal Entry #18
- OFFERING OF ART: The empty tomb
- PRAYER REQUESTS
- BIBLE MEMORY VERSE SONG

GOT TIME?

SNACK: Celebrate! Jesus is Risen!

GAMES: Get Up Tag, He is Risen Indeed! Relay

CRAFT: Jesus is Risen Magnets

DISCUSSION: Easter Symbols Review **THE APOSTLES' CREED STUDY**

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE ACTIVITIES: Four Corners of the Earth, The

Wave

BIBLE TIMELINE REVIEW