



Timothy Learns about Jesus

This story is based on Acts 16:1-5; 2 Timothy 1:3-6; 3:14-15.

Long ago a boy named Timothy lived with his mother and grandmother. Timothy's mother and grandmother took good care of him. They made clothes for him to wear and gave him food to eat. But most important, they told Timothy about God's Word.

Every day Mother and Grandmother would hold him on their laps and tell him how God loves each one of us. Every day they taught Timothy songs to

praise God.

As a little boy Timothy loved God. And as a grown-up man he loved God. One day a preacher named Paul came to town. He asked Timothy to come and help him tell people about Jesus.

Timothy wanted to tell others about Jesus. So he and Paul traveled from place to place. And Timothy taught others about God's Word, just as his mother and grandmother had taught him!

Family Time



Spend time one-on-one with your preschooler or include your entire family in these activities that help you revisit the Bible lesson for this week.

Creative Corner

Draw gingerbread figures to represent your family, and let your child color them. Suggest that your child give his picture to a family member who tells him about Jesus.

Snuggle Me

Look through a family photo album. Point out people who helped you learn about Jesus. Let your child point out people that help him learn about Jesus.

On the Go

As your child sings songs about Jesus, prays with adults, or listens to Bible stories this week, help him name some of the people who tell him about Jesus every day. Talk about ways other family members who don't live near you, help your child learn about Jesus. For example, they may receive a Bible storybook from a grandparent who lives far away.

Bible Time

Use these Bible activities during family devotions or special Bible times you have with your preschooler.



In God's Book

Read the Bible story. Have your preschooler act out the parts of Timothy as a young boy listening to Bible stories and as a grown man telling people about Jesus.

Let's Pray

As you look at family pictures hanging on your wall or in a photo album, thank God for each person that teaches your family about Jesus.

LESSON FOCUS:

We can learn about Jesus from our families.

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE:

Let us do good to all people.
Galatians 6:10

