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HOW TO TEACH THE LESSONS OF THIS BOOK

Story telling, memory work, and questions and answers are three of the most effective ways of teaching the Bible to children. These three methods are combined in every lesson of this book.

1. THE STORIES. For the convenience of the teacher, the Scripture references covering the assignment, an outline of the story, and facts and principles to be emphasized are given at the beginning of every lesson.

The teacher should study the Scripture passages, tell the outlined story, or read it to the class from a good Bible story book, and impress on the hearts of the children the principles of truth and righteousness suggested in the narrative.

Everyone loves a story, and it is not difficult to create interest and hold attention of children by means of it. Stories are remembered, too. Preachers know that the story-illustrations usually are remembered longer than any other part of the sermon.

Jesus frequently used this method of teaching as manifested by the many parables he spoke.

2. MEMORY WORK. Passages which the children commit to memory are written indelibly upon their hearts. Verses to be memorized are assigned in all these lessons, and the teacher should use a part of every class period in teaching the children to memorize and in hearing them repeat what they have learned.

The Israelites who wrote the words of God on objects constantly before their children, as they were commanded to do (Deut. 6: 6-9), certainly would imprint these words so vividly on their minds that they soon could quote them from memory, and would make it possible for them to meditate on the law of the Lord (Psalm 1: 2), even when they did not have access to a written copy.

Jesus frequently quoted Old Testament passages, saying, "It is written". He knew the Scriptures by heart.

Memory work is not as difficult for children as for older people, and the amount they can memorize in a short time is surprising. There is no better time to learn the Scriptures by heart than "in the days of thy youth".

3. QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. The question and answer method is known generally to be one of the most effective ways of teaching people of all age groups.

When Jesus was twelve years old he employed this method (Luke 2: 46-47) and he continued it all through his teaching ministry on earth.

In every lesson of this book questions for the children are suggested in the form of sentences with missing words. This gives the teacher an opportunity to word the questions in the language of the children in the grade she is teaching. Questions for first grade children should not be worded exactly the same as questions for those in the third grade. Child ren answer the questions by supplying the missing words. The lessor story also will suggest to the teacher many other questions she will want to ask the class.

These lessons not only provide an excellent means for teaching the Bible; they also make possible a part of the necessary training and experience for leadership in the church in future years. Little boys who learn to stand up before the class and tell the stories of these lessons and quote the memory verses will not be hampered by stage fright in later years.

Parents at home should help the children prepare their lessons, especially the memory verses. Every teacher should have a good Bible story book.

LESSON 1. GOD MADE THE WORLD Gen. 1 and 2

To Teachers: Tell the story of creation recorded in the first two chapters of Genesis, or read it to the class from a good Bible story book. Encourage the children to enter into a discussion of the lesson by asking questions, until they are able to supply the missing words in the sentences below. The following outline will help you in presenting the facts of the lesson:

LESSON OUTLINE

	The condition of material elements when first created. Gen. 1: 1-2. What was created each day:
	a. First day: light and darkness divided. Gen. 1: 3-5. b. Second day: firmament made and waters divided. Gen. 1: 6-8. c. Third day: land and sea; plant life. Gen. 1: 9-13. d. Fourth day: sun, moon and stars. Gen. 1: 14-19. e. Fifth day: fishes and birds. Gen. 1: 20-23. f. Sixth day: land animals and man. Gen. 1: 24-27.
	 How man was made. Gen. 2: 7. How God made the woman. Gen. 2: 21-23. Man's dominion over the earth. Gen. 1: 28. The food of man and beast. Gen. 1: 29-30.
	g. Seventh day: God rested, Gen. 2: 1-3.The garden of Eden. Gen. 2: 8-14.The forbidden fruit. Gen. 2: 16-17.
1.	God said, "Let there be; and there was" Gen. 1: 3.
2.	God created in his own Gen. 1: 27.
3.	God made everything indays. Gen. 1: 31; Exodus 20: 11.
4	God rested on the day. Gen. 2: 2.
	God made out of the dust of the
6	The woman was made from a taken from the man's Gen. 2: 21-22.
7.	The garden of was their home. Gen. 2: 8.
8.	They could eat the fruit of every in the except one. Gen 2: 16, 17.
9.	There were two in the midst of the Gen. 2: 9.
	Memory verse: "In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth".

Gen. 1:1.

LESSON 2. SIN AND DEATH IN THE FIRST HOME

Gen. 3: 1 to Gen. 4: 16

To Teachers: Tell the story of the sin of Adam and Eve and the death of Abel, or read it to the class from a good Bible story book.

This lesson presents an opportunity to teach the children that sin brings sorrow to all; that obedience to God is the road to peace and happiness.

	OUTLINE OF THE STORY
2. H 3. H 4. T	he forbidden fruit. Gen. 2: 16, 17. Tow the serpent beguiled Eve. Gen. 3: 1-6. Tiding from God. Gen. 3: 7-13. The curses placed upon the serpent, the woman and the man. Gen.
3:	: 14-19.
5. I 6. D	the dim promise of a Redeemer. Gen. 3: 15. Oriven out of the garden. Gen. 3: 22-24.
7. T	he first children, their work, their offerings. Gen. 4: 1-7.
8. E	Death of Abel. Gen. 4: 7, 8. Tow Cain was punished. Gen. 4: 9-15.
	God told the man and woman they would
	if they ate the fruit of one of the trees. Gen
Z.	The told them they would not die
	Gen. 3: 4.
პ.	The woman gave her some of the
	fruit and ate it too. Gen. 3: 6.
	They tried to from God. Gen. 3: 8.
	God drove them out of theGen. 3: 24.
6.	The woman's name was, and the
	man's name was Gen. 3: 20, 21.
7.	Their first two sons were namedand
8.	Cain his brother Abel. Gen. 4: 8.
•	God said to Cain, "Where is your?" Cain answered, "Am I my brother's?"
	Gen. 4: 9.
	Cain wandered far away into the land of

Memory verse: "For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive." I Cor. 15: 22.

LESSON 3.

him." Gen. 7: 5.

THE FLOOD

Gen. 6: 5 to Gen. 9: 17

To Teachers: Tell the story of the flood. Emphasize that God sent the flood because of the wickedness of man, and that Noah made the ark exactly as God commanded him, and that God knows how to deliver the righteous from danger. Some teachers may be able to read these stories to the class from a Bible story book more effectively than they can tell them.

Bible story book more effectively than they can tell them.
OUTLINE OF THE LESSON STORY 1. The cause of the deluge. Gen. 6: 5-8. 2. Describe the ark. Gen. 6: 13-16. 3. What was taken into the ark. Gen. 6: 18 to 7: 16. 4. Describe the flood. Gen. 7: 11, 17-24. 5. The decrease of the waters. Gen. 8: 1-5. 6. The raven and the dove. Gen. 8: 7-12. 7. Going out of the ark. Gen. 8: 13-19. 8. Covenant of the rainbow, and Noah's sacrifice. Gen. 8: 20-22; 9: 8-17.
1. God sent the flood because the people were Gen. 6: 5.
2. But was a good man and God told him to make an Gen. 6: 9, 14.
3. Noah's three sons were named, and Gen. 6: 10.
4. There were people saved from the flood. Gen. 7: 13.
5. Noah was hundred years old when the flood came. Gen. 7: 6.
6. All the birds and land animals, except those in the Gen. 7: 22-23.
7. The ark finally rested on the of Ararat. Gen. 8: 4.
8. Noah sent forth a out of the ark; he later sent out a three times. Gen. 8: 7-12.
9. God set the beautiful in the cloud. Gen. 9: 13.
Memory verse: "And Noah did according unto all that the Lord commanded

LESSON 4.

HOW ABRAM AND LOT SETTLED A QUARREL

Gen. 12: 1-8; Gen. 13: 1-13

To Teachers: Emphasize the faith of Abram as shown in his leaving his country and kindred in obedience to God.

Abram's generosity in giving Lot the choice of the land is an excellent example of how to maintain peace and harmony among brethren.

	LESSON OUT	LINE
2. 6 3. 7 4. 4 5. 7	The call of Abram. Gen. 12: 1. God's promises to him. Gen. 12: 2, 3. The journey to Canaan. Gen. 12: 4-6. Abram's altars. Gen. 12: 7, 8. The strife between the herdsmen of A Abram's proposal. Gen. 13: 8, 9. Lot's choice. Gen. 13: 10-13.).
1.	. God told Abram to go to the would him.	e that God Gen. 12: 1.
2.	a. Sarai and we land of Ger	
3.	8. Abram builded an	unto god. Gen.
4.	. Abram and Lot could not land because they had so	many and
5.	6. There was betw Gen. 13: 7.	*
6.	6. Abram told tha between the Gen. 13: 8.	
7.	was plenty of	
8.	Abram lived intoward	
9.	. Sodom was a very	city. Gen. 13:13.
	Memory verse: "Let there be no strife, I pretween my herdsmen and thy herdsmen; for	-

LESSON 5.

THE BOY WHO LIVED IN THE WILDERNESS

Gen. 16: 15-16; Gen. 21: 8-21

To Teachers: God's speaking to Hagar and saving the life of Ishmael presents a good opportunity to teach the children that God protects and cares for his people.

Tell why Abram's name was changed to Abraham. (Gen. 17: 1-5).

Tell and discuss the story of Ishmael and then let one or two of the children tell the story. The following outline will help you in presenting the events of the lesson; or you may prefer to read the story to the class from a Bible story book.

	LESSON OUTL	INE
2. V 3. T 4. T 5. H	Birth of Ishmael. Gen. 16: 15, 16. Why Hagar and Ishmael were sent aw Their departure and what Abraham g Their distress. Gen. 21: 15, 16. How Hagar found the water. Gen. 21 Life in the wilderness. Gen. 21: 20, 2	l: 17-19.
1.	Hagar's son was named	
2.	Abram wasname was changed to	years old when his
3.	Abraham gave Hagar a some and sent he Gen. 21: 14.	of water and
	They wandered in the used up all the 21: 14, 15.	in the bottle. Gen.
	Hagar laid Ishmael down uwent away because she did die. Gen. 21: 15, 1	l not want to see her
6.	God heard the of l called to Ge	Ishmael and an angel
	God showed her a and gave to drink. Gen. 21: 19.	
	Ishmael lived in the	
M	Memory verse: "And God was with the lad;	and he grew, and dwelt in the

wilderness, and became an archer." Gen. 21: 20.

LESSON 6. HOW AN ANGEL SAVED ISAAC'S LIFE Gen. 21: 1-5: Gen. 22: 1-19

To Teachers: Faith in God and obedience to his word should be empha sized in this lesson. Abraham would not withhold anything from God. The Lord will make all things result in the happiness and good of his people, if they are willing to do all he commands.

are	willing to do all he commands. Explain who Isaac was (Gen. 21: 1-5), and tell the story of the trial of Abra-
han	1.
	OUTLINE OF THE LESSON
2. 3. 4.	God's command to Abraham. Gen. 22: 1, 2. Preparation for the journey. Gen. 22: 3. Making ready for the sacrifice. Gen. 22: 4-10. How Isaac's life was spared. Gen. 22: 11-14. Restatement of the promise to Abraham. Gen. 22: 15-19.
1.	God told to offer for a burnt-offering. Gen. 22: 1, 2.
2.	Abraham rose early in the and took of his young men with him, and Isaac his Gen. 22: 3.
3.	They came in sight of the place on theday. Gen. 22: 4.
4.	Isaac carried the, and Abraham carried the and the Gen. 22: 6.
5.	Isaac asked, "Here is the and the, but where is the for the burnt-offering?" Gen. 22: 7.
6.	Abraham answered, "God will provide himself a for a burnt-offering." Gen. 22. 8.
	When Abraham raised his to slay Isaac with a, an of heaven called out to and stopped him. Gen. 22: 10-12.
8.	Abraham saw a caught in the brush by his, and he offered the for a burnt-offering, instead of his son. Gen. 22: 13.

Memory verse: "And in thy seed shall all the nations of the earth be blessed because thou hast obeyed my voice." Gen. 22: 18.

LESSON 7.

THE MARRIAGE OF ISAAC AND REBEKAH

Gen. 24: 1-67

To Teachers: Tell the story of Isaac and Rebekah. Questions concerning the main events and a discussion of the story will help the children in filling the missing words in the lesson.

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OUTLINE OF THE LESSON STORY
 Abraham's request and the servant's oath. Gen. 24: 1-9. The servant's arrival in Nahor. Gen. 24: 10-11. The servant's prayer. Gen. 24: 12-14. Rebekah appears and draws water for the servant. Gen. 24: 15-20. The ring, the bracelets and lodging. Gen. 24: 21-27. Laban meets Abraham's servant. Gen. 24: 28-32. The servant reveals his mission. Gen. 24: 33-49. The answer of Laban and Bethuel. Gen. 24: 50-52. Rebekah desires to go. Gen. 24: 53-60. Isaac meets Rebekah. Gen. 24: 61-67.
1. Abraham did not want Isaac to a daughter of the Canaanites. Gen. 24: 3.
2. Abraham's servant took camels and went to the city of to get a wife for Isaac. Gen. 24: 10.
3. Rebekah came to the and filled a pitcher with water. Gen. 24: 16.
4. Abraham's servant gave Rebekah a golden and two
5. Rebekah's brother's name was Gen. 24: 29.
6. Her father's name was Gen. 24: 47.
7. Abraham's servant gave presents to, and to her and Gen. 24: 53.
8. Rebekah saw walking in the field. Gen. 24: 63, 64.
9. Isaac loved and took her to live in his tent. Gen. 24: 67.
Memory verse: "And they called Rebekah, and said unto her, Wilt thou go with this man? And she said, I will go." Gen. 24: 58.

LESSON 8. ESAU SELLS HIS BIRTHRIGHT

Gen. 25: 19-34: Gen. 27: 1-41

To Teachers: After telling the story of Esau's selling his birthright, emphasize the application of the lesson as set forth in Heb. 12: 16, 17.

You will notice that the application of Heb. 12: 16, 17 contains the following points: (1) Esau's lack of appreciation of true values; (2) the regret and remorse of his folly; (3) his inability to regain what he had lost in the sale of his birthright.

LESSON OUTLINE

- 1. Birth of Jacob and Esau. Gen. 25: 19-26. 2. Boyhood and home life. Gen. 25: 27, 28. 3. Esau sells his birthright. Gen. 25: 29-34. 4. Esau sent to hunt venison, Gen. 27: 1-5.
- 5. Rebekah reveals her plan to Jacob. Gen. 27: 6-17.6. How Jacob obtained the blessing. Gen. 27: 18-29.
- 7. Esau's sorrow and hatred. Gen. 27: 30-41.
- 1. Esau was a _____ hunter, and a man of the 2. Jacob was a man, and he lived in
- 3. Isaac loved _____, and Rebekah loved _____. Gen. 25: 28.
- 4. Esau was very hungry and he sold his _____ to Jacob for and of lentiles. Gen. 25: 33, 34.
- 5. Isaac sent Ésau out into the _____ to get some Gen. 27: 3.
- 6. Rebekah put Esau's _____ on Jacob. Gen. 27: 15.
- 7. She put the skins of _____ on Jacob's ____
- 8. Isaac blessed _____ because he thought he was Gen. 27: 22, 23.
- 9. Esau was very angry and he said he would his brother. Gen. 27: 41.
- 10. Esau was a _____ person, and he sold his Heb. 12: 16.

Memory verse: "Esau was a cunning hunter, a man of the field; and Jacob was a plain man, dwelling in tents." Gen. 25: 27.

LESSON 9.

JACOB IS SENT AWAY

Gen. 27: 42-46; Gen. 28: 1-22; Gen. 29: 1-30

To Teachers: Jacob's deception, and Esau's anger compelled Jacob to leave his parents and his home. But God was with him and in his providence overruled all to the good of Jacob.

OUTLINE OF THE STORY

- 1. Jacob sent to Paddanaram. Gen. 27: 42-46; Gen. 28: 1-5.
- 2. The vision of the ladder and God's promise. Gen. 28: 10-17.
- 3. Jacob's vow. Gen. 28: 18-22.
- 4. Rachel at the well. Gen. 29: 1-12.
- 5. Jacob's agreement with Laban. Gen. 29: 13-20.
- 6. His marriage to Leah and Rachel. Gen. 29: 21-30.
- 1. Jacob was _____ away because Esau said he would ____ him. Gen. 27: 42, 43.
- 2. Jacob used a _____ for a pillow. Gen. 28: 11.
- 3. In a dream Jacob saw a _____ and the top of it reached to ____. Gen. 28: 12.
- 5. Jacob promised to _____ to God a ____ of all he received. Gen. 28: 22.
- 6. Jacob met _____ at the well when she came to draw ____ for the sheep. Gen. 29: 8-9.
- 7. Rachel had an older _____ whose name was ____. Gen. 29: 16.
- 8. Jacob worked years for Rachel. Gen. 29: 20.
- 9. Laban gave him _____ instead of Rachel and he had to work ____ years more for ____. Gen. 29: 25-27.
- 10. Jacob loved _____ more than he loved _____. Gen. 29: 30.

Memorize: "I am with thee, and will keep thee in all places whither thou goest." Gen. 28: 15.

LESSON 10. JACOB BEGINS HIS JOURNEY BACK HOME

Gen. 31: 1-55

To Teachers: Emphasize		y blessings	God had	given	Jacob	during	his
twenty years in Paddanaram.	•		_		-	_	

Let the children name the things God has given to them.
LESSON OUTLINE 1. Why Jacob left Laban. Gen. 31: 1-3. 2. Rachel and Leah were called to the field. Gen. 31: 4-13. 3. Their answer to Jacob. Gen. 31: 14-16. 4. Jacob's secret departure. Gen. 31: 17-21. 5. Laban pursues and overtakes Jacob. Gen. 31: 22-30. 6. The search for Laban's idols. Gen. 31: 31-35. 7. Jacob rebukes Laban. Gen. 31: 36-42. 8. The covenant made between them. Gen. 31: 43-55.
1. God told to return to the of his father. Gen. 31: 3.
2. Jacob called and into the field. Gen. 31: 4.
3. He told them that their had changed his wages times. Gen. 31: 7.
4. An of God spoke to Jacob in a
5 and did not like the way thei father had treated them. Gen. 31: 14, 15.
6. Jacob took all his, and de parted for the land of, Gen. 31: 18.
7. stole the idols that belonged to heGen. 31: 19.
8. Laban pursued after Jacob for days, and he overtook him in the of Gilead. Gen 31: 23.
9. Laban searched for his, but he did no them. Gen. 31: 35.
10. Rachel had hidden the in the camel' Gen. 31: 34.
Memory verse: "And the Lord said unto Jacob, Return unto the land of the fathers, and to thy kindred; and I will be with thee." Gen. 31: 3.

LESSON 11.

JACOB AND ESAU BECOME FRIENDS AGAIN

Gen. 32: 1 to Gen. 33: 20

To Teachers: Jacob's placing the entire company between Esau and Rachel shows his great love for her and Joseph.

The reconciliation of Esau and Jacob presents an opportunity to empha-

size the lesson of forgiveness and peace among brethren.

The following outline will help you in telling the story of the lesson:

STORY OUTLINE

STORY OUTLINE
 Jacob prepares to meet Esau. Gen. 32: 1-8. His prayer. Gen. 32: 9-12. Gifts for Esau. Gen. 32: 13-21. Jacob wrestles and his name is changed. Gen. 32: 22-32. Arranging the family to meet Esau. Gen. 33: 1-3. The meeting. Gen. 33: 4-11. The journey resumed. Gen. 33: 12-17. Arrival in Canaan. Gen. 33: 18-20.
1. Jacob was of his brother Esau. Gen. 32: 7.
2. He prayed to God to him from the of his brother. Gen. 32: 11.
3. Jacob sent she-goats and he-goats, ewes and rams, milch camels and their colts, cows and bulls, she-asses and foals, to Esau for a present. Gen. 32: 14, 15.
4. Jacob till day-break and his was wounded. Gen. 32:25.
5. Esau ran to meet and kissed him and they for joy. Gen. 33: 4.
6. Esau accepted the which Jacob gave him. Gen. 33: 11.
7. Jacob came to the land of and bought a and builded an unto God. Gen. 33: 18-20.
Memorize: "If thy brother trespass against thee, rebuke him; and if he repent, forgive him." Luke 17: 3.

LESSON 12. JOSEPH IS SOLD INTO EGYPT

Gen. 37: 1-36

To Teachers: The envy and hatred of Joseph's brothers brought sorrow to their father. Good-will results in peace and happiness to all. Bitterness, envy

and hatred should have no place in our hearts. We should guard against making others sad.
LESSON STORY 1. Jacob's love for Joseph. Gen. 37: 1-4. 2. The dream of the sheaves. Gen. 37: 5-8. 3. Dream of the sun, moon and stars. Gen. 37: 9-11. 4. Joseph sent to seek his brothers. Gen. 37: 12-17. 5. Cast into the pit. Gen. 37: 18-24. 6. Sold into Egypt. Gen. 37: 25-28. 7. The bloody coat. Gen. 37: 29-36.
1. Israel loved more than all his children Gen. 37: 3.
2. He made Joseph a of many Gen. 37: 3.
3. Joseph was by his brothers because their father him more than all the others Gen. 37: 4.
4. Joseph dreamed that they were binding in the Gen. 37: 7.
5. His brothers' bowed down to his
6. He dreamed also that the and the and eleven bowed down to him. Gen 37: 9.
7. Joseph's dreams caused his to hat him more. Gen. 37: 8.
8. Joseph's sold him for pieces o silver. Gen. 37: 28.
9. When Jacob saw Joseph's he though that a wild had torn him to pieces. Gen 37: 33.
Memorize: "And they drew and lifted Joseph out of the pit, and sold Josep to the Ishmaelites for twenty pieces of silver." Gen. 37: 28.

LESSON 13. JOSEPH BECOMES RULER IN EGYPT

To Teachers: Joseph's faithfulness to duty was rewarded greatly. God blesses all who live in harmony with his purpose. His grace toward the faithful is manifested in many ways.

The people of God should strive to serve and help others, in every place and under all circumstances.

LESSON OUTLINE

LESSON OUTLINE
 Joseph made overseer of Potiphar's house. Gen. 39: 1-6. Pharaoh's two dreams. Gen. 41: 1-8. Pharaoh tells his dreams to Joseph. Gen. 41: 14-24. Interpretation of the dreams. Gen. 41: 25-32. Joseph's advice to Pharaoh. Gen. 41: 33-36. Joseph made ruler. Gen. 41: 37-45. Seven years of plenty. Gen. 41: 46-53. The famine begins. Gen. 41: 54-57.
1. Joseph was sold to in Egypt. Gen. 39: 1.
2. He made Joseph of all his house, and God Potiphar's house. Gen. 39: 5.
3. Pharaoh dreamed that seven fat came up out of the sea. Gen. 41: 2.
4. Then seven poor came up and ate the fat Gen. 41: 4.
5. Pharaoh dreamed that good ears of grew on one stalk. Gen. 41: 5.
6. Then poor ears ate up the good ears. Gen. 41: 6, 7.
7. The king's and men could not tell him the meaning of his Gen. 41: 8.
8. Joseph told what his meant. Gen. 41: 25.
9. Joseph was years old when he stood before Gen. 41: 46.
Memorize: "And the Lord was with Joseph and he was a prosperous man." Gen. 39: 2.

LESSON 14. JOSEPH SEES HIS BROTHERS AGAIN

Jacob's sons go to Egypt. Gen. 42: 1-6.
 Joseph's roughness. Gen. 42: 7-17.
 Simeon bound. Gen. 42: 18-25.

Gen. 42: 1 to Gen. 45: 8

To Teachers: Encourage the children to stand before the class and tell parts of the lesson story. This will give the little boys excellent training for leadership in later years, and it will prevent stage fright when they are older.

LESSON OUTLINE

5. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7.	Others return and report to Jacob. Gen. 42: 26-38. Fo Egypt again. Gen. 43: 1-15. In Joseph's house. Gen. 43: 16-34. The cup in Benjamin's sack. Gen. 44: 1-34. Joseph makes himself known. Gen. 45: 1-8.
1.	Ten of Joseph's went to to buy grain. Gen. 42: 3.
2.	Jacob did not send with the others. Gen. 42: 4.
3.	Joseph's brothers came and down to him with their on the ground. Gen. 42: 6.
4.	Joseph knew his, but they did nothim. Gen. 42: 8.
5.	He said they must bring their youngest to prove they were not
6.	Joseph filled their with grain and he put all their back in their sacks. Gen. 42: 25.
7.	The next time they went to, they took with them. Gen. 43: 15.
8.	Joseph's was found in Benjamin's Gen. 44: 12.
9.	Joseph said to his brothers, "I am Joseph your whom you sold into" Gen. 45: 4.
M him	Iemorize: "And Joseph's brethren came, and bowed down themselves before with their faces to the earth." Gen. 42: 6.

LESSON 15. JOSEPH'S FATHER AND BROTHERS IN GOSHEN

To Teachers: The principle of returning good for evil should be taught in this lesson. Joseph's kindness to his brothers is an excellent example of returning good for intended evil.

OUTLINE OF THE LESSON STORY 1. Joseph's message to his father. Gen. 45: 9-15. 2. Pharaoh's invitation to Jacob. Gen. 45: 16-20. 3. The gifts and the return to Jacob. Gen. 45: 21-28. 4. The journey to Egypt and God's promise. Gen. 46: 1-7. 5. Five sons and Jacob presented to Pharaoh. Gen. 47: 1-12. 6. Jacob's last request and death. Gen. 49: 29-33: 50: 1-3. 7. Burial in the cave of Machpelah. Gen. 50: 4-14. 1. Joseph wanted his _____ to come and dwell 2. Pharaoh said they could use ____ out of the

land of Egypt to bring their little and

3. Jacob was made happy when he saw the _____.

4. They took their _____, and their _____,

5. Joseph rode in his _____ in

6. He wanted his people to live in _____ because there was there for their flocks. Gen.

7. Jacob was a hundred and _____ years old when

9. Jacob was buried in the _____ of Machpelah in

Memorize: "Now therefore fear ye not: I will nourish you and your little ones. And he comforted them, and spake kindly unto them." Gen. 50: 21.

8. He lived in Egypt _____ years. Gen. 47: 28.

their and father. Gen. 45: 19.

and came into Egypt. Gen. 46: 6.

he moved to Egypt. Gen. 47: 9.

Gen. 45: 27.

47: 4.

Goshen, Gen. 46: 29.

LESSON 16.

it. Ex. 2: 7-9.

ren. Ex. 2: 11.

Ex. 2: 12.

the king's commandment." Hebrews 11: 23.

2: 10.

THE BABY HIDDEN IN THE RIVER

Exodus 1: 22 to Exodus 2: 22

To Teachers: This is a lesson in unselfish service to others. Moses' interest in the welfare of his people was much greater than his interest in his own comfort and pleasure. He was affected deeply by the burdens and abuses his people suffered at the hands of the Egyptians.

LESSON OUTLINE 1. The order to kill the boy babies. Exodus 1: 22. 2. Moses born and hidden. Ex. 2: 1-4. 3. Found by Pharaoh's daughter. Ex. 2: 5, 6. 4. Nursed by his mother. Ex. 2: 7-10. 5. Egyptian killed. Ex. 2: 11, 12. 6. Flees to Midian. Ex. 2: 13-15. 7. Marries Zipporah. Ex. 2: 16-22. 1. When Moses was ____ months old his mother put him in an and hid him in the in the river's brink. Exodus 2: 2, 3. 2. His _____ watched to see what would happen to the baby. Ex. 2: 4. 3. The king's ____ found the baby among the

flags and sent her to get it. Ex. 2: 5.

4. She sent the baby's _____ to get a nurse, and she went and called the ____ mother to nurse

5. The king's daughter named the baby because she drew him out of the Ex.

6. Moses saw an smiting one of his breth-

7. He _____ the Egyptian and hid him in the

8. Moses fled to the land of Ex. 2: 15. 9. Moses married in Midian. Ex. 2: 21. Memory verse: "By faith Moses, when he was born, was hid three months by his parents, because they saw he was a proper child; and they were not afraid of

LESSON 17. THE BURNING BUSH

Exodus 3: 1 to Exodus 4: 31

To Teachers: When God tells one what to do, he makes it possible for one to do it. God removed the difficulties from the mind of Moses when he made excuses for not leading the people. His commandments are not grevious; his will is perfect and acceptable and good.

will is perfect and acceptable and good.
LESSON OUTLINE 1. The burning bush. Exodus 3: 1-3. 2. "Put off' thy shoes." Ex. 3: 4-6. 3. Moses told what to do. Ex. 3: 7-22. 4. The signs of the rod, leprous hand and blood. Ex. 4: 1-9. 5. Aaron made spokesman. Ex. 4: 10-17. 6. The return to Egypt. Ex. 4: 18-26. 7. Moses and Aaron meet. Ex. 4: 27-31.
1. Moses was keeping the of Jethro, the of Midian. Ex. 3: 1.
2. An of God appeared to Moses in a burning Ex. 3: 2.
3. The did not burn the up. Ex. 3: 2.
4. God called out of the and said, ", Ex. 3: 4.
5. God told Moses to take his off his because the ground was Ex. 3: 5.
6. God sent him to to lead the people out of Ex. 3: 10.
7. Moses cast his on the ground and it became a Ex. 4: 2-3.
8. Aaron was made unto the people. Ex. 4: 16.
9. Moses took his and his and returned to the of Egypt. Ex. 4: 20.
Memorize: "I will send thee unto Pharaoh, that thou mayest bring forth my

people the children of Israel out of Egypt." Ex. 3: 10.

LESSON 18.

THE TEN PLAGUES

To Teachers: Explain and discuss the purpose of the ten plagues. The children should learn to name them in order.

OUTLINE OF THE LESSON	
 Water to blood. Ex. 7: 20-21. Frogs. Ex. 8: 1-6. Lice. Ex. 8: 16-18. Flies. Ex. 8: 21-24. Murrain of cattle. Ex. 9: 1-7. Boils. Ex. 9: 8-11. Hail. Ex. 9: 22-26. Locusts. Ex. 10: 12-15. Darkness. Ex. 10: 21-23. Death of the first born. Ex. 12: 29-30. How the Israelites escaped the tenth plague. Ex. 12: 21-23. 	
1. All the was turned into Ex 7: 20.	
2. God sent a plague of into the house of the Egyptians. Ex. 8: 3.	S
3. Aaron smote the with his and th dust became Ex. 8: 17.	e
4. God sent great swarms of into th of the Egyptians. Ex. 8: 24.	e
5. All the of the Egyptians were smitter with Ex. 9: 3, 6.	n
6. Moses sprinkled toward heaven and broke out on the Egyptians. Ex. 9: 10	d
7. God sent that killed both and Ex. 9: 25.	
8. Everything that the did not destroy was eaten by Ex. 10: 12.	ÿ
9. There was a thick for days. Ex 10: 22.	
10. All the firstborn of died in one	. •
Memory verse: "And the Lord spake unto Moses, Go unto Pharaoh, and sa unto him, Let my people go, that they may serve me." Ex. 8: 1.	У

LESSON 19.

CROSSING THE RED SEA

Exodus 14: 10-31

To Teachers: The deliverance of God's people from Pharaoh is a story of great interest. It is easily told and remembered. Emphasize the providence of God in this lesson.

	LESSON OUTLINE
2. 3. 4. 5. 6.	The cry of fear. Ex. 14: 10-12. Moses' answer. Ex. 14: 13-14. God tells Moses what to do. Ex. 14: 15-18. Protected by the cloud. Ex. 14: 19-20. The waters divided. Ex. 14: 21-22. Egyptians destroyed. Ex. 14: 23-28. Israel saved. Ex. 14: 29-31.
	The people were when they saw the pursuing them. Ex. 14: 10.
2.	They wished they were back in Ex 14: 12.
3.	Moses told them to be not, for they would never see the again. Ex. 14: 13
4.	God told to lift up his hand and stretch his over the Ex. 14: 15-16
5.	God made the dry land and the were divided. Ex. 14: 21.
6.	The Egyptians in after them in the Ex. 14: 23.
7.	Their chariot came off. Ex. 14: 25.
8.	The waters covered the and the and the hosts of Pharoah drowned. Ex. 14: 28.
9.	Then the people believed in and in his Moses. Ex. 14: 31.

Memorize: "By faith they passed through the Red Sea as by dry land: which the Egyptians assaying to do were drowned." Hebrews 11: 29.

LESSON 20.

MANNA AND QUAILS

Exodus 16:1-36

To Teachers: Explain to the class that Saturday, the seventh day of the week, was the Sabbath, and this was the first time any one was commanded to keep it. The Sabbath law ended at the cross. (Col. 2: 14-16).

LESSON OUTLINE 1. Murmuring for food. Ex. 16: 1-3. 2. Bread and meat promised. Ex. 16: 4-12. 3. Bread and meat sent. Ex. 16: 13-15. 4. Amount to be gathered. Ex. 16: 16-20. 5. The Sabbath day. Ex. 16: 21-30. 6. Pot of manna kept. Ex. 16: 31-36.
1. The people complained against because they were Ex. 16: 2-3.
2. God said he would rain from Ex. 16: 4.
3. In the evening God gave them to eat, and in the morning he gave them Ex. 16: 8.
4. In the evening came up and covered the Ex. 16: 13.
5. When the people saw the they did not what it was. Ex. 16:15.
6. Moses told them that it was Ex. 16: 15.
7. They were told to gather as much on the day. Ex. 16: 22.
8. But they must not any on the Ex. 16: 26.

Memory verse: "And Jesus said unto them, I am the bread of life: he that cometh to me shall never hunger; and he that believeth on me shall never thirst." John 6: 35.

9. They ate the manna for years. Ex. 16: 35.

LESSON 21.

promise". Eph. 6:2.

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

Exodus 20: 1-17

To Teachers: Explain to the class that nine of the ten commandments appear in changed form in the new covenant; that the fourth, the command to keep the Sabbath, does not appear in the New Testament at all; that we are not under the law now, but under Christ and the gospel.

LESSON OUTLINE

2. \$3. 7. 4. 15. 16. \$7. \$8. 19. 1	First commandment. Ex. 20: 3. Second commandment. Ex. 20: 4. Third commandment. Ex. 20: 7. Fourth commandment. Ex. 20: 12. Fifth commandment. Ex. 20: 12. Sixth commandment. Ex. 20: 13. Seventh commandment. Ex. 20: 14. Eighth commandment. Ex. 20: 15. Ninth commandment. Ex. 20: 16. Tenth commandment. Ex. 20: 16.	8-11. 4.	
1.	"Thou shalt have no of Ex. 20: 3.	her befo	ore me."
2.	"Thou shalt not" Ex. 20: 4.	unto thee a	graven
3.	"Thou shalt not take the God in Ex. 20:		ord thy
	"Remember the Ex. 20: 8.	day, to keep it .	
5.	"Honor thy20: 12.	and thy	" Ex.
6.	"Thou shalt not		•
7.	"Thou shalt not comm	it	20: 14.
8.	"Thou shalt not	." Ex. 20: 15.	
9.	"Thou shalt not 20: 16.	false	" Ex.
10.	"Thou shalt not	." Ex. 20: 1	17.
М	emorize: "Honor thy father and mothe	r; which is the first comman	ndment with

LESSON 22.

THE GOLDEN CALF

Exodus 32: 1-35

To Teachers: Explain to the children: (1) that making the golden calf was

a violation of the second commandment; (2) that the New Testament teacher against our making and bowing down to images of divine beings. See Rom. 1: 21-25
LESSON OUTLINE 1. Why and how the calf was made. Ex. 32: 1-6. 2. God's warning. Ex. 32: 7-10. 3. Moses' plea for the people. Ex. 32: 11-14. 4. The anger of Moses. Ex. 32: 15-20. 5. Aaron's alibi. Ex. 32: 21-24. 6. The people are punished. Ex. 32: 25-29. 7. Moses prays again for the people. Ex. 32: 30-35.
1. Moses was up on the when Aaron made the Ex. 32: 1.
2. The people brought the rings which were in the ears of their, and their and their and their and their Ex. 32: 2.
3. Aaron made the and called it their Ex. 32: 4.
4. The people worshiped the and God was angry with them. Ex. 32: 8, 10.
5. Moses saw the golden and he was very Ex. 32: 19.
6. He threw the two of stone down and them. Ex. 32: 19.
7. He ground the to powder, and threw it on the and made the people it. Ex. 32: 20.
8. God said he would blot these out of his Ex. 32: 33.
9. God punished them because they the

Memory verse: "And the Lord plagued the people, because they made the calf, which Aaron made." Ex. 32: 35.

calf. Ex. 32: 35.

LESSON 23.

TWELVE SPIES SENT TO CANAAN

Numbers 13: 1-33; Num. 14: 1-38

To Teachers: Joshua and Caleb believed the Israelites could take the land by the help of God, but the other ten spies filled the hearts of the people with fear and unbelief by a discouraging report. God rewarded the courage and faithfulness of Joshua and Caleb.

- OUTLINE OF THE LESSON 1. Twelve spies chosen and sent. Num. 13: 1-3. 2. Information they were to obtain. Num. 13: 17-20. 3. The report. Num. 13: 23-29. 4. The spies disagree among themselves. Num. 13: 30-33. 5. Fear and rebellion of the people. Num. 14: 1-10. 6. God's threat. Num. 14: 11-12. 7. Moses' intercession. Num. 14: 13-19. 8. The punishment. Num. 14: 20-38. 1. Moses sent twelve _____ to spy out the land of _____ Num. 13: 2. 2. The spies were gone for _____ days. Num. 13: 25. 3. They brought back some _____ and some ____ and some ____. Num. 13: 23. 4. They reported that the land flowed with 5. Ten of the said the people could not take the Num. 13: 31. 6. But ____ said they could take the land. Num. 13: 30. 7. The people were afraid and said, "Let us make a and return to" Num. 14: 4. 8. Two of the spies whose names were and did not join in this rebellion. Num. 14: 6.
- 9. The people wanted to _____ Joshua and Caleb with _____. Num. 14: 10.

Memory verse: "If the Lord delight in us, then he will bring us into this land, and give it to us; a land which floweth with milk and honey." Num. 14: 8.

LESSON 24. THE SERPENT OF BRASS

Num. 21: 4-9; II Kings 18: 1-4

To Teachers: Let members of the class tell the story of the fiery serpents. This will be excellent training for the little boys, and will prevent stage fright in later years.

- LESSON OUTLINE 1. Discouragement of the people. Num. 21: 4. 2. Their complaints. Num. 21: 5. 3. The fiery serpents. Num. 21: 6. 4. Moses' prayer. Num. 21: 7. 5. The serpent of brass. Num. 21: 8. 6. The cure. Num. 21: 9. 7. How the serpent of brass was destroyed many years later. II Kings 18: 1-4. 1. The people were much because of their hardships. Num. 21: 4. 2. They spoke against _____ and ____. Num. 21: 5. 3. They said, "There is no ____ and there is no and we do not like this light" Num. 21: 5. 4. God sent fiery _____ among them, and the serpents ____ the people, and a great many 5. They asked Moses to _____ that God might take the _____ away. Num. 21: 7. 6. Moses made a serpent of _____ and set it on a _____. Num. 21: 9. 7. If a _____ bit any man, when he ____ on the serpent of ____, he lived. Num. 21: 9. 8. Many years later the people worshiped and incense to this _____ of brass. II Kings 18: 4. 9. King Hezekiah broke the _____ in pieces, because the people _____ incense to it. II Kings
- Memory verse: "And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must be the Son of man be lifted up." John 3: 14.

18: 4.

LESSON 25. BALAAM MET AN ANGEL

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To Teachers: Balaam loved the hire of wrong doing (II Pet. 2: 15), and tried to harm God's people for money (Jude 11). When people obtain money in the wrong way, they always lose something worth more than the money gained. This lesson covers only a part of the story of Balaam. If you have a Bible story book, read the entire story to the class. LESSON OUTLINE
 Balak sends for Balaam. Num. 22: 2-12. Balaam refused to go. Num. 22: 12-14. Balak promises a reward to Balaam. Num. 22: 15-17. Balaam hesitates a second time. Num. 22: 18-20. Balaam meets an angel. Num. 22: 21-27. The ass speaks to Balaam. Num. 22: 28-30. The angel's message. Num. 22: 31-35.
1. King Moab was of God's people. Num. 22: 3.
2. He told the of Midian that these people would all they had. Num. 22: 4.
3. He sent for to come and the Israelites. Num. 22: 5-6.
4. Balaam told the men to there that night, and he would tell them what said. Num. 22: 8.
5. God told Balaam he should not with them and should not the people of God. Num. 22: 12.
6. Balaam rose up in the and said he could not with them . Num. 22: 13.
7. Balak sent for again and offered him a reward. Num. 22: 15-17.
8. Balaam rose up in the and saddled his and went to Moab. Num. 22: 21.
9. The ass crushed Balaam's against the
10. Balaam beat the with his staff, and she to him. Num. 22: 27-28.

Memory verse: "And God said unto Balaam, Thou shalt not go with them; thou shalt not curse the people: for they are blessed." Num. 22: 12.

LESSON 26.

THE DEATH OF MOSES

Num. 20: 7-12; Deut. 32: 48-52; Deut. 34: 1-8

To Teachers: This lesson presents an opportunity to emphasize the following: (1) The importance of strict obedience; (2) the danger of deviating from God's word; (3) the necessity of giving glory to God. (Num. 20: 10.)

LESSON OUTLINE

1. Moses ordered to speak to the rock. Num. 20: 7-9.

- 2. How Moses and Aaron sinned. Num. 20: 10-12. 3. Moses commanded to go to the place of his death. Deut. 32:48-52. 4. Death and burial of Moses. Deut. 34: 1-8. 1. God told Moses to _____ to the rock and _____ would come out of it. Num. 20: 7, 8. 2. Moses lifted up his _____ and smote the ____ 3. Water came out of the ____ and the people and _____ drank. Num. 20: 11. 5. Moses climbed to the top of _____ and saw the of Canaan. Deut. 34: 1. 6. Moses died there and God him and no man knows where his _____ is. Deut. 34: 5, 6. 7. His was not dim and he was a strong man. Deut. 34:7.
- 9. The people wept for Moses for days. Deut. 34: 8.

8. Moses was a ____ and twenty years old when

he died. Deut. 34: 7.

Memory verse: "Now the man Moses was very meek, above all the men which were upon the face of the earth." Num. 12: 3.

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