

Bible Story 50: JESUS HEALS TEN MEN OF LEPROSY AND JESUS BLESSES THE CHILDREN

SCRIPTURE: Ten Men of Leprosy: Luke 17:11-19
Children: Mark 10:13-16

MEMORY VERSE: Mark 10:16, 2 Thessalonians 4:18 or Ephesians 5:20

BIBLE STORY:

JESUS HEALS TEN MEN OF LEPROSY

One day Jesus was traveling from Galilee, going through Samaria and going to Jerusalem. From a distance away, ten men were sick with leprosy. They yelled to Jesus, asking Him to help them.

Jesus told the ten lepers to go to their priests.

So the ten lepers left, obeying Jesus. On the way, they were all healed. Jesus healed them!

One of the lepers that was healed was a Samaritan. He returned to Jesus to thank Him for healing him from leprosy.

Jesus asked, ***“Where are the other nine men who were also healed? Do they not want to thank Me?”***

Jesus told the Samaritan man that he was healed because of his faith.

JESUS BLESSES THE CHILDREN

On a certain day Jesus was teaching the people about the Kingdom of God.

Some children were brought to Jesus.

The disciples would not let the children get close to Jesus and bother Him.

Jesus saw what was happening. He was angry with His disciples for not letting the children come to Him.

Jesus said, ***“Let the children come to Me. Do not stop them, because the Kingdom of God is like these children.”***

So Jesus called the children to come close to Him. Then Jesus hugged the children and blessed the children.

PART 1: PERSONAL QUESTIONS

1. What did you learn from the story?

2. How can you apply this story to your life?

PART 2: GENERIC QUESTIONS

1. What do you like about the story?
2. What is there in the story that you do not understand?
3. Who are the main people in the story?
4. What problems did the people face?
5. How did the people face their problems?
6. How have you faced similar problems?
7. Is there someone in the story who is similar to you or who is different from you?
8. What does the story tell about God?

PART 3: SPECIFIC QUESTIONS

1. What is leprosy? How many men asked Jesus to heal them from leprosy?
2. What did Jesus tell the men with leprosy to do? What happened?
3. What did the Samaritan man healed of leprosy do? Why? What did Jesus say?
4. Why is it important to thank God for things that He does for you? Name some things you are thankful for that God has done for you.
5. Who are some people that have helped you? Name some ways that you can express gratitude to these people. Take time to express your gratitude to them.
6. What did the disciples do when children were brought to see Jesus?
7. What did Jesus say about the children?
8. How do we know that Jesus loves children?
9. What are some ways you can help children know that Jesus loves them?