

Samaritan Woman

Women in the Life of Jesus
Lesson 3

Lesson at a Glance

Lesson Objectives

- The students will hear the story of Jesus and the Samaritan woman.
- The students will name one thing Jesus taught the Samaritan woman.
- The students will name one person they will invite to church this week.

Lesson Text

John 4:1-42

Scripture Memory Verse

I pray that you may be active in sharing your faith, so that you will have a full understanding of every good thing we have in Christ.

Philemon 6

Lesson Plan

Greeting and Registration

Preclass Activity: Samaritan Search

Welcome and Singing

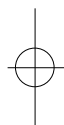
Centers:

Bible Story: Women in the News

Craft: Cup of Faith

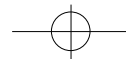
Scripture Memory: Well, Well, Well

NOTE: Allow time for a snack.



GENERATION
Next

3rd and 4th Grades



P R E • C L A S S

Samaritan Woman

Samaritan Search

The students will preview words in today's lesson by doing a word search puzzle.

Materials

For each student:

- pencil

Reproducible Pages:

- Page A, 1 copy for each student

Preparation

Complete the activity on your copy of Reproducible Page A.

Women in the Life of Jesus

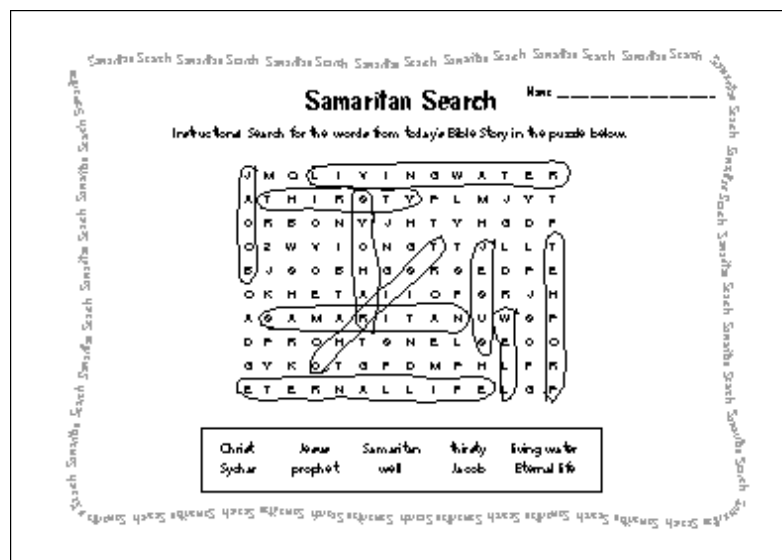
Lesson 3

Instructions

1. Greet the students as they arrive. Explain that in today's lesson they will learn about Jesus and a Samaritan woman. Tell the students that they are going to do a word search. Explain that all the words in this activity come from this week's Bible Story.
2. Distribute the copies of Reproducible Page A and pencils. Encourage the students to work together.
3. Circulate among the students to offer help. Ask the students if they recognize the words they are finding.
4. As the students finish, check their answers with the Answer Key provided.
5. For the students who finish early, have them open their Bibles to John 4 and try to find the words from today's puzzle in that chapter.

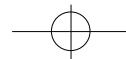
Teacher Tips

- If possible, play contemporary Christian music in the background for this activity.



GENERATION
Next

3rd and 4th Grades



B I B L E S T O R Y

Samaritan Woman

Women in the News

The students will learn about Jesus' impact on an entire town because of one woman.

Materials

For each student:

- pencil

Reproducible Pages:

- Page B, 1 copy for each student

Preparation

Practice presenting this story with emphasis and enthusiasm.

Introducing the Bible Story

Open your Bible to John 4. Explain that in today's lesson, the students will learn about Jesus meeting the Samaritan woman at the well. Jesus talked with this woman and taught her that he was the Savior for whom the people were waiting. He helped her to see her need for him. He taught her what true worship is. He said people must worship God according to the truth and with a right heart. Because Jesus took the time to talk to this woman, she believed in him and then she went and told many other people in her town about Jesus. They came and heard him and believed in him.

Presenting the Bible Story

Distribute the copies of Reproducible Page B and pencils. Tell the students to follow along as you read it to them. Ask the following questions when you are finished reading:

- How was Jesus feeling when he stopped at the well? (tired and thirsty; maybe hot; maybe hungry)
- What did Jesus ask the Samaritan woman for? (a drink of water)
- Name one difference between the water the Samaritan woman got at the well and the water Jesus could give her? (one was physical, the other was spiritual; one feeds the body, the other feeds the spirit; one lasted for only a day, the other lasted for eternity)

Women in the Life of Jesus

Lesson 3

- Why did the woman think Jesus was a prophet? (Jesus knew all about her and that she had five husbands.)
- Who did Jesus tell her he was? (The Messiah, the Christ, the Savior)
- What did she do after she spoke to Jesus? (went and invited the whole town to come and hear Jesus)
- What was the result of this invitation? (Many people believed.)

Picture This!

Read the caption under the picture square and tell the students to draw a picture for the newspaper that matches the caption.

Sharing with Others

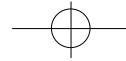
Talk to the students about the influence of this one woman on an entire town. Tell the students how someone in your ministry (perhaps yourself) has influenced many people for Jesus in your community. Encourage them to think of ways that they can influence a whole town for God also. Encourage them to talk with their friends and invite them to church to learn about God. Ask each student to name one person they can invite. Close with a prayer asking God to help you all have great influence for Jesus.

Teacher Tips

- Pray that you will make a lasting impression on your students with this lesson.



3rd and 4th Grades



Samaritan Woman

Women in the Life of Jesus
Lesson 3

New Testament Women in the News

Volume 3

Woman at the Well Finds Living Water (from John 4)

Jesus came to a town in Samaria called Sychar, near Jacob's well. Jesus was tired from the trip and sat down by the well. A Samaritan woman came to draw water. Jesus said, "Will you give me a drink?" (His disciples had gone into town to buy food.) The Samaritan woman was surprised that a Jewish man would ask her for a drink. Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water." The woman said, "You don't have anything to draw with and the well is deep. Where can you get this living water?"

Jesus answered, "Whoever drinks this water will be thirsty again, but whoever drinks the water I give him will never thirst. Indeed the water I give him will become a spring of water welling up to eternal life."

The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water so that I won't get thirsty and have to keep coming here to draw water."

He told her, "Go call your husband and come back." "I have no husband," she replied. Jesus said to her, "You are right when you say you have no husband, the fact is you have had five husbands, and the man you now have is not your husband. What you have just said is quite true."

Samaritan woman brings whole town to hear Jesus. "Sir," the woman said, "I see that you are a prophet. Our fathers worship on this mountain, but you Jews claim that we must worship in Jerusalem."

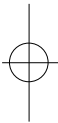
Jesus said, "Believe me, a time is coming when you will worship neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. A time is coming and has come when the true worshipers will worship the father in spirit and truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks. God is spirit and his worshipers must worship him in spirit and truth."

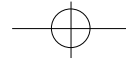
The woman said, "I know that the Messiah (called Christ) is coming. When he comes, he will explain everything to us." Then Jesus said, "I who speak to you am he."

Then the woman left her water jar and went back to town. She told the people, "Come see a man who told me everything I ever did. Could this be the Christ?" They came out of the town to see him. So when the Samaritans came to him, they asked Jesus to stay with them. He stayed with them for two days, and many who heard his words believed.

GENERATION
Next

3rd and 4th Grades





C

R

A

F

T

Samaritan Woman

Cup of Faith

The students will create "Cups of Faith" that will help them tell their friends about God.

Materials

For each student:

- 1 piece of construction paper, 6" x 9"
- pen
- scissors
- glue stick
- crayons or markers (optional)

For the teacher:

- scissors
- large writing surface

Reproducible Pages:

- Page C, 1 copy for each student

Preparation

1. Prepare a cup for each student as follows:
 - A. Cut a 6" x 9" piece of construction paper.
 - B. Fold each piece of paper in half.
 - C. Cut out the cup stencil (the outer cup) from one of the copies of Reproducible Page C.
 - D. Trace the cup stencil onto the folded construction paper so the cup's bottom is aligned with the fold. See Figure A.
 - E. Cut out the cup from the paper.
2. Cut out the cup labels and memory verses from the copies of Reproducible Page C.
NOTE: Save the right side of the copies of Reproducible Page C for the students to cut out the invitations later.
3. On the large writing surface, write the date and time of your next worship service and the location where you will be meeting.
4. Make a sample of the craft to show the students.

Instructions

1. Introduce today's craft: Today we are learning about Jesus and the Samaritan woman. She helped Jesus by bringing him a cup of water when he was thirsty. Jesus helped her by telling her the truth about God. She was so grateful for Jesus' help that she told everyone in the town about him, and they all came out to

Women in the Life of Jesus Lesson 3

see Jesus. Because the woman was willing to share what she learned with others, many people came to know about God. Show the students your sample craft. Today you will make a craft that will remind you of the Samaritan woman who offered Jesus a drink. It is called a "Cup of Faith" and inside it are invitations. The invitations are for you to give to your friends so they can come to church and know more about God. Read the "Recipe for Sharing" to the students, explaining the steps to them.

2. Give the students the cups you prepared and glue sticks. Have them glue the cups together at the edges leaving the top open, as shown in Figure B.
3. Give the students their cup labels and memory verses. Have them glue their labels to their cups so that the handles are together. See Figure C. Have them glue their memory verses on the other side of their cups.
4. Give the students the scissors and the right side of the copies of Reproducible Page C. Explain that these are invitations for church. Point to the words you wrote on the large writing surface. Have the students copy the information onto the blank spaces on their invitations. Have the students cut the invitations out, and then place them inside their cups.
5. Have the students write their names on the backs of their cups.

Conclusion

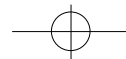
Encourage the students to hand out their invitations. Close with a prayer asking God to help the students hand out their invitations and for them to have a friend with them at their next Bible class.

Teacher Tips

- If the students finish early, give them crayons to color the outside of their cups.



3rd and 4th Grades



CRAFT

Samaritan Woman

Women in the Life of Jesus Lesson 3

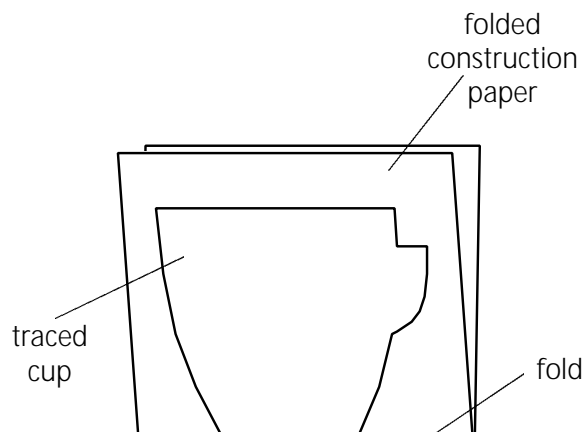


Figure A

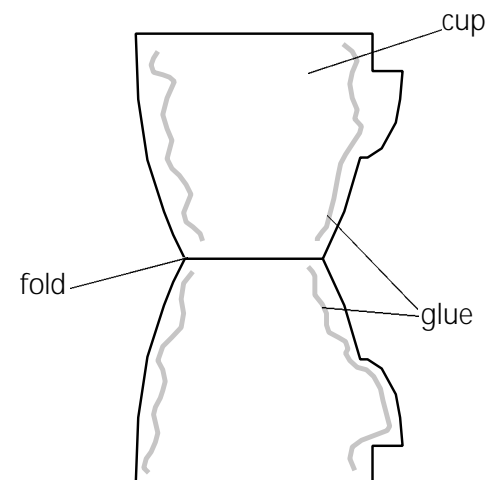


Figure B

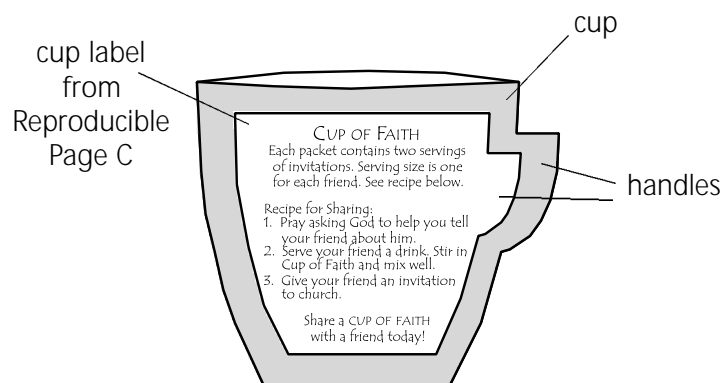
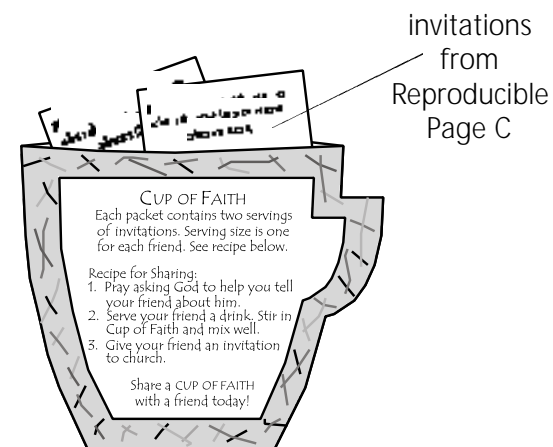
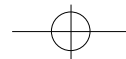


Figure C



Finished Craft



Samaritan Woman

Well, Well, Well

The students will learn and memorize this week's Scripture Memory Verse in this fun echo activity.

Scripture Memory Verse

I pray that you may be active in sharing your faith, so that you will have a full understanding of every good thing we have in Christ.

Philemon 6

Materials

For the teacher:

- 1 piece of poster board, 22" x 28"
- scissors

Preparation

1. Cut the poster board into four equal strips.
2. Neatly print the following phrases on the strips, as shown:
I pray that you may be active in sharing your faith
so that you will have a full understanding
of every good thing we have in Christ.
Philemon 6

Instructions

1. Introduce today's activity: In this week's Bible Story you are learning about Jesus meeting the Samaritan woman at the well. Jesus talked with this woman and taught her that he was the Savior that the people were waiting for. Jesus helped her to see that she really needed the gift that God was offering to her. Because Jesus took the time to talk to this woman, she believed him. Then she went and told many other people in her town to come hear Jesus. They came and heard him speak, and then they believed him, too! Jesus wants us to be just like that woman and be active in telling others about God.
2. Show the students the Scripture Memory Verse on the back of this Lesson Card. Say it to them three times as they follow silently. Ask the students to say the verse with you three more times.
3. Ask pairs of students to stand and say the verse with you. Repeat this until all the students have done it.

Women in the Life of Jesus Lesson 3

4. Explain to the students that a well, such as the one where Jesus met this woman, can be very deep. Sometimes when you call down into a well you hear an echo. Tell the students that they will make echoes in this activity. Model an echo voice for them by saying, "Hello down there!" loudly and then repeating it several times in a gradually fading voice.
5. Divide the students into four small groups (or pairs). Give each group one poster board strip that you prepared. Instruct the students to stand in the order of the verse holding their poster board strips for all to see. Have each group read their words as an echo: one student saying the words while the other students repeat in gradually fading voices. Have each group do this until the entire verse has been read with echoes.
6. Repeat Step 5, having the groups change strips.
7. Finish this activity by having each group say the entire verse from memory.

Conclusion

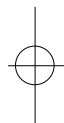
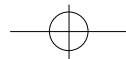
Ask the students how they would feel if everyone in their neighborhood (street or apartment building) came to church with them. Encourage the students that God wants them to be active in sharing their faith so that lots of people can hear about Jesus. Close with a prayer asking God to bless their sharing.

Teacher Tips

- This activity may be distracting to other center activities. If you are unable to isolate the students for this activity, have them do the echoes in a whisper or very soft voice.



3rd and 4th Grades



Samaritan Woman

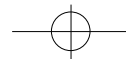
Women in the Life of Jesus
Lesson 3

I pray that you may be
active in sharing your faith,
so that you will have a full
understanding of every good
thing we have in Christ.

Philemon 6



3rd and 4th Grades



Lesson at a Glance

supplement

Lesson Objectives

- The students will hear the story of Jesus and the Samaritan woman.
- The students will name one thing Jesus taught the Samaritan woman.
- The students will name one person they will invite to church this week.

Lesson Text

John 4:1-42

Scripture Memory Verse

I pray that you may be active in sharing your faith, so that you will have a full understanding of every good thing we have in Christ.

Philemon 6

Samaritan Woman

Women in the Life of Jesus
Lesson 3

Lesson Plan

Greeting and Registration

Preclass Activity: You're Invited

Welcome and Singing

Centers:

Life Application: Lights, Camera, Action!

Game: Well Done

Bible Skills: A Well of Wisdom

NOTE: Allow time for a snack.

You're Invited

The students will review ideas from this week's Bible Story as they design an invitation to invite a friend to church.

Materials

For each student:

- 1 piece of construction paper, 4" x 12"
- pencil
- crayons or markers
- stickers
- glue stick

For the teacher:

- scissors
- large writing surface

Reproducible Pages:

- Page D, 1 copy for each student

Preparation

1. Cut out the invitation pages from the copies of Reproducible Page D.

2. On the large writing surface, write the date, time and location of the next worship service (as it appears on their pages) for the students to write on their invitations.

Instructions

1. Greet the students as they arrive. Remind them that this week they learned about Jesus and the Samaritan woman at the well. Because Jesus took the time to talk to this woman, she believed in him and then she went and invited many people to come and listen to Jesus.
2. Distribute the invitation pages you prepared, construction paper, pencils, stickers, markers and glue sticks. Tell the students to fold the construction paper in half and color and decorate the pages of their invitations. Have them write in the

information from the large writing surface. Explain that they will use these when they invite their friends to church.

3. Have them glue the cover and inside invitation pages to the construction paper.

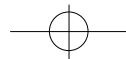
Teacher Tips

- Encourage the students to call you during the week when they get a commitment for the following week, so that you can prepare for their friends' visit. Make sure that the students have your phone number or a way to reach you.
- Bring enough supplies for the students to make extra invitations.

GENERATION
Next

3rd and 4th Grades

P
R
E
•
C
L
A
S
S



supplement

L i f e A p p l i c a t i o n

Lights, Camera, Action!

The students will review this week's Bible Story as they practice inviting friends to church.

Materials

For the teacher:

- 5 index cards, 3" x 5"
- thin marker
- paper bag or small container

Preparation

1. Read John 4:1-42 to review the events of this week's Bible Story.
2. Read through each of the situations below and think about what you would do.
3. On each of the index cards neatly print one of the situations below and put them into the paper bag.

Card #1 Whom do you meet? a friend from your class
Where: out on the playground

Card #2 Whom do you meet? a teammate
Where: at a game

Card #3 Whom do you meet? a friend from your neighborhood
Where: playing at your house

Card #4 Whom do you meet? a friend from school
Where: talking on the phone

Card #5 Whom do you meet? another student for the first time
Where: at the park with your mom or dad

Reviewing the Bible Story

Open your Bibles to John 4. In this week's Bible Story you learned about Jesus meeting the Samaritan woman at the well. Jesus talked with this woman and taught her that he was the Savior for whom the people were waiting. He helped her to see her need for him. He taught her what true worship is. Jesus answered her questions so well that the woman knew he was really the Son of God. Because Jesus took the time to talk to this woman, she invited her entire town to come listen to Jesus. They came, heard him speak and believed in him. Jesus wants us to invite people to hear his word. We need to make special time to invite our friends to church service and other church activities so that they can learn about Jesus.

Samaritan Woman

Women in the Life of Jesus

Lesson 3

Life Application

Jesus shared his faith in God with the Samaritan woman. He talked to her about how to worship God. He taught her things she needed to know about God. We can share our faith like Jesus did. Jesus met this woman at the well. Think of all the places where you meet your friends and other people. In this activity, we will think about and practice how we can invite others to learn about God.

Have the students sit in a circle. Choose a student to pull a card out of the bag. Ask the students as a group to imagine that they are in the situation described on the card. Ask them what they would do in that situation and how they could turn it around to talk about Jesus. After the students have shared their ideas, choose two volunteers to stand and act out the situation. Do this for each card or for as many as time permits.

Conclusion

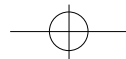
Close by telling the students about situations in which you turned a conversation into a chance to share with someone about Jesus. Ask the children to name one place where they can share their faith this week. Close with a prayer for the students to be like Jesus this week.

Teacher Tips

- Do not force a student to participate, but encourage all those who do.



3rd and 4th Grades



supplement



Well Done

The students will think of ways they can serve others by participating in this activity.

Materials

For the teacher:

- a bell or squeeze toy
- small table or podium
- large writing surface
- timer or watch with a second hand

Preparation

Prepare to lead this activity with the enthusiasm of a game show host.

Instructions

1. Introduce today's activity: This week you have been learning about Jesus and the Samaritan Woman. Jesus met her while he was resting at a well. He was tired and thirsty. She served him by giving him a drink of water. Jesus served her by teaching her truths about God and the kingdom that she needed to know. Even though Jesus was hot and tired, he still took time to talk with her and to help her. Jesus put her needs above his. We should be like Jesus and look for ways to meet the needs of others by helping them. Tell the students that today they will play a game that will help them think of how they can put other's needs before their own.
2. Divide the group into two teams. Make sure you equally mix the students who have heard this week's Bible Story with ones who have not. Let each team choose a name and write it on the large writing surface where you will keep score.
3. Line up one team to your left and the other to your right. Put the bell or squeeze toy on the small table between them. Stand behind the table and present the Toss-up Questions from the back of this Lesson Card. Each team will choose a player to go first. Ask the first Toss-up Question. The first of the two players to hit the bell or the squeeze toy, answering the Toss-up Question correctly, gets control of the game for his team. If he does not answer correctly, the other player tries to do so and gain control of the game for his team. If neither team answers correctly, go to the next Toss-up Question and the next two players.

Samaritan Woman

Women in the Life of Jesus

Lesson 3

NOTE: If a student calls out an answer before hitting the bell or squeezing the toy, the play will automatically go to the next team.

4. To the team that wins the toss-up, explain that you will present a Game Question and they have one minute to come up with an answer. They will receive one point for each correct answer. If after one minute they have not given a correct answer, the other team tries to answer the Game Question. One team can only answer three Game Questions in a row and then the other team gets a turn. If neither team can answer a Game Question, then have two more students come up for another Toss-up Question.
5. Total each team's points at the end of the game. Encourage all players for their participation.

Conclusion

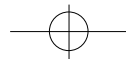
Talk to the students about how they helped each other during this game. Ask them if they were like Jesus or not. Encourage them to think about how Jesus would treat others as they go through their week. Close with a prayer thanking God for Jesus' great example of loving others.

Teacher Tips

- Set a question limit or a time limit, so that both teams have an equal opportunity to participate.



3rd and 4th Grades



supplement

G

A

M

E



Samaritan Woman

Women in the Life of Jesus

Lesson 3

Well Done

Toss-up Questions

1. Where did Jesus meet the Samaritan Woman? (**Sychar; the well**)
2. What did Jesus ask the Samaritan woman for? (**a drink of water**)
3. Where in the Bible is the story of Jesus and the Samaritan woman found? (**John 4**)
4. What did the Samaritan woman do after she talked to Jesus? (**told her entire town about Jesus**)
5. When Jesus was talking to the Samaritan woman, where were the disciples? (**in town getting food**)
6. How many husbands had the Samaritan woman had? (**five**)
7. How did Jesus serve the Samaritan woman? (**he told her the truth about God**)

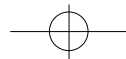
Game Questions

1. Friends are coming to your house for dinner tonight. Your mother is very busy cooking. Your father is arriving home from work. You are setting the table. Your baby brother is crying for a drink. What would Jesus want you to do?
A) Ignore him. B) Tell him to be quiet. **C) Get him a drink.**
2. You are at school. Mary is a girl everyone teases. She falls and gets hurt. She is crying. Other children laugh and walk a way. What would Jesus want you to do?
A) Walk away before someone makes fun of you. **B) Talk to her and try to help her.** C) Laugh at her and run away.
3. You are rushing out to play ball with some of your friends. Your mother asks you to read your little sister a story. You hear your friends calling. What would Jesus want you to do?
A) Tell your mother you will read to your sister later. B) Tell your mother you are busy and go play ball. **C) Tell your friends you will be out in a few minutes and go read to your sister.**
4. At the grocery store, you see an elderly lady struggling with her cane and her bag. What would Jesus want you to do?
A) Ignore the lady. **B) Ask your mom if you can help her.** C) Tell the lady that you will help her if she will pay you.

5. Your teacher is lining everyone up to go to a special school assembly. Everyone is excited. Your teacher asks someone to hold the door for all the classes to pass through. No one wants to do it. What would Jesus want you to do?
A) Raise your hand and say you will do it. B) Raise your hand and remind the teacher it's George's turn. C) Be quiet and pretend you don't hear the question.
6. In Bible class, your friend tells the teacher that his dad is in the hospital. Your friend looks sad. What would Jesus want you to do?
A) Work on your craft. B) Talk to your friend about a new movie. **C) Tell your friend that you would like to visit his father and pray for him.**
7. Your mom has had a busy day at work. She looks very tired. Your mom is making dinner and helping your little sister with her homework. What would Jesus want you to do?
A) Ask your mom to take you to the store for the new ball you want. **B) Offer to help your sister with homework or your mom with dinner.** C) Watch TV and ignore everyone.
8. It is very late at night and everyone is asleep. Your younger brother wakes up crying and asking for water. You hear him but your parents are still asleep. What would Jesus want you to do?
A) Pretend you don't hear him crying. B) Tell him to be quiet and go back to sleep or you will tell on him. **C) Check to be sure he is alright and get him some water.**
9. You are at home playing with your sister and having a lot of fun. Suddenly your sister hits her elbow on the door. She starts crying and says it really hurts. What would Jesus want you to do?
A) Talk to her and offer to help. B) Keep playing. C) Tell her she's a big baby and laugh at her.
10. Your family is planning to go to the movies. You want to see a different movie than everyone else. What would Jesus want you to do?
A) Complain and whine. **B) Go to the movie and have fun with your family anyway.** C) Go to the movie with a bad attitude.

GENERATION
Next

3rd and 4th Grades



supplement

B i b l e s k i l l s

A Well of Wisdom

The students will review the wisdom in Jesus' responses to others as they look up and fill in scripture references.

Materials

For each student:

- pencil

Reproducible Pages:

- Page E, 1 copy for each student

Preparation

Complete the activity on your copy of Reproducible Page E.

Instructions

1. Introduce today's activity: In this lesson you have learned about Jesus' talk with the Samaritan woman. Jesus answered her questions wisely, and taught her about who he was and what she needed to do. Jesus had a close friendship with God, so he was able to answer people with wisdom. Jesus spent time with God and learned from God so he could speak with wisdom. In today's activity you will read some of Jesus' wise answers.
2. Distribute the copies of Reproducible Page E and pencils. Encourage the students to work together and to help those who are new.
3. Explain to the students to look up the scriptures given and fill in the missing words.
4. Circulate among the students to offer assistance.

Samaritan Woman

Women in the Life of Jesus Lesson 3

Conclusion

Ask the students if they could ask Jesus one question, what would it be. Talk to the students about spending time with God by reading the Bible and praying. Close with a prayer asking God to help us to be close to God so we can know how to talk to other people.

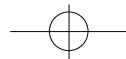
Teacher Tips

- Bring extra NIV Bibles to class for the students who didn't bring their own or who have a different translation.

A
WELL
OF
WISDOM



3rd and 4th Grades



supplement

**B
i
b
l
e

S
k
i
l
l
s**



Samaritan Woman

Women in the Life of Jesus
Lesson 3

A Well of Wisdom Answer Key

Instructions: Look up the following scriptures and write in the missing words.

John 4:13

Jesus answered, "Everyone who drinks this water will be t h i r s t y again, but whoever drinks the water I give him will n e v e r t h i r s t."

John 4:23

[Jesus declared] "Yet a time is coming and has now come when the t r u e w o r s h i p e r s will worship the Father in s p i r i t and t r u t h, for they are the kind of worshipers the Fa t h e r s e e k s."

John 8:7

When they kept on questioning him, he straightened up and said to them, "If any one of you is without s i n let him be the f i r s t to throw a s t o n e at her."

Luke 10:41-42

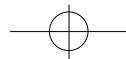
"Martha, Martha," the Lord answered, "You are w o r r i e d and upset about many t h i n g s, but only o n e thing is needed. Mary has c h o s e n what is better, and it will not be taken away from her."

John 11:4

When he heard this, Jesus said, "This sickness will not end in d e a t h. No, it is for God's g l o r y so that God's S o n may be glorified through it."

GENERATION
Next

3rd and 4th Grades



**R
e
p
r
o
d
u
c
i
b
l
e**

page

A

Core/Preclass

1 copy for each student

Women in the Life of Jesus Lesson 3

Samaritan Search Samaritan Search Samaritan Search Samaritan Search Samaritan Search Samaritan Search Samaritan Search

Samaritan Search

Name _____

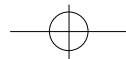
Instructions: Search for the words from today's Bible Story in the puzzle below.

J	M	Q	L	I	V	I	N	G	W	A	T	E	R
A	T	H	I	R	S	T	Y	P	L	M	J	Y	T
C	R	B	C	N	Y	J	H	T	Y	H	G	D	F
O	Z	W	V	I	C	N	G	T	T	J	L	L	T
B	J	S	C	B	H	G	S	R	S	E	D	P	E
O	K	H	E	T	A	I	I	O	F	S	R	J	H
A	S	A	M	A	R	I	T	A	N	U	W	S	P
D	P	R	O	H	T	S	N	E	L	S	E	C	O
G	Y	K	C	T	G	F	D	M	P	H	L	F	R
E	T	E	R	N	A	L	L	I	F	E	L	G	P

Christ	Jesus	Samaritan	thirsty	living water
Sychar	prophet	well	Jacob	Eternal life

GENERATION
Next

3rd and 4th Grades



Core/Bible Story
1 copy for each student

Women in the Life of Jesus
Lesson 3

New Testament Women in the News

Volume 3

Name _____

Woman at the Well Finds Living Water (from John 4)

Jesus came to a town in Samaria called Sychar, near Jacob's well. Jesus was tired from the trip and sat down by the well. A Samaritan woman came to draw water. Jesus said, "Will you give me a drink?" (His disciples had gone into town to buy food.) The Samaritan woman was surprised that a Jewish man would ask her for a drink. Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water." The woman said, "You don't have anything to draw with and the well is deep. Where can you get this living water?"

Jesus answered, "Whoever drinks this water will be thirsty again, but whoever drinks the water I give him will never thirst. Indeed the water I give him will become a spring of water welling up to eternal life."

The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water so that I won't get thirsty and have to keep coming here to draw water."

He told her, "Go call your husband and come back." "I have no husband," she replied. Jesus said to her, "You are right when you say you have no husband, the fact is you have had five husbands, and the man you now have is not your husband. What you have just said is quite true."

"Sir," the woman said, "I see that you are a prophet. Our fathers worship on this mountain, but you Jews claim that we must worship in Jerusalem."

Samaritan woman brings whole town to hear Jesus.

Jesus said, "Believe me, a time is coming when you will worship neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. A time is coming and has come when the true worshipers will worship the father in spirit and truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks. God is spirit and his worshipers must worship him in spirit and truth."

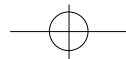
The woman said, "I know that the Messiah (called Christ) is coming. When he comes, he will explain everything to us." Then Jesus said, "I who speak to you am he."

Then the woman left her water jar and went back to town. She told the people, "Come see a man who told me everything I ever did. Could this be the Christ?" They came out of the town to see him. So when the Samaritans came to him, they asked Jesus to stay with them. He stayed with them for two days, and many who heard his words believed.

GENERATION
Next

3rd and 4th Grades

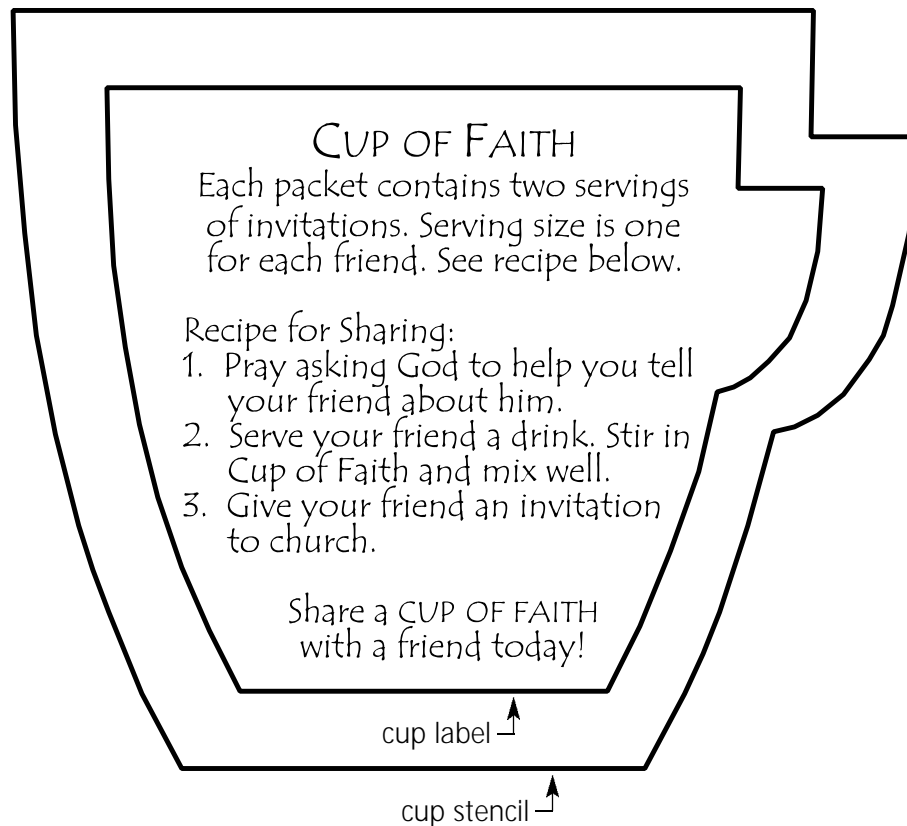
B



R
e
p
r
o
d
u
c
i
b
l
e
page

Core/Craft

1 copy for each student



I pray that you may be active in sharing your faith, so that you will have a full understanding of every good thing we have in Christ.

Philemon 6

memory verse

Women in the Life of Jesus Lesson 3

Please come with me to church and learn more about God.

When: _____

Where: _____

invitations

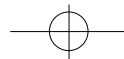
Please come with me to church and learn more about God.

When: _____

Where: _____

GENERATION
Next

3rd and 4th Grades



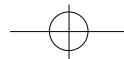
Women in the Life of Jesus

Lesson 3

This page intentionally left blank



3rd and 4th Grades



**R
e
p
r
o
d
u
c
i
b
l
e**

page

D

Supplement/Preclass
1 copy for each student

Women in the Life of Jesus
Lesson 3

**You're
Invited!**

Date: _____

Time: _____

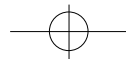
Place: _____

For more information

Call: _____ **at:** _____

GENERATION
Next

3rd and 4th Grades



**R
e
p
r
o
d
u
c
i
b
l
e**

page

E

Supplement/Bible Skills

1 copy for each student

Women in the Life of Jesus

Lesson 3

A Well of Wisdom

Name _____

Instructions: Look up the following scriptures and write in the missing words.

John 4:13

Jesus answered, "Everyone who drinks this water will be t_____ again, but whoever drinks the water I give him will n_____ t_____."

John 4:23

[Jesus declared] "Yet a time is coming and has now come when the t_____ w_____ will worship the Father in s_____ and t_____, for they are the kind of worshipers the F_____ s_____."

John 8:7

When they kept on questioning him, he straightened up and said to them, "If any one of you is without s_____ let him be the f_____ to throw a s_____ at her."

Luke 10:41-42

"Martha, Martha," the Lord answered, "You are w_____ and upset about many t_____, but only o_____ thing is needed. Mary has c_____ what is better, and it will not be taken away from her."

John 11:4

When he heard this, Jesus said, "This sickness will not end in d_____. No, it is for God's g_____ so that God's S_____ may be glorified through it."

GENERATION
Next

3rd and 4th Grades