From Prophet to Prisoner

LESSON 3
Your Response to the Lesson

What was most interesting in the Bible story?
What activity was most enjoyable?
What new things did you learn?
Activity A

Believe It or Not

• What helps you trust someone?
• What needs to happen for you to stop doubting?
Activity B

It’s Reflexive

• How has God provided for your needs?
• How will knowing that God responds spontaneously to our needs change how you approach Him?
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(Matthew 11:10).
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How Was Your Week?

Good things?
Challenges?
Special events?
PRAYER AND PRAISE

Songs

“In His Time” (He Is Our Song, no. 93)
“He’s Able” (He Is Our Song, no. 100)
“Think About His Love” (He Is Our Song, no. 40)
Adrian Cotterell
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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Do you doubt when things are hard?
What can you do when you begin to doubt?
How can you make your faith stronger?
INTRODUCTION TO THE STORY

The Story

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

Miracles

• What emotions do you think John felt sitting in prison?
• What was John’s doubt concerning Jesus?
• How did Jesus help to erase John’s doubts?
EXPLORE THE BIBLE

Jesus’ Solution

• How did Jesus deal with the doubts of His disciples? Read Mathew 14:25-31; John 20:26-29; Luke 24:36-44.

• What happens when we continue to doubt? Read James 1:6-8.

• What can happen when we get rid of our doubts? Read Matthew 21:21, 22; Mark 11:23, 24.
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APPLY THE LESSON

Dealing With Doubt

• What doubts do people your age have?
• What do you normally do when you experience doubts?
• How can you turn your doubts around in the coming week?
We can come to God with our doubts, and He will understand and answer.
• What is the difference between doubting and asking questions for the purpose of learning and understanding?
• What good might come from your questions?
Coming Up Next Week

“Clearheaded or Beheaded”

• We worship God when we are clearheaded.
• Study your Sabbath School lesson each day
• Complete the daily activities
• Memorize the Power Text
Closing Prayer

Dear Jesus,
Help us to always trust You. When bad things happen, help us not to doubt. Thank You so much for helping us rest in Your love for us.
Amen.