

lección 2

LA GRAN IDEA THE BIG IDEA

Jesús quería estar en la casa de su Padre Dios hacer negocios del Padre. Deberíamos estar haciendo los negocios del Padre en nuestra vida diaria, también.

Jesus wanted to be in his Father God's house doing the Father's business. We should be doing the Father's business in our daily lives, too.

VERSÍCULOS CLAVES KEY VERSES

Lucas 2:41-52 Luke 2:41-52

VERSÍCULO PARA MEMORIZAR MEMORY VERSE

Lucas 2:49

"Entonces él les dijo: ¿Por qué me buscabais? ¿No sabíais que en los negocios de mi Padre me es necesario estar?"

Luke 2:49

"'Why were you searching for me?' he asked. 'Didn't you know I had to be in my Father's house?"

PREPARATION & MATERIALS

BIBLE LESSON: INTERACTIVE SKIT

- Bible
- Child volunteers to play Joseph, Mary, Jesus, two priests, 4-6 traveling friends
- Scroll (large sheet of paper rolled up from 2 ends)

GAME

No materials or preparation required

CRAFT

- Experience Mission provides scissors, hole punch, stapler, staples, rulers
- Tan felt strips cut 4.5 x 12 inches (or brown grocery bag) - one per child
- Craft sticks (the kind with notches in them)
 two per child
- Scripture memory verse (John 3:16) printed on paper about 4 x 6 inches - one per child
- Ribbon 12 inches one per child
- Glue

WORKSHEETS

Photocopies of Coloring Sheet (1 per child)





When Jesus was a young boy, his parents went to Jerusalem for the Feast of the Passover. After the feast was over, as Mary and Joseph were traveling back to their home, they began to look for Jesus, but he was nowhere to be found. When they could not find him, they turned around and went back to Jerusalem to look for him.

Do you know where they found Jesus? He was in the temple. Do you think Jesus was worried or frightened? No way! When his parents found him, he said to them, "Why were you searching for me? Didn't you know I had to be in my Father's house?"

Sometimes you and I lose Jesus. We get so busy in our daily routine that we never give him a thought. Then, one day we wake up and realize that he is gone out of our lives. Do you know what we need to do when that happens? We need to go back to the place we left him. That is where we will find him, right there waiting for us!

Dear Jesus, when we have lost your presence in our daily life, help us to remember that you are still there...waiting for us to come back to you. Amen.

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. Why were they traveling to Jerusalem?
- 2. When Joseph and Mary left Jerusalem did they know Jesus wasn't with them?
- 3. Where did they find Jesus?
- 4. What was he doing?
- 5. How can you show others that you are doing the Father God's business?





Cuando Jesús era un niño, sus padres fueron a Jerusalén para la fiesta de la Pascua. Después de terminar la fiesta, mientras José y María iban en el viaje de regreso a su hogar, comenzaron a buscar a Jesús, pero no lo encontraron por ningún sitio. Decidieron regresar a Jerusalén a buscarlo.

¿Sabes dónde encontraron a Jesús? En el templo. ¿Crees que Jesús estaba preocupado o temeroso? ¡De ninguna manera! Cuando sus padres lo encontraron él les dijo: "¿Por qué me buscaban? ¿No sabían que tengo que estar en la casa de mi Padre?"

A veces tú y yo perdemos a Jesús. Nos envolvemos tanto en nuestra rutina diaria que no pensamos en él. Entonces, llega el día en que nos levantamos y nos damos cuentas de que él se ha ido de nuestras vidas. ¿Sabes lo que necesitamos hacer cuando eso pasa? Necesitamos regresar al lugar donde lo dejamos. ¡Allí estará esperando por nosotros!

Querido Jesús, cuando hemos perdido tu presencia en nuestra vida diaria, ayúdamos a recordar que tu estás allí todavía, esperando que nosotros regresemos a tí. Amén.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. ¿Por qué estaban viajando a Jerusalén?
- 2. ¿Cuando José y María salieron de Jerusalén, sabían que Jesús no estaba con ellos?
- 3. ¿Dónde encontrar a Jesús?
- 4. ¿Qué estaba haciendo?
- 5. ¿Cómo se puede mostrar a los demás que están haciendo negocios al Dios Padre?

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CRAFT

OBJECTIVE: SCRIPTURE SCROLLS

Make a scroll similar to what the scriptures were written on in ancient times.

MATERIALS PROVIDED BY EM

• Scissors, staplers, rulers, hole punches

DIRECTIONS

- Glue the short ends of the felt/paper to the craft sticks
- Glue the memory verse onto the center of the felt
- Roll up both ends like a scroll
- Secure with ribbon

MATERIALS BROUGHT BY TEAM

- Tan felt strips cut 4.5 x 12 inches (or brown grocery bag), one per child
- Craft sticks (the kind with notches in them), two per child
- Glue
- Scripture memory verse (John 3:16) printed on paper about 4 x 6 inches in size, one per child
- Ribbon, 12 inches long, one per child

EXAMPLE





• GAME •

OBJECTIVE: COPY CAT

The guesser needs to figure out who is leading the group in various motions.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Arrange kids in a circle, and choose 1 person to leave the game area for a minute, this person will be the guesser
- While the guesser is gone, the group chooses someone in the circle to be the leader
- Ask the guesser to come back to the middle of the circle
- · Everyone swings arms at first
- The leader begins other movements and everyone in the circle copies the leader without being too obvious (ie. clapping, kicking motion, jumping, singing, patting head, dance move, etc.)
- The guesser tries to figure out who the leader is
- Play several rounds



