

Children's Meeting – PreK & K – Lesson 20

Title – Fruits

Main Burden – God is the Creator; He designed and created everything. God designed different kinds of fruit trees. Fruits are good for food. We enjoy all the different kinds of fruit.

I Introduction

1. Welcome the children, check any new ones or visitors, and learn their names.
2. Make sure the children know the teachers' names.

II Notebook & Memory Verse

1. Ask the children who can say their memory verse from last week.
2. Allow those who know the verse to say it one by one.
3. Put sticker on their lesson next to the memory verse.

III Review previous lessons

1. God is the Creator.
2. God created all things.
3. On the first day, God created light.
4. On the second day, God created the sky.
5. On the third day, God made dry land appear.
6. On the dry land, there grew many different kinds of plants.
7. There are some very tall trees, and there are some shorter trees.
8. God also designed very beautiful flowers. They have different colors and different shapes.

IV Lesson

1. Today we are going to talk some more about plants and trees.
2. Some trees have pretty flowers.
3. Some trees have big leaves.
4. Some trees have nuts, and some trees have cones.
5. Have you ever sat under the tree on a very hot day?
6. Yes, trees also give us shade. It is so much fun to have a picnic outside under the trees.
7. Some trees give us yummy fruit.
8. What is your favorite fruit? (Let the children respond...)
9. Apples and oranges grow on trees. Apples on an apple tree. Oranges on an orange tree.
10. What about watermelon? Can they grow on a tree?
11. Watermelons are too big to grow on a tree. They grow on the ground. The watermelon plants have long vine that grow on top of the ground.
12. Some fruit grow as bushes, like the berries.

13. Fruit trees need light and water to grow.
14. Remember God created light and water so the fruit trees can grow.
15. Different fruit trees also grow in different parts of the world because some fruit trees need a lot of the hot sun, and some need to grow in places with lots of rain.
16. Do you see fruit trees in your neighborhood?
17. No, but we get to eat different kinds of fruit. Your parents buy different kinds of fruit from the store that come from different part of the world.
18. God loves us. He gives us all these different kinds of fruit to enjoy.

Activity:

Make a fruit salad in class and let the children watch how you cut up the fruits and each one tastes a small portion of the fruit salad. (If weather and time allow, go outside and sit under a tree to enjoy the fruit salad.)

V Give each child his/her lesson sheet.

Read the lines on the lesson with the children, and have them repeat after you.
You may want to repeat each line at least twice.

VI Memory Verse: (Say it to the children and then have them repeat with you several times)

“... the trees of the field will yield their fruit.” Lev 26:4

VII Song (These are suggested songs, you may sing other songs that the children like.)

Isn't He Wonderful

Praise Him

VIII Coloring Page

Today we are going to color this page (show the children the coloring page) showing an apple tree.

IX Craft – Make a Fruit Mobile.

X Preparation –

Read and pray over Genesis 1:9-13

Make copies of the lesson and the coloring page for the children.

Make copies of the fruit page on white heavy weight construction paper or white card stock.

For the Activity, you will need:

A large bowl, a knife, a serving spoon, 3 or 4 kinds of fruit of your choice (ones that are easier to cut into small pieces), small paper plates and forks for the children.

For the craft, you will need:

Copies of the fruit page for each child.

Markers or crayons, Scissors, Yarn and Tape

Lesson 20

GOD'S CREATION - FRUIT

God is the Creator.

God gathered the waters

And let the dry land appear.

Grass, trees and flowers grew on the land.

Trees of the field give us fruit.



Bible Verse:

The trees of the field will yield their fruit.

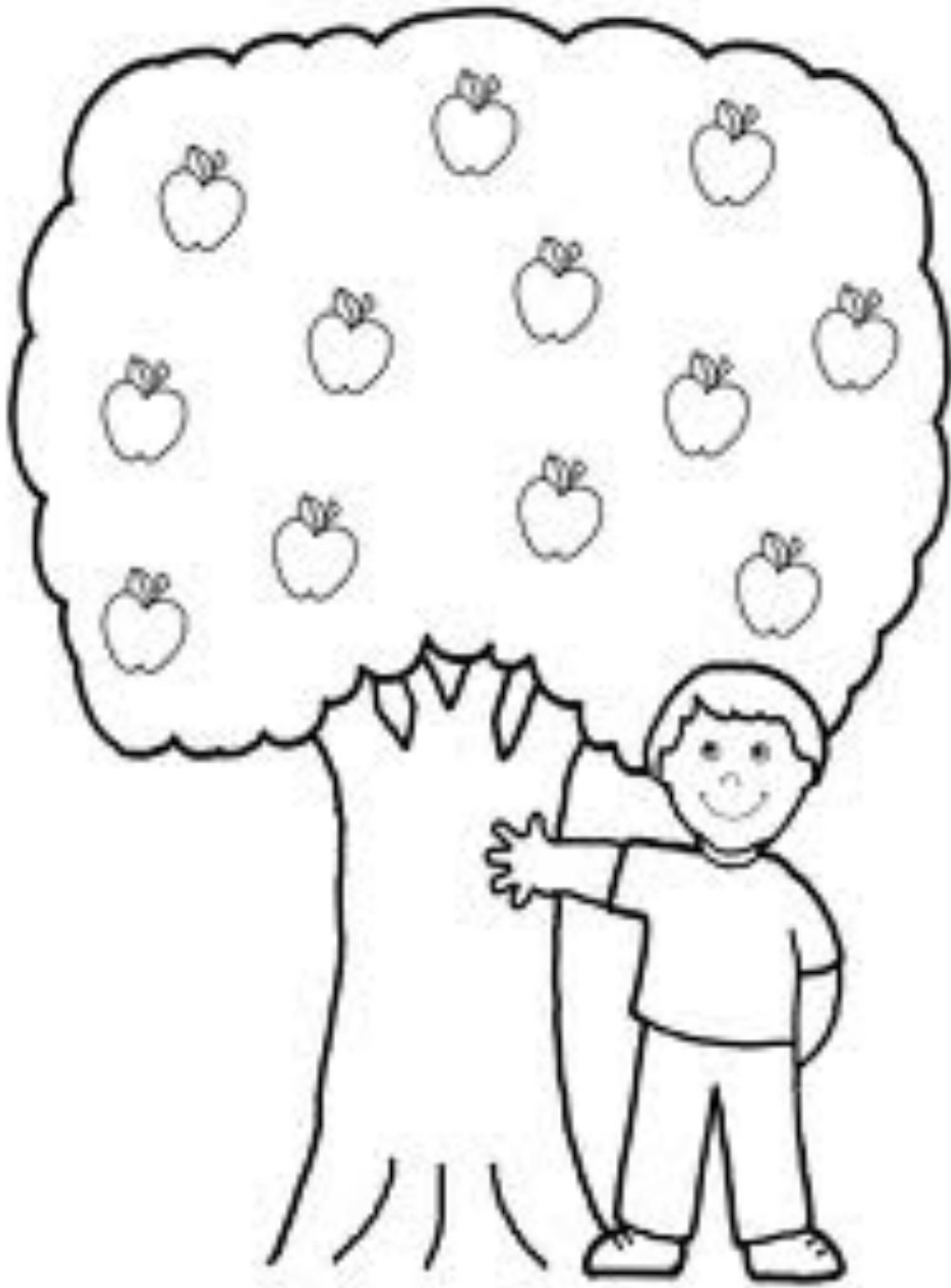
Leviticus 26:4



**Isn't He Wonderful
Isn't He Wonderful
Isn't Jesus My Lord Wonderful
Eyes Have Seen
Ears Have Heard
Is Recorded In God's Word
Isn't Jesus My Lord Wonderful**

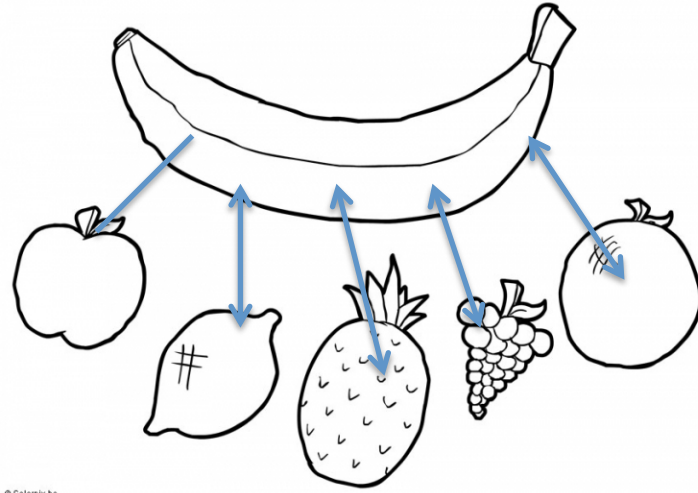
**Praise Him, Praise Him,
All Ye Little Children,
God Is Love, God Is Love,
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God Is Love, God Is Love.**

THE TREES OF THE FIELD
WILL YIELD THEIR FRUIT
LEV 26:4



Craft

Fruit Mobile



1. Copy the page of the fruit on heavy white construction paper or white cardstock.
2. Give each child a sheet.
3. Let the children color the fruits.
4. Teachers may have to help the children cut out the fruits.
5. Teachers help connect the fruits to the banana with tape and pieces of yarn.

