DEEP DOWN DETECTIVES

Unit 10,

Bible Truth 3

Visual Aids

and

Small Format Storyboard Pictures

About Deep Down Detectives Visual Aids and Small Format Storyboard Pictures

How Are They Used?

The Deep Down Detectives Visual Aids and Small Format Storyboard Pictures are companion resources to be used alongside the Deep Down Detectives Core Curriculum for each unit. These colorful pictures are used in presenting the key concepts, telling the Bible stories, and, in playing the Bible Story Review games. The storyboard pictures in this book are for flannelgraph boards 24" x 36" or larger. (Choose Visual Aids with Large Format Storyboard Pictures for very large boards.)

What Do They Include?

There are six, different resources included in this book:

1. Key Concept Visual Aids-- colorful signs of the Big Question and Answer, the Bible Truths taught in each unit, the Bible verses, and the Listening Assignments used with the curriculum for each Bible Truth taught in the unit.

2. The Storyboard Picture Key-a who's who of the pictures in thumbnail size.

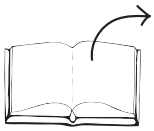
3. Storyboard Suggested Picture Placement page--how you can place your pictures up on your storyboard that works well with the story.

4. The Storyboard Pictures, themselves. Notice that each picture is identified on the back for easy reference.

5. Directions for how to make a homemade flannelgraph storyboard and sturdy storyboard pictures.

6. Directions for making the Deep Down Detectives "Bible" Folder and the **back/front images** to paste in place when making it. (Larger back/front images are found online with the curriculum.)

Ready, Set, Rip It Out!



This book is meant to be ripped up and made into your visual aid. The key concept signs can be cut out and laminated or slipped into sheet protectors. Cut out around the storyboard images and ideally, laminate these. Some of the biggest pictures actually need to be stuck together, before laminating.

Store It!

Deep Down Detectives is a curriculum that can be used over and over. Store your visual aids and storyboard pictures after using them and they will serve you for many years. We store ours in manilla envelopes and then put them (along with all the rest of the curriculum) in magazine files, labeled by unit. If you have multiple classes using the curriculum, store each set of resources in separate manilla envelopes. This will make prep much simpler, second time around.

Replacement Storyboard Pictures

You can always purchase this book again or simply go online to the praisefactory.org website (Deep Down Detectives section) and print out any pictures that go missing.

Place story in DDD Bible take out of BQB

The Case of the Secret Weapon Within

Mark 13:9-13; 15-16; Acts 1-4

Story-telling Tips

Ahead of time:

1. Read the Bible verses and story. Pray!
2. Choose story action cues and prepare storyboard figures/story scenes, if using. (In Visual Aids book)
3. Practice telling story with the storyboard pictures, timing your presentation. Shorten, if necessary.

During your presentation:

1. Maintain as much eye contact as possible as you tell the story.
2. Put up storyboard figures/add story action cues/hold up storybook scenes as you tell the story. Allow the children to help you put them on the board, if desired.
3. Include the children in your story with a few questions about what they think will happen or words/concepts that might be new to them.
4. Watch the kids for signs that their attention span has been reached. Shorten, if necessary.

INTRODUCTION/ LISTENING ASSIGNMENTS (Optional)

"Our story is called: The Case of the Secret Weapon Within. Here is your listening assignment... " *Read from Detective Dan's Listening Assignment signs, but questions are summarized below:*

Detective Dan's Lesson #1 Listening Assignment:

I need to know:

1. What was the "secret weapon" and where did God put it (Him)?
2. What did God use this secret weapon to do?

<u>Detective Dan's Lesson #2 Listening Assignment:</u>

Our Bible Verse is Ephesians 1:17, NIV 1984

"I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better."

I need to know:

1. Who did Jesus promise to send to His disciples to help them know God and live for Him?
2. What did this Helper give Jesus' disciples wisdom to do?

Detective Dan's Lesson #3 Listening Assignment:

I found six clues, but two of them are **NOT** in the story.
They are: a hat, a heart, a leader, a ball, jail, and a school.
Hold each of them up for the children to see as you identify them.

I need to know:

1. Which four belong in the story and which two don't?
2. What kind of help did the disciples thank God for giving them through His Holy Spirit?

<u>Read the assignment questions, THEN SAY</u>,

"Ok, Deep Down Detectives! Put on your best listening ears and see if you can hear the answers to Detective Dan's questions. When I finish telling the story, we will see if we can answer all the questions."

Read the Bible Truth story, answer questions, present the gospel and lead in prayer.

Answers to questions; the gospel; and, ACTS prayer are included with the story text.

The Case of the Secret Weapon Within *Mark 13:9-13; 15-16; Acts 1-4*

Story with lines separating paragraphs (text in bold, *optional interaction cues in italics) Numbers correspond to storyboard pictures and placement upon the storyboard. Alway feel free to use less pictures, if it's best for your kids. Simply black out the numbers next to pictures you do not plan to use. All pictures are found in the Visual Aids book. Put BG (background) pictures on storyboard ahead of time. SB pictures (listed below in story text) are added to board as you tell the story. These numbers are also found on the back of each picture. Tip: Stack pictures in numerical before telling story for easy use. Use sticky-back velcro to attach pictures to storyboard felt. Use sticky-tac putty to stick a picture on top of another picture.*

For one, two, three years, Jesus taught his followers many things.

(SB1) Some of the things Jesus taught were happy to learn about at all. "God loved the people of this world so much that He sent Me to be their Savior." Jesus told them. "Come to Me all you who are weary and I will give rest for your souls. I will save You from your sins. I will give you strength to live God's way," Jesus encouraged them. But best of all were Jesus' promises about life with God in the world to come: "I am going to prepare a place for all in heaven for all who trust in Me. All sin and sadness will be gone. We will live together in perfect happiness forever and ever," He promised.

But other things Jesus taught were not happy to hear about at all. (SB2) "I am going to suffer many things and the leaders will reject Me and kill Me," Jesus told them. "You are going to be My witnesses after I die on the cross, rise from the dead, and go to heaven. Sometimes people will hurt you like they are going to hurt Me," He warned them. "Sometimes you will be arrested, dragged before leaders and sent to jail because Me," He said. "But the one who keeps on believing in Me to the end will be saved." He promised.

This was very hard to hear! How would they ever endure these terrible things, especially if Jesus was going to leave them! Jesus told them. It would be Someone who would help them from inside their hearts.

Can you guess who?

Jesus told them who. "You won't have to do all these very hard things on your own," Jesus explained. "After I leave you and go to heaven, (SB3) I will send the Holy Spirit to come and live inside of you," He will give you wisdom. Even when you have to stand before mighty leaders and tell about Me, you don't have to worry. He will give you just the right words to say. He will speak though you! " Jesus promised.

Soon, everything happened just as Jesus said it would. The leaders did reject Him and kill Him. (SB4) Jesus died on the cross and was buried in a cave grave. Then on the third day, He rose from the dead in victory. (SB5) Jesus stayed with His disciples for forty days, teaching them many things; then, (SB6) He went up to heaven to rule.

Jesus was gone. His followers missed Him. Would He really send the Holy Spirit as He promised?

What do you think?

Yes, He did! Ten days later, (SB7) Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to live inside of them and help them.

And oh, what wonderful gifts the Holy Spirit gave to Jesus' believers!

The Holy Spirit gave them wisdom to (SB8) understand God's Word and (SB9) how to love God and others. (SB10) He gave them wisdom to know just the right words to tell others good news of Jesus. And even when (SB11) they were arrested and (SB12) dragged before mighty leaders, the Holy Spirit was with them, working inside their hearts. They should have been scared…but (SB13) the Holy Spirit gave them peace and joy. He gave them just the right words to say.

***Story with lines separating paragraphs (text in bold, optional** interaction cues in italics)*

Those enemies of Jesus were shocked! "(SB14) These believers in Jesus haven't been to school like us. They are just plain people. How is it that they stand before us so boldly? How is it that they have so much peace and joy? How can they speak such wise words about Jesus?" they wondered.

They didn't know the answer, but we do, don't we? It was that wonderful, secret weapon of God who had come to live inside those believers. What's His name, can you remember?

Can you tell me?

The Holy Spirit! He was the one who gave these men peace and joy. He was the one who made them BOLD and WISE! How Jesus' disciples praised God and thanked Him for the gift of the Holy Spirit living in their hearts! And with His help, (SB15) they went out and kept on living for God and kept on telling others the good news of Jesus.

But the Holy Spirit wasn't JUST at work inside those first believers as they spoke about Jesus and lived for Him. (SB16) He was also at work in those who watched them and listened to them.

Yes, tens of people, hundreds of people, even THOUSANDS of people, watched and listened to those first believers in Jesus! And the Holy Spirit worked in their hearts as they watched and listened! He helped them turn away from their sins and (SB17) trust in Jesus as their Savior, too. And when they did, He came to live in their hearts to stay. Now they were God's people. Now He would be their Helper, giving them wisdom and helping them live for God!

And that's way it has been for Jesus' followers ever since those first days, long ago. The Holy Spirit has helped more and more and more people turn away from their sins and trust in Jesus as their Savior. Not just tens, hundreds or thousands of people…but now, (SB18) millions and millions of people from all over the world! So many people that you can't even count them! And the Holy Spirit has come to live inside their hearts of each and every one of them all!

God's people know that the Holy Spirit is God's good gift to them for LIFE! Yes, for the rest of their lives, the Holy Spirit will keep on living inside of God's people like this. He will continue to give them peace and joy. He will continue to give them strength to boldly live God's way every day! And, He will continue to give them God's wisdom to know how God wants them to live and how to tell others the good news of Jesus! What a wonderful gift is God's Holy Spirit!

Cracking the Case: (story wrap-up for Listening Assignments)

It's time to see how we did with our Listening Assignment.

Detective Dan's Lesson 1 Listening Assignment:

1. What was the "secret weapon" and where did God put it (Him)? The Holy Spirit. He put it in the hearts of His people.

2. What did God use this secret weapon to do? He used the Holy Spirit do to good inside His people. He used the Holy Spirit fight against their helplessness and fear after Jesus went to heaven. He helped them to know God, how He wanted them to live, and how to tell others the good news of Jesus.

For You and Me:

God sent His Holy Spirit to live inside Jesus' disciples who lived long ago. He gave them so many good gifts, including wisdom to know Him and to know what to tell others about Jesus. He promises those gifts to us today, too, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Then, God's Holy Spirit will come into our hearts and give us wisdom, too! What a wonderful gift!

Detective Dan's Lesson 2 Listening Assignment:

Our Bible Verse is Ephesians 1:17

"I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better."

1. Who did Jesus promise to send to His disciples to help them know God and live for Him? The Holy Spirit.

2. What did this Helper give Jesus' disciples wisdom to do? To know God; to know how God wanted them to live; and, to know what to say as they told others about Jesus.

For You and Me:

God sent His Holy Spirit to live inside Jesus' disciples who lived long ago. He gave them so many good gifts, including wisdom to know Him and to know what to tell others about Jesus. He promises those gifts to us today, too, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Then, God's Holy Spirit will come into our hearts and give us wisdom, too! What a wonderful gift!

Detective Dan's Lesson 3 Listening Assignment:

Our six clues were: a hat, a heart, a leader, a ball, jail, and a school.

1. Which four belong in our story?

The heart, the leader, the jail and the school belong. The hat and the ball do not.

2. What kind of help did the disciples thank God for giving them through His Holy Spirit? For giving them peace and joy; giving them boldness and strength to tell others about Jesus and face their enemies; and, giving them wisdom to know what to say when they did.

For You and Me:

God sent His Holy Spirit to live inside Jesus' disciples who lived long ago. He gave them so many good gifts, including wisdom to know Him and to know what to tell others about Jesus. He promises those gifts to us today, too, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Then, God's Holy Spirit will come into our hearts and give us wisdom, too! What a wonderful gift!

The Gospel (story wrap-up if NOT using Listening Assignments)

Our Bible Truth is:
How Can I Know What God Is Like?
He Changes Their Hearts to Be Like Jesus...
The Holy Spirit Gives God's People Wisdom!

What great changes the Holy Spirit made inside of Jesus' disciples long ago! Even the leaders were amazed at the wisdom God gave them through His Holy Spirit!

God can change our hearts, too, when we believe the gospel, the good news about Jesus. What is the gospel?

Well, it starts out with bad news about us. You see, we all choose to disobey God. We all deserve God's punishment for our sins and He would have been perfectly fair to give us all His punishment for breaking His laws and leave it at that. But what good news God has for us in Jesus! God is so rich in mercy that He sent His Son Jesus to die on the cross and take the punishment for all who turn away from their sins and trust Jesus as their Savior. For all who do, God will forgive their sins and they will enjoy special closeness with God now as His special people. Who brings that special closeness to our hearts? God's Holy Spirit! He comes to live inside us and makes us new. He gives us peace and joy. He makes us bold to live for God. He gives us wisdom to know God and live for Him.

But best of all will be the day when God's people die and go to live with God forever. Isn't the gospel such good news!

Close in prayer.

Closing ACTS Prayer

A God, we praise You for being the Giver of wisdom through Your Holy Spirit.

C God, we confess that many times we chose not to ask You for wisdom. Instead we choose to do things our own way. We need Jesus to be our Savior! We need Your Holy Spirit to change our hearts to love You and live for You!

T Thank You, God for all the wisdom You offer us from Your Holy Spirit. Thank You for this wisdom You have given us through the Bible, godly parents and friends, our teachers at church, and directly to our hearts as we pray.

S God, work in our hearts that we might turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Send the Holy Spirit to live in our hearts. Give us wisdom to know how to love You and others; and, to know how You want us to live. Help us to live out the wisdom You give us!

In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

Go to Lesson Plan, p.9 for the script to the rest of the lesson.

What does the Holy Spirit do in God's people?

VISUAL AID #1

take out Big Question Briefcase of BQB

ANSWER:

He changes their hearts to be like Jesus!

DDD 10 Big Question and Answer Sign

The Big Question

Hold up the Big Question sign for all the children to see, and say:

The Big Question we are investigating today is
Big Question Number 10:

What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People?
and the Answer is:
He Changes Their Hearts to Be Like Jesus...

Meaning:
God's Holy Spirit works in our heart as we hear God's Word, the Bible. He gives us the gift of faith in Jesus. He helps us to turn away from living for ourselves and to live for God instead. This is how we become God's people.

But that's just the beginning of what the Holy Spirit does in God's people! He goes on living inside of them their whole lives, helping them and changing their hearts. He helps them to know God and obey His laws. He helps them to love God and others like Jesus did. He comforts them when they are sad and helps them to be brave when they are scared. He helps them know the right way to live. The Holy Spirit in our hearts is a wonderful gift that God loves to give to us when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

Let's sing our Big Question Song: "

Big Q & A 10 Song

DDD NIV Songs 10, track 12
(adapted version of "Pop, Goes the Weasel")

What does the Holy Spirit do,
Inside of God's people?
What does the Holy Spirit do?
He changes their heart!

BIG QUESTION 10: Four truths about the Holy Spirit

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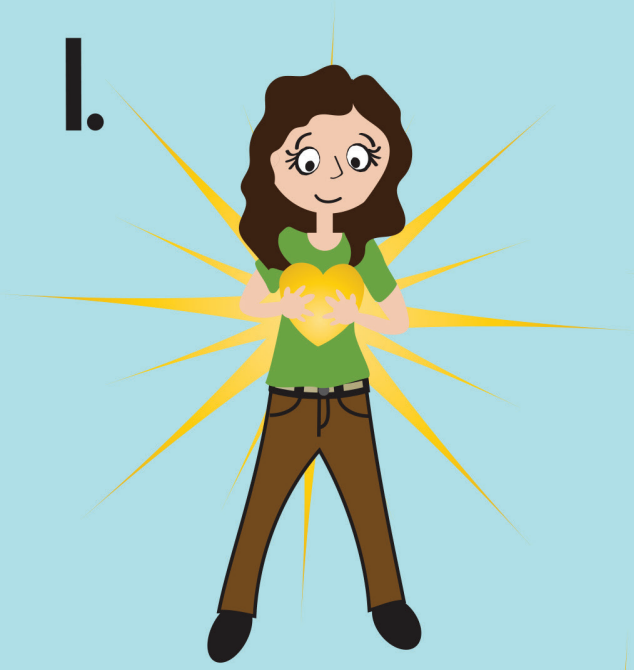

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DDD 10 Unit All Bible Truths--Front

This Unit's Bible Truths

"He Changes Their Hearts to Be Like Jesus" is a good beginning, but there's so more to learn. So it's time for us to dig down even deeper for more answers to our Big Question about God. We're going to be learning FOUR Bible truths that all tell us more about the Holy Spirit.

Who would like to hand me the picture with our four Bible truths on it? It's in the Big Question Box/Briefcase."

Choose a child to get it and hand it to you, then hold it up and show them the pictures of the four truths they will be learning.

After everyone has had a good look say...

"Ok, we've learned two truths about the Holy Spirit's work inside of God's people. They are: "The Holy Spirit Lives in God's People" and, "The Holy Spirit Gives God's People Courage" (point to pictures as you identify each Bible Truth). Now let's look at our Bible Truth Clue sign and see if we can figure out which of these four truths we will be learning about today. Who would like to get it out of the Big Question Briefcase for me?"

Choose a child to open the briefcase, take out the Bible Truth Clue sign and hand it to you.

CAN YOU GUESS BIBLE TRUTH 3?

Visual Aid #3

take out of BQB

What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People?

He Changes Their Hearts to Be Like Jesus...

The Holy Spirit Gives God's People ????!

HINT: This word starts with the letter "w" and it (sort of) rhymes with "system."

ANSWER:

The Holy Spirit Gives God's People WISDOM!

Revealing the Bible Truth We Are Learning

Hold up the front side for the children to see. Cover up the answer, written along the bottom, and say:

"What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People?
He Changes Their Hearts to Be Like Jesus...
The Holy Spirit Gives God's People <u>????</u>!"

We're missing one word. Here's the hint to what the missing word is. It says: This is a word for knowing the right thing to do. This word starts with the letter "w" and it (sort of) rhymes with "system."

Can you guess? It's "wisdom."

So the Bible Truth we are learning today is:

(uncover answer from bottom of sign, show it to them and say:)

"What Does the Holy Spirit Do in God's People?
He Changes Their Hearts to Be Like Jesus...
The Holy Spirit Gives God's People <u>WISDOM</u>!"

And here is what this Bible Truth means:

(read the meaning off of the back of the sign, say:)

The Holy Spirit gives God's people the wisdom they need to know God and to live for Him.

How does the Holy Spirit give God's people wisdom? He works in their hearts as they read the Bible, when they listen to Bible teaching, when they talk with other Christians, and when they pray.

This is one of the reasons why God's people take time to read God's Word and pray. This keeps their heart open to hear the wisdom of the Holy Spirit. This is also one reason why God's people gather together in churches: so they can learn God's Word from godly leaders; and, so they ask each other for help understanding what God's Word means and how to live it out. The Holy Spirit especially uses these things to help God's people understand God's truths and how God wants them to live them out.

There may be many things about God and His plans that God's people do not completely understand, but God will always give them the wisdom they need to live for Him. They only need to ask, and He promises to give it to them. We can become God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Ask Him to help you!

Visual Aid #4

Place verse in DDD "Bible"

take out ? ? of BQB

"I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better."

--Ephesians 1:17, NIV 1984

DDD 10.3 Bible Verse Picture--front

Bible Truth 3 Bible Verse

Remove the Bible Verse Picture from the "Bible" folder and hold it up for all the children to see, then say:

Ephesians 1:17 tells us:

Ephesians 1:17, NIV 1984
"I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better."

Learn a Little: "I keep asking that God may give you the Spirit of wisdom that you may know him better."

What does that mean?
There are many times when God's people don't know what they should do, but there is always someone who promises to give them the wisdom they need--God! God promises to give them wisdom and to do so generously. That is, He will give them all the wisdom they need! And while some may get tired at being asked for advice or frustrated that they are being asked yet again, God never is. He is always happy to listen and to give them the wisdom they need. How does He give this wisdom? His Holy Spirit uses God's Word and prayer, and other godly people to speak God's wisdom to His people. We can become God's people when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior.

"Now it's time to do a bit more deep down investigating. Let's see what Detective Dan wants us to help him figure out. Would someone like to get it out for me?"

"We've said our Bible verse, now let's sing it!"

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And We Know: I Keep Asking: Ephesians 1:17, NIV 1984

DDD ESV Songs 10, track 27

I keep asking,
that the God of our Lord Jesus will give you,
The Spirit of wisdom,
I keep asking,
that the God of our Lord Jesus will give you,
The Spirit of wisdom, and revelation.

So that you may know Him,
You may know Him,
That you may know Him, better.

I keep asking,
that the God of our Lord Jesus will give you,
The Spirit of wisdom,
I keep asking,
that the God of our Lord Jesus will give you,
The Spirit of wisdom, and revelation.
Ephesians One, seventeen.

"Now it's time to do a bit more deep down investigating. Let's see what Detective Dan wants us to help him figure out. Would someone like to get it out for me?"

Visual Aid #5A

Place in "DDD Bible"

take out Big Question Briefcase of BQB

#1

Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #1

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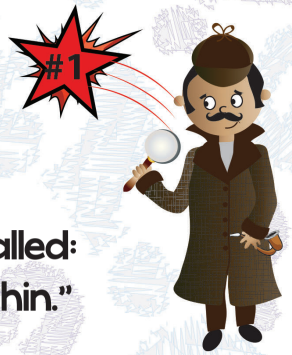

Hi, Deep Down Detectives!
I'm working on a brand-new case called:
"The Case of the Secret Weapon Within."

I need to find out:
1. What was the "secret weapon" and where did God put it (Him)?
AND
2. What did God use this secret weapon to do?

Can you help me? Listen carefully to the story and you might just hear the answers!

Thanks!
Detective Dan

Then say, "Ok, Deep Down Detectives! Put on your best listening ears and see if you can hear the answers to Detective Dan's questions. When I finish telling the story, we will see if we can answer all of his questions."

Read the Bible Truth story, putting up the storyboard pictures as you tell it. At the end of the story, repeat the questions and lead the children in answering them. Present the gospel and close in prayer.

Answers to assignment questions, the gospel and ACTS prayer are also included at the end of the story text.

Answers:
1. What was the "secret weapon" and where did God put it (Him)? The Holy Spirit. He put it in the hearts of His people.
2. What did God use this secret weapon to do? He used the Holy Spirit do to good inside His people. He used the Holy Spirit fight against their helplessness and fear after Jesus went to heaven. He helped them to know God, how He wanted them to live, and how to tell others the good news of Jesus.

For You and Me
God sent His Holy Spirit to live inside Jesus' disciples who lived long ago. He gave them so many good gifts, including wisdom to know Him and to know what to tell others about Jesus. He promises those gifts to us today, too, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Then, God's Holy Spirit will come into our hearts and give us wisdom, too! What a wonderful gift!

Visual Aid #5B

Place in DDD Bible"

take out Big Question Briefcase of BQB

#2

Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #2

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Hi, Deep Down Detectives!
I'm still working on the case called:
"The Case of the Secret Weapon Within."

Our Bible Verse is Ephesians 1:17, NIV 1984
"I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better."

I need to find out:
1. Who did Jesus promise to send to His disciples to help them know God and live for Him?
AND
2. What did this Helper give Jesus' disciples wisdom to do?

Can you help me? Listen carefully to the story and you might just hear the answers!

Thanks for your help!
Detective Dan

Then say, "Ok, Deep Down Detectives! Put on your best listening ears and see if you can hear the answers to Detective Dan's questions. When I finish telling the story, we will see if we can answer all of his questions."

Read the Bible Truth story, putting up the storyboard pictures as you tell it. At the end of the story, repeat the questions and lead the children in answering them. Present the gospel and close in prayer.
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For You and Me:
God sent His Holy Spirit to live inside Jesus' disciples who lived long ago. He gave them so many good gifts, including wisdom to know Him and to know what to tell others about Jesus. He promises those gifts to us today, too, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Then, God's Holy Spirit will come into our hearts and give us wisdom, too! What a wonderful gift!

Visual Aid #5C

Place in "DDD Bible"

take out of BQB

#3

Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #3

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Hi, Deep Down Detectives!
I'm still working on the case called:
"The Case of the Secret Weapon Within."

I found SIX clues, but TWO of them are NOT in the story. They are: a hat, a heart, a leader, a ball, jail, and a school.

Hold up each of the six pictures for the children to see as you identify them. Better yet, put them up on your flannelgraph board, off to one side.

I need to know:
1. Which FOUR pictures belong in the story and which TWO do NOT?
2. What kind of help did the disciples thank God for giving them through His Holy Spirit?

Can you help me? Listen carefully to the story and you might just hear the answers!

Thanks!
Detective Dan

Then say, "Ok, Deep Down Detectives! Put on your best listening ears and see if you can hear the answers to Detective Dan's questions. When I finish telling the story, we will see if we can answer all of his questions."

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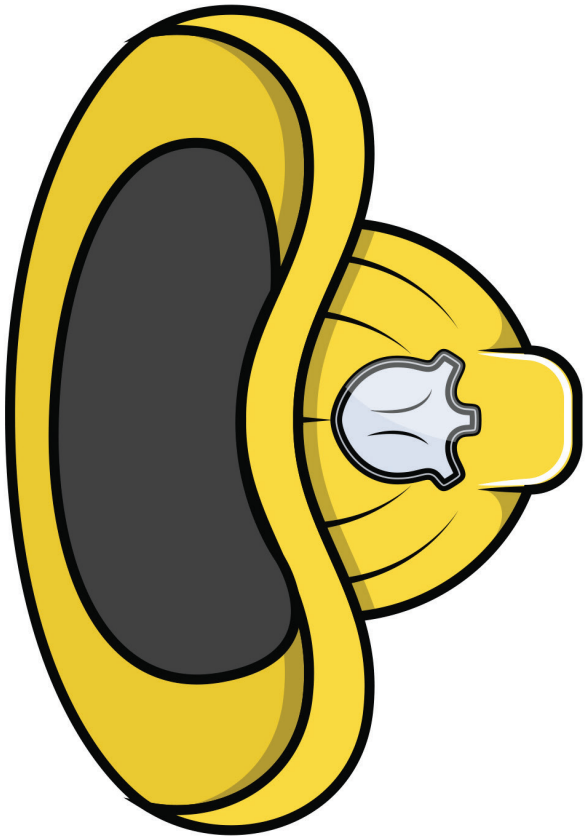
Answers:
1. Which four belong in our story?
The heart, the leader, the jail and the school belong. The hat and the ball do not.
2. What kind of help did the disciples thank God for giving them through His Holy Spirit? For giving them peace and joy; giving them boldness and strength to tell others about Jesus and face their enemies; and, giving them wisdom to know what to say when they did.

For You and Me:
God sent His Holy Spirit to live inside Jesus' disciples who lived long ago. He gave them so many good gifts, including wisdom to know Him and to know what to tell others about Jesus. He promises those gifts to us today, too, when we turn away from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Then, God's Holy Spirit will come into our hearts and give us wisdom, too! What a wonderful gift!

A Hat



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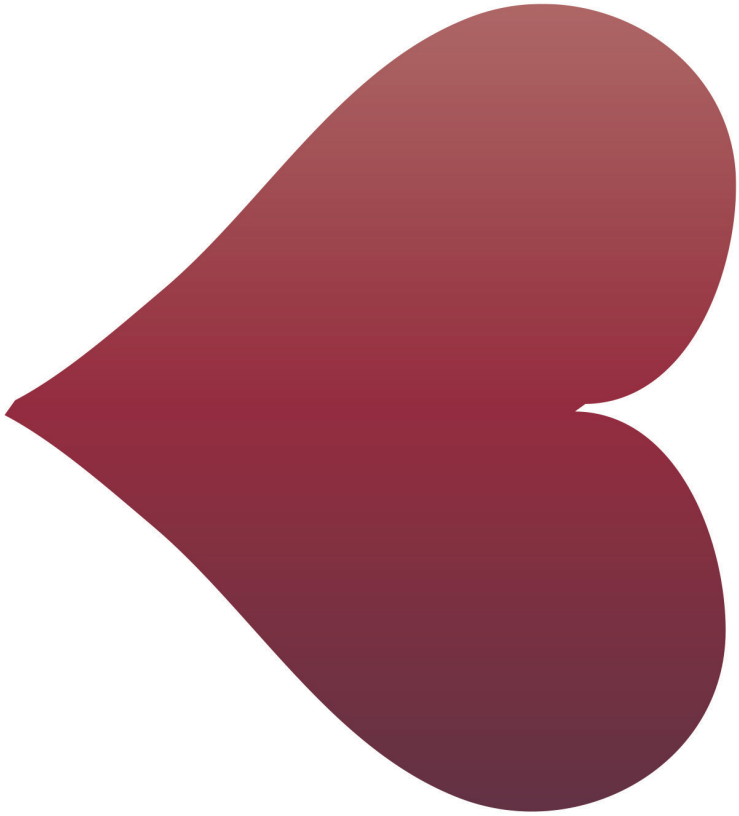

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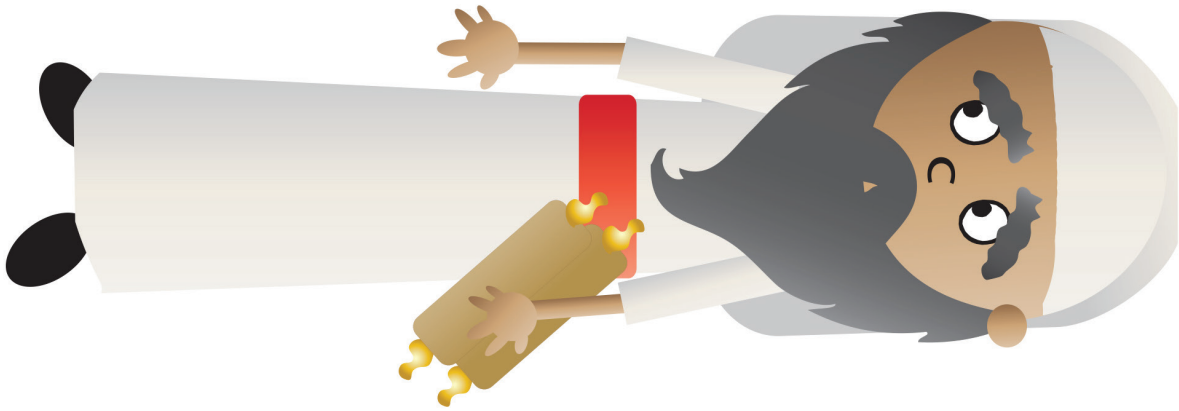

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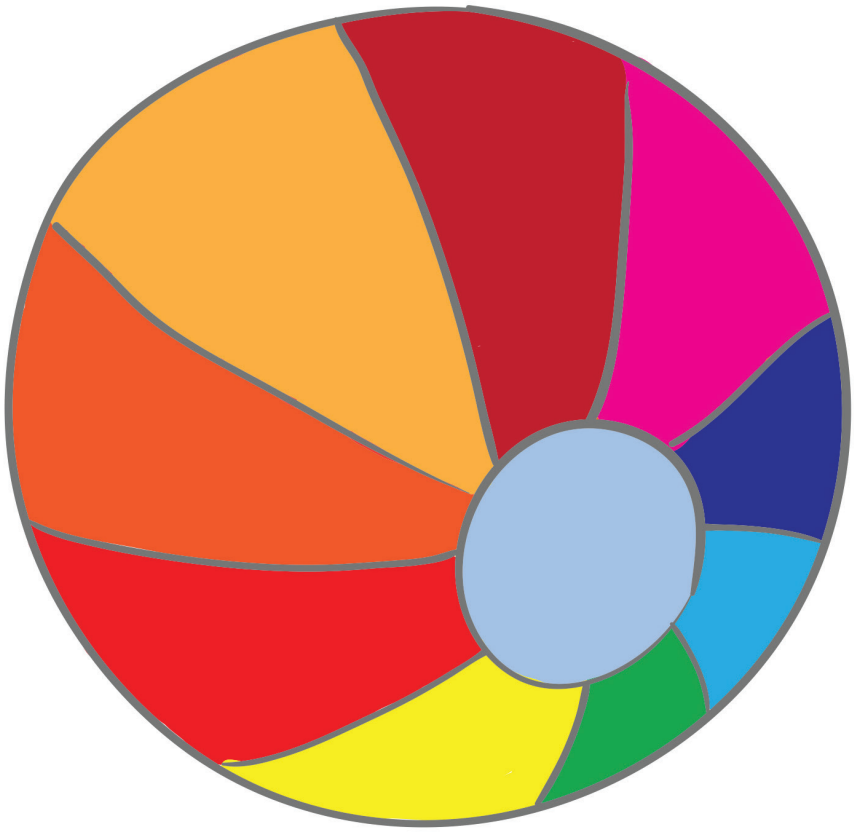

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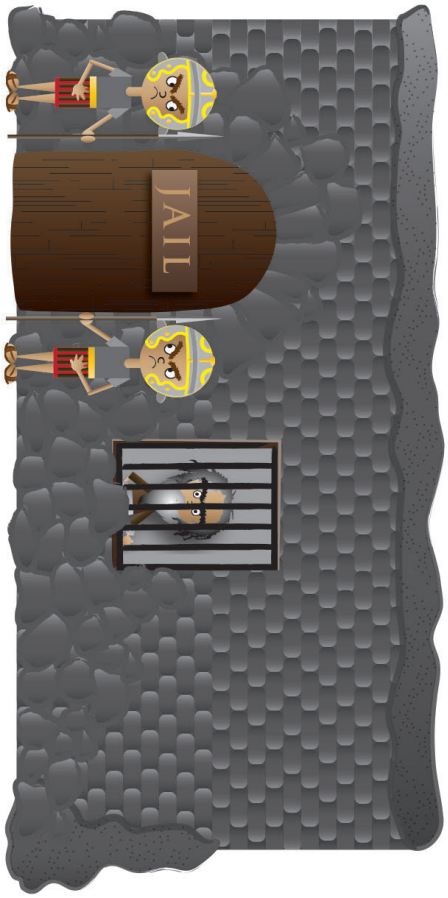

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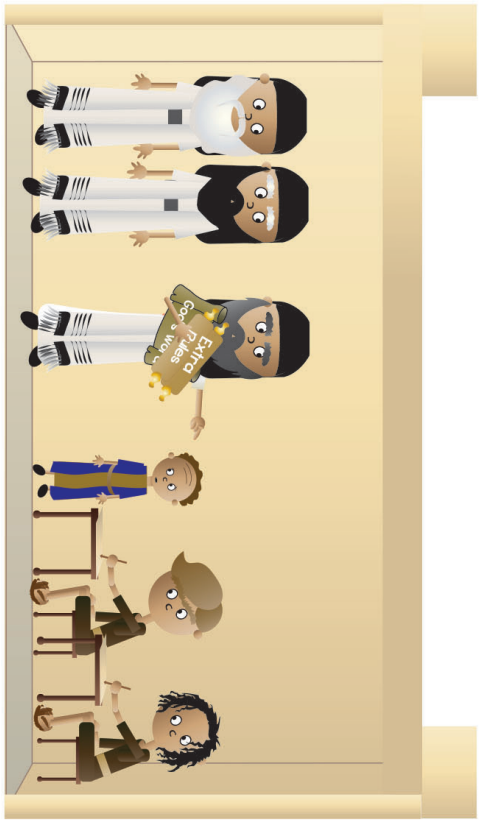

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