



## He Has Spoken By His Son

### Scope & Sequence

*He Has Spoken By His Son* continues where *He Established a Testimony* left off to teach young children about the greatness of God through the New Testament. Children are shown the heart of God and how He speaks to people through His Son, Jesus. The 52 Old Testament story references are arranged chronologically, and key themes, which build a foundation to know and love God, are emphasized repeatedly to reinforce the concepts with children.

Teachers are provided with the Scripture reference, key themes, “Hooks” (opening illustrations), and “Looks” (application questions). Teachers develop the Bible story through studying the passage and praying over the lesson. Preparation tips and instructions are provided for teachers.

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Lesson 65: God hears Zechariah’s prayer and promises him a son Luke 1:5-25

**Zechariah and Elizabeth pleased God by trusting Him, believing His Word, and offering sacrifices.**

Foundation Verse: Luke 18:27

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Lesson 66: The coming of the Savior is announced Luke 1:26-80; Matthew 1:18-25

**Jesus Christ is God and man. Because He is God’s Son, Jesus is holy and sinless.**

Foundation Verse: John 3:16

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Lesson 67: Good news of great joy! Matthew 1:18-25; Luke 2:1-38

**God’s promises are carried out as Jesus was born, the shepherds found Jesus as the angels told them, and Simeon lived long enough to see Jesus. God’s salvation in Jesus is for all people and is the source of great joy.**

Foundation Verse: Psalm 100:1-2

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Lesson 68: Wise men worship Jesus Matthew 2

**God is sovereign and know everything, so Herod could not prevent Jesus from fulfilling God’s purposes.**

Foundation Verse: Psalm 100:3

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Lesson 69: Jesus amazes the teachers in His Father’s house Luke 2:41-52

**Jesus is God and man. He humbly submitted to His parents, but is supreme and superior to all men.**

Foundation Verse: Psalm 100:4

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Lesson 70: “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.”: *God the Father prepares the way for Jesus and shows His approval of the Son* Matthew 3

**God used John’s preaching to communicate with man. In order to be saved, man must have faith and please God.**

Foundation Verse: Psalm 100:5

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Lesson 71: “It is written.”: *Jesus defeats Satan with the Word* Matthew 4:1-11

**Satan, a liar and deceiver, fights against God and His will. As man, Jesus became hungry and was tempted, but as God he was holy and righteous—without sin.**

Foundation Verse: James 4:7-8a

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Lesson 72: Jesus chooses His disciples John 1:35-51

**Jesus, God’s promised Deliverer, chooses who follows Him.**

Foundation Verse: Review

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Lesson 73: Jesus works His first miracle: *Water into Wine* John 2:1-11  
**God is all-powerful and can do anything. Jesus is God.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 74: Zeal for His Father's house: *Jesus cleanses the temple* John 2:13-22  
**God hates sin and punishes it because He is holy.**

Foundation Verse: Proverbs 3:11

Lesson 75: Jesus takes away sickness and disease: *Jesus heals a leper, a servant, and a mother-in-law*  
**In God's mercy, love, power, and authority, Jesus healed the sick and cast out demons.** Matthew 8:1-17

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 76: "Your sins are forgiven.": *Jesus heals the body and soul* Mark 2:1-12  
**As highest authority, Jesus can forgive sin.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 77: Jesus calms the storm with a word Mark 4:35-41  
**Jesus was man and slept. God is all-powerful and can command the wind and sea.**

Foundation Verse: 1 Peter 5:7

Lesson 78: Jesus shows His power to heal: *Jesus heals a little girl and a woman* Mark 5:21-43  
**God has the power to heal disease and is stronger than death. God knows everything.**

Foundation Verse: Philippians 4:11b

Lesson 79: Jesus, the Bread of Life, provides bread for five thousand Mark 6:34-44; John 6:1-14; 22-35  
**God's provision is satisfying and abundant. Jesus is more important than bread, He gives eternal, spiritual life.**

Foundation Verse: Proverbs 29:11

Lesson 80: The Son of God walks on water Matthew 14:22-33  
**Man must have faith in order to please God. Jesus has authority over all and the power to walk on water.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 81: Jesus, Son of the Living God: *God reveals Jesus' identity to Simon Peter; Jesus is transfigured* Luke 9:28-36; Matthew 16:13-20; 17:1-8

**Jesus looked like an ordinary man but was still God.**

Foundation Verse: Deuteronomy 6:5

Lesson 82: Love God and love your neighbor: *Jesus tells a story about a good Samaritan* Luke 10:25-37  
**God want your whole being (heart, soul, and mind) to be devoted. Those who love God will love their neighbor.**

Foundation Verse: Leviticus 19:18b

Lesson 83: The Light of the World gives light to blind eyes: *Jesus heals a man blind from birth* John 9  
**God had the sovereignty and power to give sight to the blind. The faith of the blind man pleased God.**

Foundation Verse: Philippians 2:3

Lesson 84: Jesus receives little children Mark 10:13-16

**God's kingdom is for the childlike—characterized by trust, openness, receptivity, and humility.**

Foundation Verse: Philippians 2:4

Lesson 85: Jesus seeks the lost: *Jesus tells stories about lost sheep and lost coins* Luke 15:1-10

**Jesus pursues those who belong to Him and will go to great lengths to rescue them.**

Foundation Verse: Proverbs 17:17

Lesson 86: A faithful father welcomes back his lost son: *Jesus tells a story about a lost son*

**God forgives sin and welcomes those who repent. God loves us as a father loves his son.**

Luke 15:11-32

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 87: Jesus is glorified in the raising of Lazarus John 11:1-44

**God is sovereign and is the highest authority—He can even use sickness and death for His glory.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 88: Jesus has mercy on blind Bartimaeus Luke 18:35-43; Mark 10:46-52

**Jesus' miracles bring glory to God. He is all-powerful, and nothing is too hard for Him.**

Foundation Verse: 1 Corinthians 13:4

Lesson 89: Jesus comes to seek and to save Zaccheus Luke 19:1-10

**An encounter with Jesus brings about recognition of sinfulness and causes the ungodly to pursue righteousness.**

Foundation Verse: 1 Corinthians 13:5

Lesson 90: "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord!":

*Jesus rides triumphantly into Jerusalem*

Mark 11:1-10; Luke 19:28-44

**Jesus is worthy of praise from all creation. God knows about everything, and it all happens as God says it will.**

Foundation Verse: 1 Corinthians 13:6

Lesson 91: Jesus is worthy to be anointed with costly perfume John 12:1-8; Mark 14:3-9

**Jesus, who is God, is more valuable than anything else in the whole world, including costly perfume.**

Foundation Verse: 1 Corinthians 13:7

Lesson 92: Jesus observes the Passover with His disciples Luke 22:7-34; John 13

**Jesus came to serve us, and happiness comes from serving others. God's prophecies are fulfilled as He promised.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 93: "Not what I will, but what You will." Matthew 26:36-56; Mark 14:32-50; John 18:1-11

**Jesus submitted to the Father perfectly and suffered for sinners.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 94: Peter denies Jesus Matthew 26:69-75; Luke 22:54-62

**Because we are sinful, we need a Savior. Jesus knew beforehand that Jesus would deny Him.**

Foundation Verse: 1 Peter 5:8

## Lesson 95: "Let Him be crucified!"

Mark 15:1-15; Matthew 27:11-26

**Man is sinful—The crowd wanted Jesus to be killed even though it is wrong to kill an innocent man.**

Foundation Verse: Romans 3:23

## Lesson 96: "King of the Jews"

Matthew 27:27-44; Mark 15:16-32; Luke 23:26-38; John 19:1-22

**Jesus is the King of both the Jews and the whole world. Jesus suffered greatly as sinful men crucified Him.**

Foundation Verse: Review

## Lesson 97: Jesus' last words

Luke 23:39-49; John 19:23-30; Mark 15:33-41; Matthew 27:45-56

**Jesus is God's promised Deliverer, and His death has supreme significance—He accomplished what He came to do.**

Foundation Verse: Philippians 4:13

## Lesson 98: Jesus' friends bury Him

Matthew 27:57-66; Luke 23:50-56; John 19:38-42

**Jesus was killed and buried—He was truly dead. Jesus' enemies are God's enemies and fight against His purposes.**

Foundation Verse: Romans 6:23

## Lesson 99: "He has risen, as He said."

John 20:1-18; Matthew 28:1-15

**Jesus is more powerful than death and it could not defeat Him. Jesus rose from the dead—this is good news.**

Foundation Verse: Psalm 118:24

## Lesson 100: Jesus appears on the road to Emmaus

Luke 24:13-35

**Not believing that Jesus died and rose again is foolish. The Holy Spirit can open peoples eyes to see Jesus.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 101: "Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed.": *Jesus appears to Thomas***Jesus desires people to believe in Him without doubting and will bless them.**

John 20:24-29

Foundation Verse: Philippians 2:14

## Lesson 102: Part 1: Jesus appears by the sea; Part 2: Jesus goes to heaven

**Jesus provides for His followers beyond what they expect.**

John 21:1-14; Luke 24:50-53; Acts 1:1-11

Foundation Verse: Proverbs 16:24

## Lesson 103: Power from on high

Acts 2

**The Holy Spirit gives believers power to live and speak for God, His Word, and His truth. Knowing Jesus and believing in Him brings about a genuine change in what people believe and what they do.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 104: "We cannot but speak of what we have seen and heard.": *The Holy Spirit gives healing, power, and boldness to Peter and John*

Acts 3-4:31

**The miraculous work of the Holy Spirit causes people to praise God. The power to heal comes from God, not people.**

Foundation Verse: Luke 6:38

## Lesson 105: God punishes two who lied to Him

Acts 4:32-5:11

**Man cannot love money and trust God at the same time. Because God is holy and righteous, He publishes sin.**

Foundation Verse: Hebrews 13:5

Lesson 106: "We must obey God rather than men." Acts 5:12-42

**Obeying God is of supreme importance. The Holy Spirit gives boldness to believers to speak about Jesus.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 107: "Do not hold this sin against them." Acts 6-7

**In his natural state man is sinful and he resists God's Holy Spirit repeatedly. Even religious people are prone to sin.**

Foundation Verse: James 1:19b

Lesson 108: God's gifts cannot be bought with money Acts 8:2-24

**The Holy Spirit can give power to heal the lame and paralyzed and deliver from demons. These gifts cannot be bought.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 109: God sends Philip to guide an Ethiopian Acts 8:26-40

**God's salvation in Jesus is for all peoples in all nations. Those who believe should be baptized.**

Foundation Verse: Psalm 119:10

Lesson 110: Jesus speaks to Saul Acts 9:1-9

**Saul, even though he was religious, resisted God, but Jesus pursues those who belong to Him.**

Foundation Verse: Psalm 119:11

Lesson 111: Saul, a chosen instrument of God Acts 9:10-19a

**Jesus is all-powerful and causes the ungodly to pursue God. He chooses people to be His instruments.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 112: Paul preaches boldly in the name of the Lord Acts 9:19b-31

**The Holy Spirit gives boldness to those who believe in Jesus, as well as comfort, encouragement, and help.**

Foundation Verse: Ephesians 6:10

Lesson 113: God hears Cornelius' prayers Acts 10

**God hears us when we pray and He alone is to be worshipped.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 114: The Lord sends an angel to rescue Peter Acts 12:1-19

**All circumstances bring God glory through different ways. Believing in Jesus does not mean believers will not suffer.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 115: God saves a jailer Acts 16:16-34

**The only way to be saved from God's wrath is by believing in the Lord Jesus. Belief in God brings great joy.**

Foundation Verse: Review

Lesson 116: "The dwelling place of God is with man...Come, Lord Jesus!" Revelation 21-22

**God will make a new heaven and earth. Those whose names are written in the Lamb's book of life will be in heaven.**

Foundation Verse: Review