

The man who could not hear

Once there was a man who was deaf. He could not hear. He could only speak a little bit. Some of his friends came to Jesus. They begged Jesus to heal the man.

Jesus took the man away from the crowd. The man was alone with Jesus. Jesus put His fingers into the man's ears. He spat and then touched the man's tongue.

Then Jesus looked up to heaven. He groaned and said, "Open up!"

At once the deaf man could hear. He opened his mouth and he was able to speak, too.

Jesus said to him, "Please don't tell anyone about this." But the people could not stop talking about it.

"See what Jesus is able to do," they said. "He can even make the deaf hear. And He has made this man able to speak."



Level 18

Test Score

Number of words: 27

Words correct:

Accuracy rate: %

(1 error = 96%; 2 errors = 92%; 3 errors = 89%; 4 errors = 85%)

Comprehension questions:

1. Which parts of the man's head did Jesus touch?
2. What did Jesus say to the man's ears?
3. What did the people say?