### Teaching Resource Items for The reMARKable Journey Begins

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The reMARKable Journey Begins—Bible Teaching Guide.

They are provided to make lesson preparation easier and faster

for handouts and similar items.

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#### **Teaching Resource Items**

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Relationship with Jesus	
1. Create a set of instructions detailing how someone without a relationship with Jesus can begin a relationship with Jesus.	
2. What specific actions will you need to take in your life to fulfill the instructions?	
2. What specific actions will you need to take in your me to furnit the instructions:	
3. Will these instructions and the actions you take point others to Jesus?	

Item 1, For Lesson 1, Discussion Plan—Steps 1 & 7, Relationship With Jesus

	Old Testament Passages Pointing to Jesus (page 1)		
	<b>Prophecies About Jesus</b>	Old Testament Scripture	New Testament Fulfillment
1	Jesus would be born of a woman.	Genesis 3:15	Matthew 1:20 Galatians 4:4
2	Jesus would be born in Bethlehem.	Micah 5:2	Matthew 2:1 Luke 2:4-6
3	Jesus would be born of a virgin.	Isaiah 7:14	Matthew 1:22-23 Luke 1:26-31
4	Jesus would come from the line of Abraham.	Genesis 12:3 Genesis 22:18	Matthew 1:1 Romans 9:5
5	Jesus would be a descendant of Isaac.	Genesis 17:19 Genesis 21:12	Luke 3:34
6	Jesus would be a descendant of Jacob.	Numbers 24:17	Matthew 1:2
7	Jesus would come from the tribe of Judah.	Genesis 49:10	Luke 3:33 Hebrews 7:14
8	Jesus would be heir to King David's throne.	2 Samuel 7:12-13 Isaiah 9:7	Luke 1:32-33 Romans 1:3
9	Jesus's throne will be anointed and eternal.	Psalm 45:6-7 Daniel 2:44	Luke 1:33 Hebrews 1:8-12
10	Jesus would be called Immanuel.	Isaiah 7:14	Matthew 1:23
11	Jesus would spend a season in Egypt.	Hosea 11:1	Matthew 2:14-15
12	A massacre of children would happen at Jesus's birthplace.	Jeremiah 31:15	Matthew 2:16-18
13	A messenger would prepare the way for Jesus.	Isaiah 40:3-5	Luke 3:3-6
14	Jesus would be rejected by His own people.	Psalm 69:8 Isaiah 53:3	John 1:11 John 7:5
15	Jesus would be a prophet.	Deuteronomy 18:15	Acts 3:20-22
16	Jesus would be preceded by Elijah.	Malachi 4:5-6	Matthew 11:13-14
17	Jesus would be declared the Son of God.	Psalm 2:7	Matthew 3:16-17
18	Jesus would be called a Nazarene.	Isaiah 11:1	Matthew 2:23
19	Jesus would bring light to Galilee.	Isaiah 9:1-2	Matthew 4:13-16
20	Jesus would speak in parables.	Psalm 78:2-4 Isaiah 6:9-10	Matthew 13:10- 15, 34-35
21	Jesus would be sent to heal the broken hearted.	Isaiah 61:1-2	Luke 4:18-19
22	Jesus would be a priest after the order of Melchizedek.	Psalm 110:4	Hebrews 5:5-6

Item 2, For Lesson 1, Discussion Plan— Step 5, Old Testament Passages Pointing to Jesus

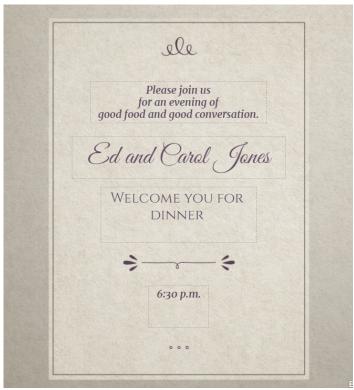
	Old Testament Passages Pointing to Jesus (page 2)		
	Prophecies About Jesus	Old Testament Scripture	New Testament Fulfillment
23	Jesus would be called King.	Psalm 2:6 Zechariah 9:9	Matthew 27:37 Mark 11:7-11
24	Jesus would be praised by little children.	Psalm 8:2	Matthew 21:16
25	Jesus would be betrayed.	Psalm 41:9 Zechariah 11:12-13	Luke 22:47-48 Matthew 26:14-16
26	Jesus' price money would be used to buy a potter's field.	Zechariah 11:12-13	Matthew 27:9-10
27	Jesus would be falsely accused.	Psalm 35:11	Mark 14:57-58
28	Jesus would be silent before His accusers.	Isaiah 53:7	Mark 15:4-5
29	Jesus would be spat upon and struck.	Isaiah 50:6	Matthew 26:67
30	Jesus would be hated without cause.	Psalm 35:19 Psalm 69:4	John 15:24-25
31	Jesus would be crucified with criminals.	Isaiah 53:12	Matthew 27:38 Mark 15:27-28
32	Jesus would be given vinegar to drink.	Psalm 69:21	Matthew 27:34 John 19:28-30
33	Jesus' hands and feet would be pierced.	Psalm 22:16 Zechariah 12:10	John 20:25-27
34	Jesus would be mocked and ridiculed.	Psalm 22:7-8	Luke 23:35
35	Soldiers would gamble for Jesus' garments.	Psalm 22:18	Luke 23:34 Matthew 27:35-36
36	Jesus' bones would not be broken.	Exodus 12:46 Psalm 34:20	John 19:33-36
37	Jesus would be forsaken by God.	Psalm 22:1	Matthew 27:46
38	Jesus would pray for his enemies.	Psalm 109:4	Luke 23:34
39	Soldiers would pierce Jesus' side.	Zechariah 12:10	John 19:34
40	Jesus would be buried with the rich.	Isaiah 53:9	Matthew 27:57-60
41	Jesus would resurrect from the dead.	Psalm 16:10 Psalm 49:15	Matthew 28:2-7 Acts 2:22-32
42	Jesus would ascend to heaven.	Psalm 24:7-10	Mark 16:19 Luke 24:51
43	Jesus would be seated at God's right hand.	Psalm 68:18 Psalm 110:1	Mark 16:19 Matthew 22:44
44	Jesus would be a sacrifice for sin.	Isaiah 53:5-12	Romans 5:6-8

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Item 2 (cont.), For Lesson 1, Discussion Plan— Step 5, Old Testament Passages Point to Jesus

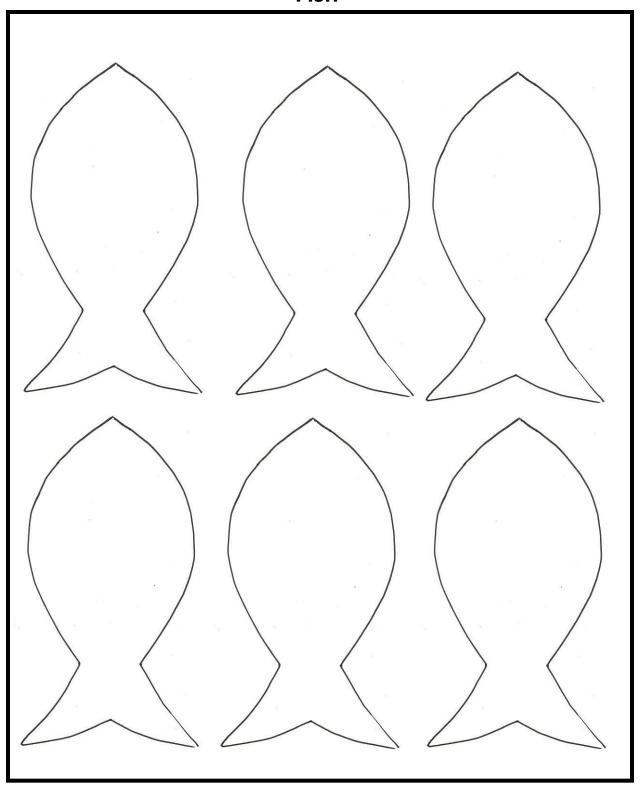
#### **Caught with Invitation**





Item 3, For Lesson Three Discovery Plan— Step 6, Caught with Invitation

#### Fish



Item 4, For Lesson 3, Discovery Plan— Step 6, Fist

#### **Prayer Life Verses**

Matthew 14:23

After he had dismissed them, he went up on a mountainside by himself to pray. Later that night, he was there alone.

Mark 6:46

After leaving them, he went up on a mountainside to pray.

Luke 5:16

But Jesus often withdrew to lonely places and prayed. NIV: New International Version.

Luke 6:12

One of those days Jesus went out to a mountainside to pray, and spent the night praying to God.

Mark 1:35

Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where he prayed.

Quotations designated (NIV) are from THE HOLY BIBLE: NEW INTERNATIONAL VERSION®.

Item 5, For Lesson 4, Discovery Plan— Step 8, Prayer Life Verses

#### **True or False**

- 1. We all seek Jesus at some point. We have a hole in our hearts that can only be filled by Him.
- 2. The encounter with the leper was somewhat of a distraction in Jesus' busy schedule.
- 3. Jesus' main role was to prepare the disciples for ministry after He was gone.
- 4. Jesus has compassion for every person and every situation.
- 5. A touch from God always leads to immediate healing.
- 6. Our faith plays a significant part of God's ability to heal.
- 7. It is necessary for the church to validate or confirm God's acts of healing.
- 8. When God heals in our lives, it is personal and not to be shared with others.

Item 6, For Lesson 5, Discovery Plan— Step 5, True or False

#### Compassion

1. What things would we consider unclean in our society?
2. What was the leper's posture in approaching Jesus? Why is that important?
3. What role did the leper's faith play in his healing?
4. What role did Jesus' compassion play in the leper's healing?
5. Is the immediacy of the leper's healing significant? How so? Were there other times when Jesus healed on a different timetable?

#### Mark 2 Passage

- 1 A few days later, when Jesus again entered Capernaum, the people heard that he had come home.
- 2 They gathered in such large numbers that there was no room left, not even outside the door, and he preached the word to them.
- 3 Some men came, bringing to him a paralyzed man, carried by four of them.
- 4 Since they could not get him to Jesus because of the crowd, they made an opening in the roof above Jesus by digging through it and then lowered the mat the man was lying on.
- 5 When Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralyzed man, "Son, your sins are forgiven."
- 6 Now some teachers of the law were sitting there, thinking to themselves,
- 7 "Why does this fellow talk like that? He's blaspheming! Who can forgive sins but God alone?"
- 8 Immediately Jesus knew in his spirit that this was what they were thinking in their hearts, and he said to them, "Why are you thinking these things?
- 9 Which is easier: to say to this paralyzed man, 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say, 'Get up, take your mat and walk'?
- 10 But I want you to know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins." So he said to the man,
- 11 "I tell you, get up, take your mat and go home."
- 12 He got up, took his mat and walked out in full view of them all. This amazed everyone and they praised God, saying, "We have never seen anything like this!"

Item 8, For Lesson 6, Discovery Plan— Step 2, Mark 2 Passage

#### **Questions**

- 1. Why do you think Jesus was so popular?
- 2. What are some characteristics of good friends, as demonstrated in this passage?
- 3. To whose faith did Jesus respond?
- 4. Do you think the paralytic had faith? Why or why not?
- 5. Why were the scribes concerned about Jesus' words? What did they accuse Him of?
- 6. What does it mean that Jesus perceived in His spirit?
- 7. How did Jesus explain His use of words in the healing?
- 8. What does this passage teach us about Jesus?

Item 9, For Lesson 6, Discussion Plan— Step 4, Questions

# **Relationship and Ritual** Ritual Group: List some of the many rituals included in the Jewish religious system. Are these rituals acceptable or not for believers of Christ? Why did Jesus and His disciples overlook some of the rituals, yet hold firmly to others?

Item 10, For Lesson 8, Discovery Plan— Step 3, Relationship and Ritual

# **Relationship With God** Relationship Group: List instances in the Bible that emphasize the importance of a relationship with God. What does the Bible say about our need for a relationship to God? How is a relationship with God more important than following religious rituals?

Item 11, For Lesson 8, Discovery Plan— Step 4, Relationship With God

#### **Wedding Feast Analogy**

1. Why would Jesus	use the analogy	of a bridegroom t	o describe a
celebration?			

- 2. What does Jesus say about being in the presence of the bridegroom?
- 3. Does Jesus seem to equate fasting with mourning in the absence of a bridegroom? If so, how?
- 4. Do you think Jesus is giving a hint in these verses of things to come? If so, how?
- 5. Does Jesus condemn fasting? Does Jesus bless fasting? Or does He simply say it is unnecessary when you are in the presence of God?

Item 12, For Lesson 8, Discussion Plan— Step 5, Wedding Feast Analogy

#### **Old and New**

<ol> <li>Jesus was doing His best to bridge the old religious system with the new He was bringing.</li> </ol>
2. When we are saved, Jesus patches up our old life.
3. The new that Jesus brings is not compatible with the old.
4. We must hold on to Old Testament religious traditions in order to appreciate what Jesus has done for us.
<ol> <li>Rituals and religious celebrations are meaningless for today's believers.</li> </ol>

Item 13, For Lesson 8, Discussion Plan— Step 7, Old and New

#### **Charades Demonstrating Rest or Relaxation**

Sunbathing	Taking a Nap
Get a Massage	Reading a Book
Watching TV or a Movie	Have a cup of tea
Go for a walk in nature	Petting a dog/cat
Talking to a friend	Playing a video game
Exercise	Doing Arts and Crafts

Taking a vacation

Item 14, For Lesson 9, Discovery Plan— Step 1, Charades Demonstrating Rest or Relaxation

#### **Strange State Laws**

From USA Today Article 10/29/2018 accessed 6/19/2020 <a href="https://www.usatoday.com/list/news/nation-now/weirdest-laws-every-state/53ad0541-3518-4432-adc4-0fec193d389e/">https://www.usatoday.com/list/news/nation-now/weirdest-laws-every-state/53ad0541-3518-4432-adc4-0fec193d389e/</a>

Skamania County, Washington, passed a law in 1969 deeming the "slaying of Bigfoot to be a felony and punishable by 5 years in prison."

In Virginia, it's illegal to "hunt or kill any wild bird or wild animal, including any nuisance species" on Sundays. However, it is permissible to kill raccoons.

In Texas, marriages by proxy are perfectly legal. In other words, if you have a legitimate reason for absence - like military service - you can send someone to get married in your place, as long as you have all the right documentation.

North Dakota holds that "no person, firm or corporation shall exterminate pigeons or other harmful wild birds without first having obtained a permit from the Fargo health department."

Until 2015, Minnesota law limited nursing homes and senior centers to just two days of bingo per week.

Louisiana law states that individuals involved in "bear wrestling matches" - defined as "a match or contest between one or more persons and a bear for the purpose of fighting or engaging in a physical altercation" - are guilty of bear wrestling.

At one point in Kansas, it was illegal in the state to top a slice of cherry pie with a scoop of ice cream.

In Gainesville, Georgia it is illegal to eat fried chicken with a fork.

In Delaware, it's illegal for a pawnbroker to "take or receive as a pledge or pawn any artificial limb or wheelchair."

In Goodyear, Arizona it's illegal to spit on a public sidewalk, crosswalk or highway or in a park or public building.

Item 15, For Lesson 9, Discussion Plan— Step 2, Strange State Laws

Using a hair tie, create a ponytail.
Make a peanut butter and jelly sandwich.
Tie shoes.
Open a bottle of water.
Lift/carry a heavy box
Hammer a nail.
Screw in a screw
Fold a sheet.
Signal Touchdown.
Hold your playing cards while playing one of them.
Give a bear hug.
Clap.
Put in an earring with a backing.

Item 16, For Lesson 10, Discovery Plan— Step 2, Difficult Things To Do With One Hand

#### **Church Rules**

Unspoken and Spoken rules about behavior on your church property (possible answers)

Don't run inside the buildings.

Leave all drinks outside the sanctuary.

Don't smoke on the property.

Don't walk in front of the pulpit during the sermon.

Don't put chewing gum in the pews or on the seats.

Leave all food outside the sanctuary.

No cursing!

Don't write in the hymnals or pew Bibles.

Don't make paper airplanes out of the bulletins and throw them during service.

Silence all cell phones.

Don't talk during the service.

Don't interrupt Sunday School with loud side conversations.

Disciples Matching Quiz		
1. Peter		a. Zealot
2. James	_	b. The Beloved Disciple
3. Andrew _		c. Has his doubts
4. John		d. fisherman
5. Philip	_	e. The Rock
6. Bartholom	ew	f. Tax Collector
7. Thomas		g. Son of Alphaeus
8. James	_	h. Thunder child
9. Thaddaeus	· <u> </u>	i. The money keeper
10. Judas	-	j. From the same town as Peter and Andrew
11. Matthew _		k. Also known as Judas son of James
12. Simon	_	l. Gospel of John refers to this disciple as Nathanael

Item 18, For Lesson 11, Discussion Plan— Step 6a, Disciples Matching Quiz

#### Disciples Matching Quiz Answer Key

1. Peter (e)	a. Zealot
2. James (h or g)	b. The Beloved Disciple
3. Andrew (d)	c. Has his doubts
4. John (b)	d. fisherman
5. Philip (j)	e. The Rock
6. Bartholomew (1)	f. Tax Collector
7. Thomas (c)	g. Son of Alphaeus
8. James (g or h)	h. Thunder child
9. Thaddaeus (k)	i. The money keeper
10. Judas (i)	j. From the same town as Peter and Andrew

Item 19, For Lesson 11, Discussion Plan— Step 6b, Disciples Matching Quiz Answer Key

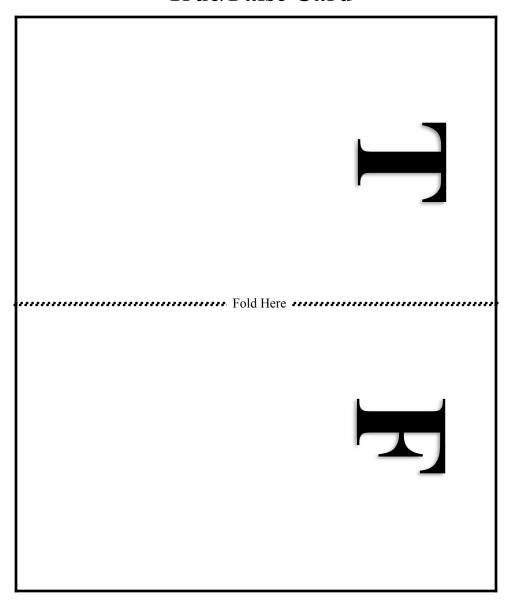
k. Also known as Judas son of James

1. Gospel of John refers to this disciple as Nathanael

11. Matthew (f)

12. Simon (a)

#### **True/False Card**



Fold card on dotted line, and tape or glue edges together to create two-sided card, which will be used for **Step 1**.

**Step 7**: Use this card for stick figures illustrating the parable in verse 27.

**Step 9**: Use this card for writing short prayer::

- Asking God to speak clearly to them each day.
- Asking God to help them discern His voice rom other voices they hear throughout the day.
- Thank Him for His daily gift of grace and mercy to you.

Item 20, For Lesson 12, Discovery Plan— Steps 1, 7, and 9, True/False Card / Parable Assignment / Prayer Reminder

### **Criticism Response Plan** Mark 3:23-26 <sup>23</sup> So Jesus called them over to him and began to speak to them in parables: "How can Satan drive out Satan? <sup>24</sup> If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. <sup>25</sup> If a house is divided against itself, that house cannot stand. <sup>26</sup> And if Satan opposes himself and is divided, he cannot stand; his end has come. 3-Point Plan Based on Scripture 1. 2. 3.

Item 21, For Lesson 12, Discussion Plan— Step 8, Criticism Response Plan

#### Who Am I?

Mother

Son

Grandpa

Husband

Daughter

Aunt

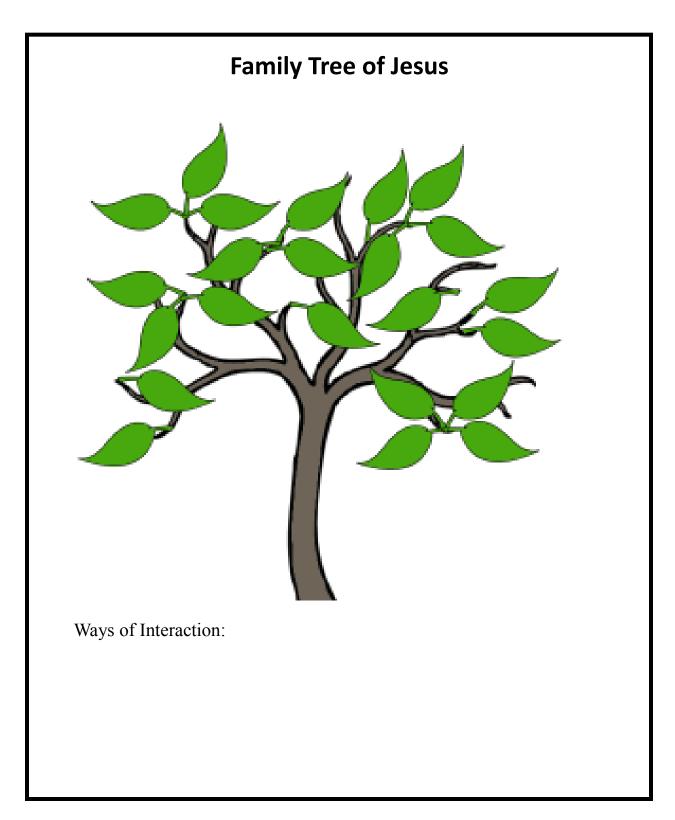
Adopted

Daddy

Sister

Brother

Item 22, For Lesson 13, Discovery Plan—Step 1, Who Am I?



Item 23, For Lesson 13, Discussion Plan— Step 4, The Family Tree of Jesus

#### **Knowing God's Will**

"How can I know I am making the right decision?" If we are in a growing relationship with God in Christ, if we are in fellowship with other believers and are humbly open to wise counsel, and if we earnestly are seeking to be obedient to God, we can depend on God to guide us (Proverbs 3:5-6). If the answer still is not clear, we step out in faith, knowing we can trust the matter to God. Sometimes, God may present us with two alternatives, either of which could be within His purpose for our lives. If we are honest, the challenge for most of us is not trying to discern God's will when it seems unclear. The real challenge is obeying the commands that clearly are God's will.

- John 3:16 (Repent of sin)
- 1 Thessalonians 5:18 (Pray and give thanks)
- 1 Thessalonians 4:3 (Abstain from evil and do good)
- Micah 6:8 (Act justly, love mercy, walk humbly)
- John 15:12-14 (Love each other the way Jesus loves us)

Item 24, For Lesson 13, Discussion Plan— Step 6, Knowing God's Will

	Gifts	
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I	${f V}$	
J	$\mathbf{W}$	
K	X	
L	$\mathbf{Y}$	
M	${f Z}$	

Item 25, For Lesson 14, Discovery Plan— Step 1, Gifts

	Nothing is Impossible With God
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	

Item 26, For Lesson 14, Discovery Plan— Step 9, Nothing is Impossible With God

With God All Things Are Possible
How God has worked in the past:
Things I'm praying about:

Item 26, For Lesson 14, Discovery Plan— Step 9, With God All Things Are Possible