

Bible stories Set 2: story 9

The wedding

John 2: 1-11

There was a wedding. Jesus was at the wedding. So was Mary.

Everyone was having a good time. Then something happened. There were no more drinks left. There was only water.

"This will not do," said Mary. "The people must have some drinks. Can Jesus help? He is a good helper."
Mary asked Jesus to help.

Jesus said, "Get some water in some big pots." Then Jesus said, "Now drink the water from the pots."

The people got a big surprise. The water in the pots had been made into wine! Jesus had done this by His great power.

"Something amazing has happened!" they all said. "Thank you, Jesus!"



The wedding

Write the missing words:

Jesus was at a wedding.
_____ happened.
There were no more drinks _____.
There was only _____.
Mary asked Jesus to _____.
Jesus asked for some big _____.
He made the water from the pots _____ wine.

Missing words: water, help, pots, into,
Something, left

Write and draw:

1. Mary asks Jesus to help.
2. Here are some big water pots.
3. People are drinking wine from the pots.

Write t (true) or f (false):

Everyone was having a good time.
Jesus did not like to help people.
The drinks ran out.
Mary told Jesus to go and buy some more drinks.
Jesus made wine from water by His special power.

Write the words that rhyme:

time lime Tim mime
more core sore car here tore wore
must dust gust most just rust
pots pits pets lots dots
been bin seen bone
drink sink drank link wink

Bible stories Set 2: story 10

Jesus calls his friends

Matthew 9:9-12

Jesus had lots of work to do. He wanted some friends to help him do the work. Jesus wanted the friends to follow Him. He wanted them to have a new life.

Jesus saw four men fishing. Their names were Peter, Andrew, James and John. Jesus called to the men, "Leave your fishing nets. Come, follow me."

The four men left their nets. Jesus said, "You will have a new life. From now on you will help me to show people the way to God."

Jesus called eight more men to follow Him. They saw Jesus heal people.

They saw Jesus forgive sins. They saw Jesus do many miracles. They heard Jesus tell people about God. The friends were called followers.

Jesus wants us to be followers too. He calls us to a new life. He wants us to be His special helpers too.



Jesus calls His friends

Write the missing words:

Jesus saw _____ men fishing.
"Leave your _____,"

said Jesus. "Come and _____
me." The four men

_____ their nets. Jesus said,
"From now on you

_____ have a _____ life.

Missing words: nets, left, will, four, new, follow

Write and draw:

1. The four friends are in their fishing boat.
2. Jesus calls to them.
3. Jesus is telling people about God.

Write t (true) or f (false):

The four friends were fishing.

The four friends did not want to leave their
nets.

Jesus wanted the four friends to help Him.

Jesus called nine more men to help Him.

We can be God's special helpers too.

Write the words that rhyme:

follow fell fly hollow

show grow shy row throw

new now few no stew

leave love weave live

call ball clay fall hall kill tall

saw law straw see draw

life live wife knife lift

way hay stay we bay day play pay say

Bible stories Set 2: story 11

Oil and Flour

1 Kings 17

There was no rain. There was no food. There was a man called Elijah. Elijah was God's helper.

"I will look after you," God said. "Go to the town and I will tell you what to do."

Elijah went to the town. He met a lady and her boy.

"Will you give me some food and water?" asked Elijah.

"I have only a little flour. I have only a little oil. I will make some bread with the oil and flour. After that I will have none left," said the lady.

"Go and make the bread," said Elijah. "Give some to me. Give some to your boy, and then eat some yourself. God will look after us."

The lady made the bread. She gave some to Elijah. She gave some to her boy. She ate some herself.

She looked in the flour jar. It was not empty! She looked in the oil jug. It was not empty! God had made more flour and more oil. Every time she made bread, God made more flour and more oil.

God looked after them! Every day He gave them food.



Oil and flour

Write the missing words:

There was no _____. There was no _____.

Elijah was God's _____. God told Elijah to _____ to the _____. Elijah asked a _____ for some food and _____.

The lady only had a _____ flour and a little _____.

She looked at the flour _____. It was not _____!

She looked at the oil jar. It was not empty! God had made more flour and _____ oil!

Missing words: town, lady, empty, rain, helper, more, little, go, food, water, oil, jar

Write and draw:

1. Here is the oil jar and the flour jar.
2. The lady is making some bread.

Write t (true) or f (false)

Elijah met a lady and her girl.

The lady said, "I have lots of oil and flour."

The lady made bread for Elijah and for herself and for the boy.

The oil and flour ran out.

God will look after us even when there is very little food.

Bible stories Set 2: story 12

Jacob and Esau

Genesis 5

There were two brothers. One was called Jacob. The other was called Esau. Esau was the older brother.

The older brother was going to be given a special blessing from his father, Isaac. Rebekah was Isaac's wife. She wanted Jacob to have the special blessing.

"I know," said Rebekah to Jacob. "We will trick your father. We will make him think that you are Esau. Then he will give you the special blessing."

They tricked Isaac. Isaac could not see very well. Jacob dressed like Esau. Isaac thought that Jacob was Esau. He gave Jacob the special blessing.

Esau was very angry. Jacob had to run away. Jacob stayed away for many years. One day he wanted to go back home. He was afraid of Esau. "Will he still be angry?" he thought. "I will send some gifts to Esau."

Jacob met Esau. Esau was not angry. He ran to Jacob. He gave Jacob a hug. He was happy to see his brother again. The two brothers made peace.



Jacob and Esau

Write the missing words:

There were two brothers _____
Jacob and Esau.

Esau _____ the older brother. Rebekah
_____ Jacob to have the special
blessing.

Isaac could not _____ very well.
Rebekah and Jacob _____ Isaac.

Jacob dressed up _____ Esau.
Jacob got the blessing.

Esau was _____, but later on
the two brothers _____ peace with
each other.

Missing words: tricked, made, was, see,
angry, like, called, wanted

Write and draw:

1. The two brothers.
2. Isaac is giving Esau the special blessing,

Write t (true) or f (false):

Jacob was the older brother.

Rebekah wanted Esau to have the special
blessing.

Esau dressed up like Jacob.

Esau was angry.

Jacob was afraid and ran away.

Write the words that rhyme:

trick stick tack truck lick pick sick

home dome hem Rome hum

think pink thank sink drink link

Level 13 Reading Test

God gives us everything we need.

Do you know how much God loves us? He loves us more than anyone. He wants to give us good things.

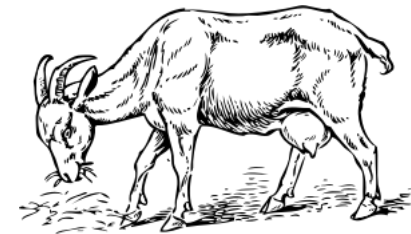
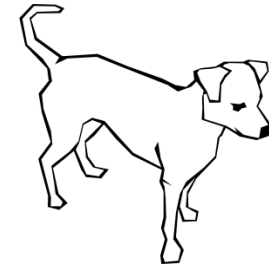
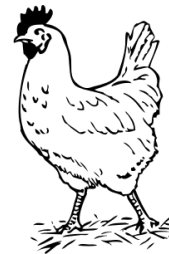
He made air and water so that we could live. Only the earth has air to breathe and water to drink.

He made the sun to keep us warm and to give us light. He made plants for our food. Did you know that plants need light to stay alive? If we had no light, we would have no food and we could not live.

God put the sun in the sky, just in the right place. It is not too close to us. It is

not too far away. It is just right. It is not too hot for us. It is not too cold for us.

God made animals too. He made them so that we would be happy. He made animals to help us. God thought of everything! Which animal do you like best? Can you think of some animals that help us?



Test Results

Number of words: 137

Words correct:

Accuracy rate: %

(1 error = 99%; 2 errors = 99%; 3 errors = 98%; 4 errors = 98%; 5 errors = 97%; 6 errors = 96%; 7 errors = 96%; 8 errors = 95%; 9 errors = 95%; 10 errors = 94%; 11 errors = 93%; 12 errors = 93%; 13 errors = 92%)

Score: $\frac{\quad}{3}$

Comprehension:

1. What did God make so that we could stay alive?
2. What would happen if there was no light?
3. What would happen if the sun was closer to us?