

FEAR GO - "NO FEAR HERE"

LESSON OVERVIEW

Revelation: No Fear Here

Bible Lesson: Acts 16

Heart: When we stand in faith and lift the name of God up over fear and choose to say, "No fear here," God's dunamis power is at work so that others can be saved **Memory Verse:** "For God did not give us a spirit of fear, but of power, love, and a sound mind." -2 Timothy 1:7

GAME

- Musical Chairs
- 4-Corners
- Playground

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- Page Team Lead for all communication of needs (supplies, parent assistance, medical, restroom breaks)
- NEVER leave the classroom without paging Team Lead
- NEVER be alone with a child this includes one on one conversations
- NO pictures or video recording is allowed in the classroom
- Every child and serve team member MUST wear their name tag

RULES

- Respect

DECLARATION

"I am a child of God, full of His Holy Spirit. I am learning His ways. I am made to encounter and connect with Him daily. I am walking in His favor and carrying His presence wherever I go."

CONNECT WITH GOD FOCUS

- Solitude



REVELATION

SAY | We're continuing our series called Fear Go. Everyone DECLARE "FEAR GO" All month we have discovered that fear is a demonic spirit that we have the power and authority to command it to go in the name of Jesus. The Holy Spirit is the spirit of Father God that empowers us to do what He asks us to do, in and through His DUNAMIS power.

Over the past three weeks we have unpacked 3 revelations, I am going to pick 3 different leaders to tell me one of the past revelations.

(Fear vs. Holy Spirit, Kick Out Fear, Stand for God. Give hints as needed, help with recall, and do not open the door to embarrassment.)

When we partner with Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit kicks out fear and empowers us to stand for God. Romans 8:31 says, if God is for us, who can be against us? When we believe by faith that God is for us, it's impossible for us to be in the presence of fear.

Our revelation today is NO FEAR HERE.

Let's pray, Holy Spirit, we welcome you here, we don't make room for you, but we give you the entire room. We ask you to teach us your ways so that we may know you and find your favor. Speak Lord, your servants are listening. Amen.

BIBLE LESSON

TEACHER PROMPT | If you memorize this story and this lesson, it will help you teach it in excellence and allow Holy Spirit to speak to you and through you.

BIBLE LESSON INTRO | Our Bible lesson today is found in Acts 16

Today we will discover how Paul and Silas were bold, full of faith, and shared about Jesus with everyone they saw. It wasn't always easy for them because just like today, there were people who didn't love God the way they did and did not believe in Jesus.

Paul and Silas were being followed for days by a slave girl who had an evil spirit who would follow them around and cry out "These men are servants of the Most



High God! They are telling you how you can be saved!" (pause) You may be thinking 'that is all true' and you are correct, what she was saying was true, but the spirit she was operating in was not the Holy Spirit. There is a warning at the very beginning of this story and that is; just because someone is speaking the truth, it does not mean that they are followers of God.

Jesus said in Matthew 7:15-16 ""Be careful of false prophets. They come to you and look gentle like sheep. But they are really dangerous like wolves. You will know these people because of the things they do. Good things don't come from bad people, just as grapes don't come from thornbushes."

Paul and Silas recognized that this slave girl was not walking with Holy Spirit and was being used for "fortune-telling", or false prophecy, by her owners. After many days, this bothered Paul, so he turned and said to the spirit, "By the power of Jesus Christ, I command you to come out of her!"

Immediately, the spirit came out. Her owners were not happy with this because they could not use her anymore, so they took Paul and Silas and had them beaten and thrown in jail. Even when they were in scary places, like jail, they trusted in God, and said no to the voice of fear. Say "No Fear Here".

While Paul and Silas were in jail, praying in worshiping God. Suddenly there was a great earthquake, and all of the doors of the jail broke open and all of the prisoners' chains were off. Freedom was in the room and because of this freedom the jail guard and his whole family came to know Jesus and they got baptized immediately that night.

Paul and Silas choose to worship and praise, even in jail, but not only did they get set free from jail, but the guard and his whole family came to know Jesus! How amazing! When we choose a life of NO FEAR HERE, not only do we get free, but the DUNAMIS POWER of God is able to work through us and bring others to freedom!

Our revelation today is, No Fear Here!

TEACHER PROMPT | Ask Holy Spirit what He wants to do in this next moment. This can look something like inviting children to ask Holy Spirit to show them if they



have been allowing fear to hold them back from doing what Jesus asked them to do. Or if in moments of persecution they have partnered with fear instead of joy, take a moment to repent and active joy and worship!

SALVATION + DISCUSSION

TEACHER PROMPT | This invitation to an eternity with Jesus is huge! Be sensitive to what Holy Spirit wants to do in this time. Ask Him to think through your thoughts and speak through your mouth!

SAY | God loves YOU so much that He gave his only Son that anyone who believes, in Jesus, might be saved and have everlasting life, John 3:16. God wants to be close to you. He has taken every step to be close to you. If you have never accepted Jesus into your heart, you can today! (You can invite children to raise hands, come forward, etc. have everyone repeat prayer together)

PRAYER | Father God you are Holy. Holy Spirit, we thank you for all that you teach us and that we get to know you Jesus, we thank you for laying down your life so that we can be close to you. Jesus, would you forgive us from our sins. Would you come live in our heart forever. Amen.

CELEBRATION | At TLC one of our values is Celebration. If you made this amazing decision to give your life to Jesus today, please stand up so we can CELEBRATE YOU! Let's Celebrate our friends who gave their life to Jesus today! WOOHOO!!

NOTE | List names of any child that received Jesus today on the Feedback Sheet

ASK | Encourage children to participate by answering the below questions:

- + What did Holy Spirit highlight to you in this story today?
- + How do you think you would react in this situation if you were there?
- + What is our memory verse?
- + What was our revelation?



+ What was our Bible Lesson about?

BENEDICTION PRAYER

"Teach us your ways that we may know you and find your favor." – Exodus 33:13

BIBLE TRIVIA

1. What are the three "omni" words we have been learning about and what do they mean?

(God is everywhere always, omnipresent. God is all knowing, omniscient. God is all powerful, omnipotent)

2. What was our memory verse?

(For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power, of love, and a sound mind. 2 Tim. 1:7)

3. What was our revelation?

(No Fear Here)

4. What was our Bible Story about?

(Anything pertaining to the Bible story is accepted)

5. Last week learned about Daniel, Shadrack, Meshack, and Abednego. How did they stand for God?

(Either is acceptable, Daniel prayed even when King Darius made a law not too. Shad/Mes/Abe did not bow to the statue.)

6. Last week we learned, when you stand for God, God is _____?

(with you.)

7. What was the waring at the beginning of todays lesson?

(Just because someone is speaking the truth, it does **not** mean that they are followers of God.)



SALVATIONS

TEACHER PROMPT Fill in the blank with the number of salvations:
FEEDBACK
Any feedback for the curriculum or classroom can be submitted on this page. Your name and classroom name:
Feedback:
CELEBRATIONS
In a value of celebration, list any teacher or child wins such as salvation stories, teacher celebrations, anyone walking in the values, etc. Celebrations: