



At-A-Glance: Ages 2-3
Kings & Kingdoms Part 1: The Life of Jesus
Unit 5, Lesson 27

The Lost Coin

Lesson Aim: To know heaven
rejoices over each of us.

THE WELCOME TREASURE CHEST

CENTERS

- COLORING CENTER: The Lost Coin
- PLAY-DOUGH CENTER: Ten Coins
- ACTIVITY CENTER: Celebrate with Me!
- DRAMATIC PLAY CENTER: God's Special Treasure

THE WORSHIP JESUS AS THE KING WHO TEACHES

All of heaven celebrates because you are God's special treasure; you are important to Him! We can tell God He is important to us when we pray. Let's pray now. Have children bow their heads and close their eyes. Dear God, we are glad we are Your special treasure. We love You and want to follow You every day. Amen.

Sing the Bible Memory Verse Song and other related songs.

OFFERING: Collect the offering.

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

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE: Practice Bible Memory Verse with the motions.

THE WORD THE LOST COIN CLASSROOM PROMISE

I am so glad you came today! I need your help. I lost my favorite stuffed animal, the little lamb, and I have looked everywhere. Can you help me find it? Have the children help you find the lamb.

I am so happy! Thank you for helping find the lamb. It is very special to me because he helps us with our Bible lessons. It is one of my treasures. That reminds me of a story Jesus told of a

woman who lost a coin she treasured. Let's find out what happened. Handle the Bible as a special treasure, leaving it open to Luke 15:8.

WATCH THE WORD: LUKE 15:8-10

Read poem. Display visual.

- Suppose there was a woman with ten silver coins.
- One, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten.
- If she loses one, there will only be nine.
- One, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine!
- The woman lights a lamp and sweeps her house.
- She looks up high. She looks down low.
- Until finally, the coin she finds.
- "Celebrate with me!" she says to her neighbors and friends.
- The Bible tells us that when we do wrong things,
- We are like the lost coin.
- But when we follow Jesus,
- We are close to Him and all of heaven is happy.

What was the woman looking for? (Her lost coin.) What did she say when she found the coin? ("Celebrate with me!") The woman was happy when she found her coin. Who is happy when we follow Jesus and are close to Him? (All of heaven.)

THE WAY YOU ARE GOD'S TREASURE

CRAFT: Coin Bag

GAMES: Sweep Up the Coin, God's Special Treasure

SNACK: Heavenly Celebration

FINAL FIVE MINUTES

- BIBLE MEMORY VERSE
- PRAY
- PLAY
- DISMISSAL (Coloring page, craft, Ponder, Pray & Play)

GOT TIME?

SAY & DO: Luke 15:8-10

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE ACTIVITIES: Praise Dance, Circle Praise
STORY TIME