

OCTOBER 11, 2020 JESUS WAS QUESTIONED

BIBLE PASSAGE: Matthew 22; Mark 12; Luke 20

STORY POINT:

Jesus died to rescue us.

KEY PASSAGE: Philippians 2:8

CHRIST CONNECTION:

Jesus spoke with wisdom that comes from God.

BABIES

BABY GOSPEL GEMS

Share these truths with your baby throughout the week!

- · Some teachers tried to trick Jesus.
- · Jesus answered with wisdom.
- Jesus told the people that He is the Messiah, the Son of God.

BABY ACTIVITIES

COIN SLOT

Wrap lids from wide-mouth jars in gold tape. Cut into a shoebox lid to make slits large enough for the "coins" to slip through. Reinforce the slits with colorful duct tape. Put the lid on the shoebox. Guide your baby to put the coins in the slits. Talk about the story.

SAY: Some teachers tried to trick Jesus. They wanted to know if they should pay money to Caesar. Jesus answered with wisdom. Jesus spoke with wisdom that comes from God. **JESUS DIED TO RESCUE US.**

SING A BIBLE STORY

Sing to the tune of "Head, Shoulders, Knees, and Toes":

"Love the Lord with all your heart, soul, and mind! [Repeat.] Then love others just like you love yourself. Love the Lord with all your heart soul. and mind!"

SAY: Some teachers tried to trick Jesus, but Jesus spoke with wisdom that comes from God. **JESUS DIED TO RESCUE US.**

TODDLERS

BIBLE STORY FOR TODDLERS

Share this story with your toddler throughout the week!

Some of the teachers wanted to trick Jesus to get Him in trouble. First they asked, "Teacher, should we pay taxes to Caesar?" Jesus asked the men whose picture was on the coin. It was Caesar's! "Give Caesar what belongs to him," Jesus said. Then they asked, "What is the most important of God's rules to obey?" Jesus said, "Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, and mind. Then love others as yourself." Jesus asked them a question. He said, "Whose Son is the Messiah?" The teachers said, "David's son." Jesus asked, "Why did David call the Messiah 'Lord' if He was his son?" After that, they did not want to ask Jesus any more questions.

TODDLER ACTIVITIES

COIN RUBBINGS

Tape real coins or play coins to the table. Show toddlers how to hold their paper over the coins and use the side of an unwrapped crayon to rub over the coin. Repeat as time allows. Write the Christ connection on each child's art. Retell the Bible story.

SAY: Some teachers tried to trick Jesus. They asked Him if they should pay taxes to Caesar. Jesus answered with wisdom. [Hold up a coin.] Since they used Caesar's money, they needed to pay Caesar's taxes. Jesus spoke with wisdom that comes from God, and JESUS DIED TO RESCUE US.

ASK SILLY OUESTIONS

Ask silly questions that a toddler could answer yes or no, such as "Do you have six legs? Do you like to wiggle? Can you touch the ceiling?" Encourage them to giggle at the silly questions. Then retell the Bible story.

SAY: People asked Jesus questions, but some teachers tried to trick Jesus. Jesus answered with wisdom. Jesus told the people that He is the Messiah, the Son of God. **JESUS DIED TO RESCUE US.**