

At-A-Glance: Camp Venture Kings & Kingdoms Part 1: The Life of Jesus Unit 5, Lesson 24

The Sower

Lesson Aim: To understand why some believe

God's Word and some do not.

THE WELCOME — CAMP GAMES

GAME: Fill the Bucket

THE WORSHIP — AT THE CAMPFIRE

JESUS AS THE KING WHO TEACHES

Read Worship Scripture: 2 Thessalonians 1:3

Sing songs and worship God. Bless and collect the offering.

Sing Unit 5 Bible Memory Verse Song, "Yahweh Every Day: You Shall Love the Lord." When we are obeying the commandments to love God and our neighbors, we will do wonderful things to build His kingdom. Building God's kingdom is a great way to worship Him!

Perform Critter Kingdom script or read storybook.

THE WORD & THE WAY — TENT TIME

KINGDOM PARABLE

Camp Covenant.

Welcome to Tent Time! At the campfire, you heard about the Parable of the Sower.

If you brought your Bible, open it to Luke 8:4-8, 11-15 so you can follow along silently.

First let's ask God to open our hearts, souls and minds to His Word today. Who'd like to pray that for us? Choose a camper to pray aloud. Read Luke 8:4-8, 11-15.

What is a sower? (A sower is a farmer who spreads the seed by tossing it on the ground so it can grow.) In this parable, Jesus says the sower stands for God. What do you think the seed represents? (God's Word, the Bible.) Like the sower spreads the seed, God spreads His Word everywhere. Jesus told the Parable of the Sower to teach us the different things that may happen to people who hear God's Word.

PARABLE PAL

Let's open up our Camp Cooler to see what our Parable Pal can show us about the Parable of the Sower. Counselor opens cooler and reads the letter from the Parable Pal.

SHARE A PRAYER

Requests and the Lord's Prayer

FINAL FIVE MINUTES

- KINGDOM PARABLE JOURNAL: Sower Kingdom Parable Sticker
- CHALLENGE: DAILY WAY OR W³
- PARABLE POSTER PROJECT: The Sower
- LETTERS FROM CAMP
- PRAYER REQUESTS
- BIBLE MEMORY VERSE SONG

GOT TIME?

SNACK: Fruit of the Soil **GAME:** Rock, Soil, Seed

CRAFT: Parable Wind Chimes—The Sower **BONUS PARABLE:** The Growing Seed

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE ACTIVITIES: Color Decode, The Wave