

Gift Exchange

LESSON 13



Your Response to the Lesson

A hand holding a small card with a drawing and text. The card features a colorful illustration of a person in a boat, possibly a fisherman, and some handwritten text. The background is a soft-focus image of a person in a light blue shirt and tie.

What was most interesting in the Bible story?

What activity was most enjoyable?

What new things did you learn?

Activity A

Surprise Gifts


What do you like about surprise gifts?

Do you like making gifts for others?

With what gift can you surprise someone today?

Activity B

Well-planned Gifts

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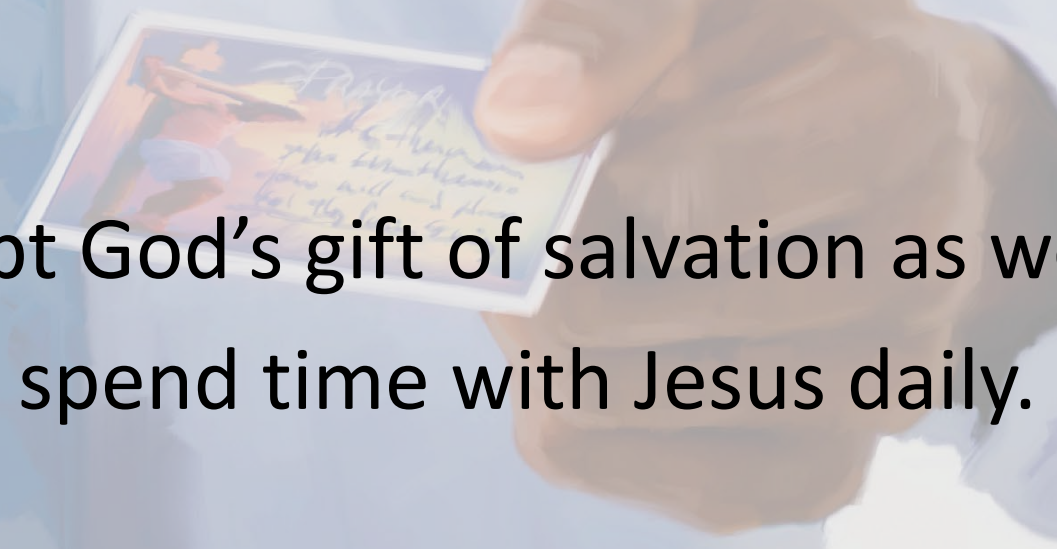
What is great about carefully planned gifts?
Who really deserves to receive the most well-planned gift from us?
How can you plan to share the best gift of all?

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PRAYER AND PRAISE

How Was Your Week?

Good things?
Challenges?
Special events?



Songs

“Into My Heart” (*He Is Our Song*, no. 152)

“Jesus Loves Me” (*He Is Our Song*, no. 63)

“Father, I Adore You” (*He Is Our Song*, no. 32)

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THIRTEENTH SABBATH PROJECTS

- A multipurpose retreat building in Moldova
- A Mentoring Through Sports program in Tajikistan
- A multipurpose sports complex in Kyrgyzstan
- An outreach center in Russia
- An outreach center of influence in Russia
- Children's Project: Children's Preschool Center in Kazakhstan

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PRAYER AND PRAISE

Prayer Time

Praise God for His provisions.

Pray over the prayer requests.

Thank God for answering the prayers according to His will, for He knows what is best for us.

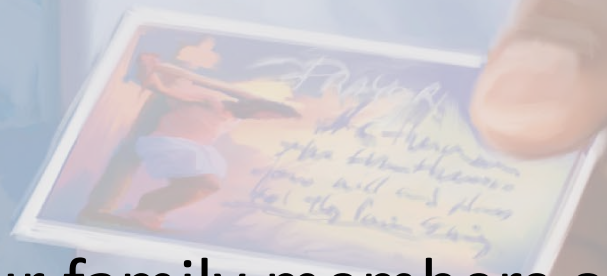
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INTRODUCTION TO THE STORY

Helping Hand



Who among your family members or friends needs a helping hand?

Who can help them with their situation?

How can you lend a helping hand?


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The Story

A hand holding a small photograph of a person in a blue shirt. The photograph is held in the center of the frame, and the hand is positioned as if presenting it. The background is a blurred, light blue and white, suggesting a person in a blue shirt and tie.

You may listen to a podcast recording of the story:
www.juniorpowerpoints.org

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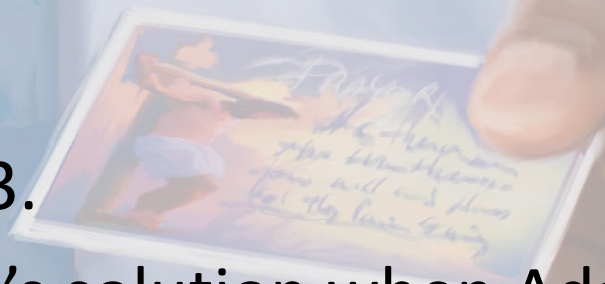
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EXPERIENCE THE STORY

God's Gift

Read Genesis 3.

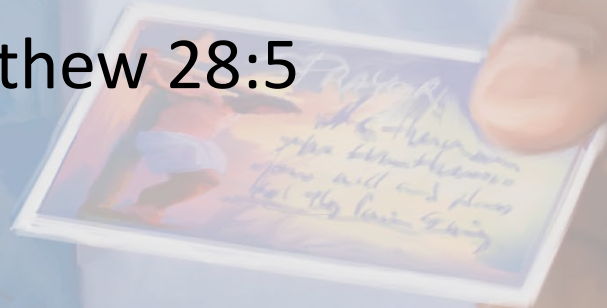
What was God's solution when Adam and Eve sinned?
In what ways can you show your gratitude for what God has done to save you?



Birth and Death

What are the similarities between Jesus' birth and death.

- Luke 2:3, 7; John 12:12
- Luke 2:7; Matthew 26:18
- Luke 2:4, 5; Luke 23:50-53
- Luke 2:10; Matthew 28:5



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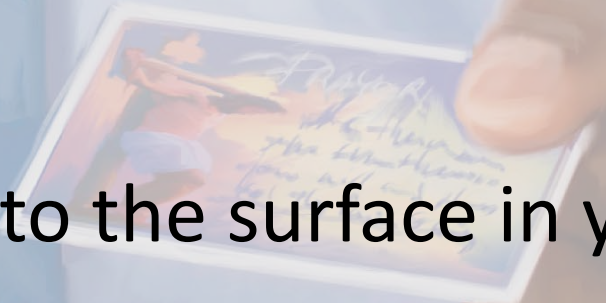
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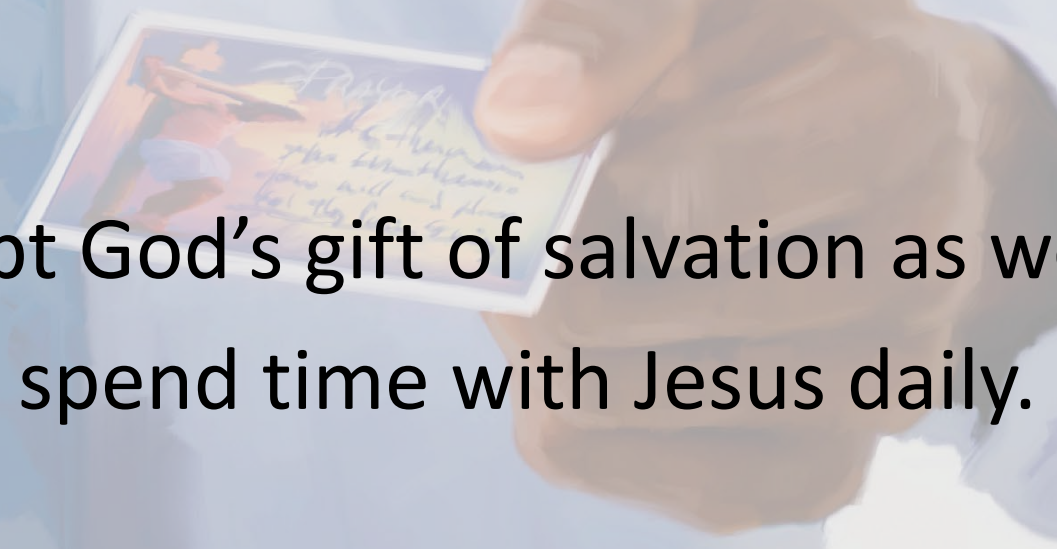
APPLY THE LESSON

My Gift

- What comes to the surface in your life?
- What are the values that you care to share?
- Who is Jesus for you?



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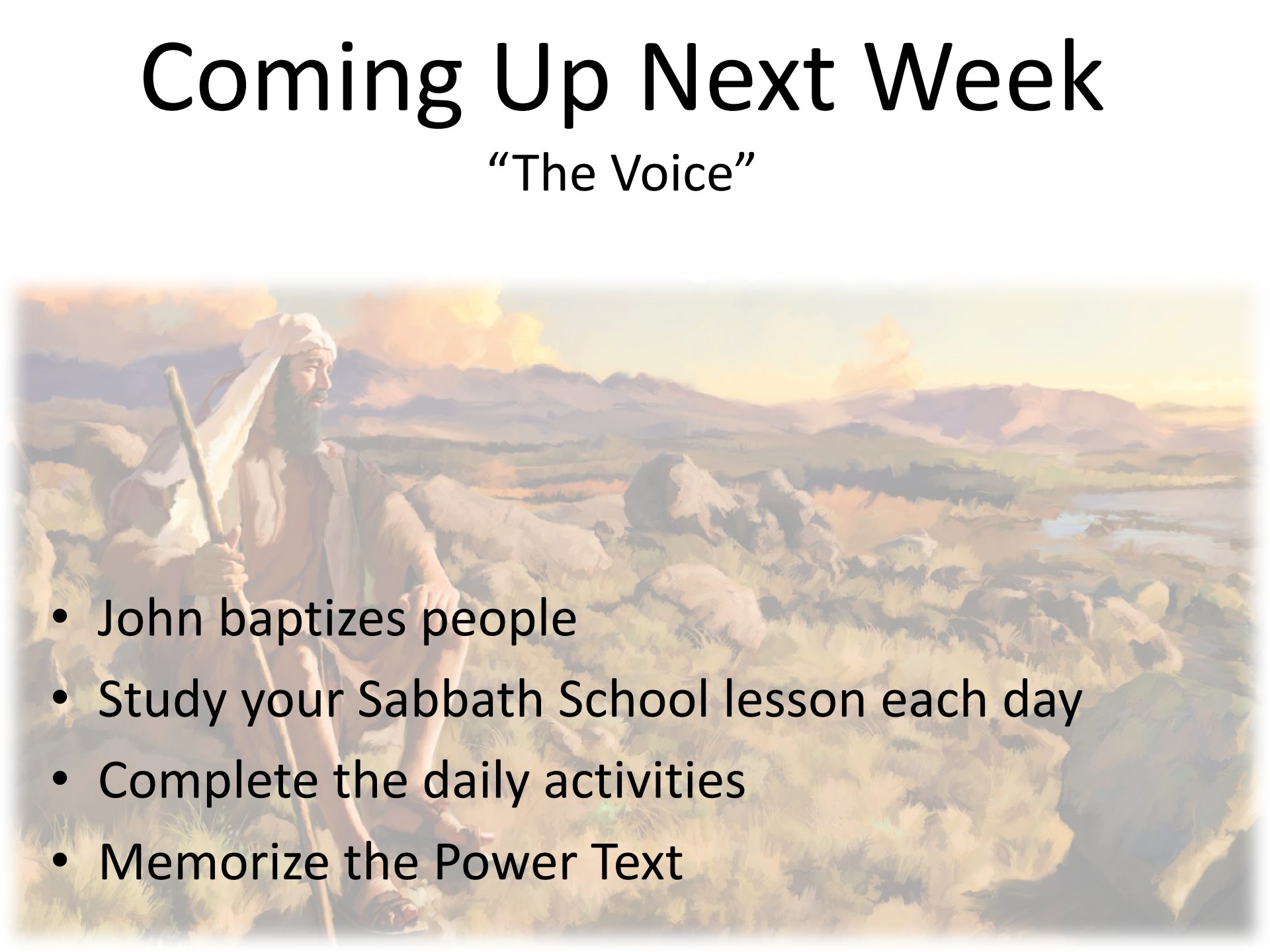
Share the Prayer

- Did you think of what plan God has for your life?
- How can we discover God's plan for our lives?



Coming Up Next Week

“The Voice”

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- John baptizes people
 - Study your Sabbath School lesson each day
 - Complete the daily activities
 - Memorize the Power Text

Closing Prayer

*Dear Heavenly Father,
Today take me as totally Yours. I give You all my
plans. Use me to serve others. Stay with me and
show me how to do everything in Your power.
Amen.*