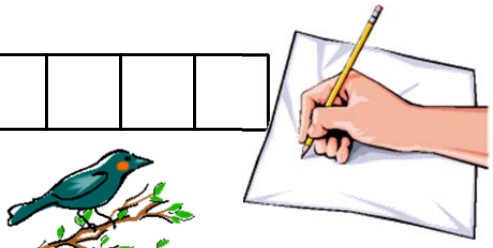
Lesson 08 - A Sign of Royalty

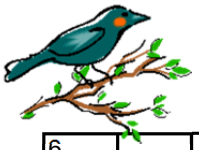
Year C – 1st Quarter

Power Point

As sons & daughters of God, we can choose to love everyone.

Can't find an answer? Check your Guide or quarterly!





Power Text

But love your enemies, do good to them, & lend to them without expecting to get anything back. Then your reward will be great, & you will be children of the Most High, because he is kind to the ungrateful & wicked.
Luke 6:35

FTWTF means:
Find The Word That Fits

Across

1. As usual, some Roman soldiers stood on the edges of the crowd. A few Jewish priests listened too. Jesus talked about various blessings & woes. Then He started on a slightly different subject.
3. [Thursday's lesson] Read Romans 12:14-21. Talk with an adult about what it means to "heap burning coals" on someone's head, as it states in verse 20.
4. He could see a few evil grins, many on Roman faces. He could see some scowls, many on priests' faces. He saw mixed expressions from the multitude.
5. FTWTF - Power Text
6. [Friday's lesson] Read Matthew 5:43-48. In your Bible study journal, write a letter to God about what you learned from this lesson & these verses in particular.
8. He shared with them the secrets of experiencing real happiness: "Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you."
9. FTWTF - Power Point
11. "Serving God," Jesus explained, "means being willing to be to others the way God is to us. Loving our enemies means we will always act in other people's best interest even if they are determined to hurt us. We will pray for them.

Down

1. Jesus & the 12 disciples went down to join them, & Jesus began to talk. Everyone listened with attention. Jesus' words were so simple, yet their message was deep & meaningful.
2. As usual, some Roman soldiers stood on the edges of the crowd. A few Jewish priests listened too. Jesus talked about various blessings & woes. Then He started on a slightly different subject.
6. "And that is exactly the point," Jesus smiled, knowing that once again a young person would probably understand before the adults. "It can be done only as we accept that love from God ourselves, & then turn & reflect it on to those around us-regardless of who they are.
7. FTWTF - Title
10. Jesus smiled at him. "Doesn't God send the sun & the rain on the obedient & the disobedient? Can't they all hear the birds sing on a beautiful spring morning?" "Yes," the boy responded thoughtfully.

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