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GOD CALLS YOU TO BE A MISSIONARY BIBLE 108

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Missionaries are people who tell others (John 3:16):

"... God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

When you tell others about Jesus, you are obeying God's command (Matthew 28:19):

"Go ye therefore, and teach all nations ..."

Objectives

Read these objectives. They will tell what you will be able to do when you have finished this LIFEPAC[®].

- 1. I can tell about missionaries in the Bible.
- 2. I can tell about different kinds of missionaries today.
- 3. I can tell ways that I can be a missionary.

1. MISSIONARIES IN THE BIBLE

The Bible tells about God's people. God's people love and obey Him. They share God's love with other people. These stories tell about a woman, a martyr, and about God's greatest missionary.



| Woman at the well





| Stephen



Memory verse

"Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature." (Mark 16:15)



Write your memory verse in your writing tablet.



Say your memory verse to your teacher.



Circle the answer.

Missionaries share God's love with other people. yes / no

Children ___

__ be missionaries.

can / can't

The Woman at the Well

(John 4:6-42)

Jesus and His disciples had walked a long way. Jesus stopped at a well to rest. His disciples went to buy food.

A woman came to the well. Jesus asked her for a drink.



Jesus and the woman talked together. He told her all about her life. Jesus told her He was the Savior of the world.

The woman believed Jesus's words. She went back into the town. She told the people about Jesus. Many people from the town came to listen to Jesus. They believed in Jesus, too.





Circle the right answer.

Jesus talked to a woman about her life.	yes	no
Jesus told her He was the Savior.	yes	no
She told other people about Jesus.	yes	no

Stephen, God's Martyr (Acts 6-8)

Stephen was a man of God. Stephen believed in Jesus. Stephen told others about Jesus. Stephen worked miracles.

Some men did not like what Stephen said.

They spoke against him.

They had people lie about him.



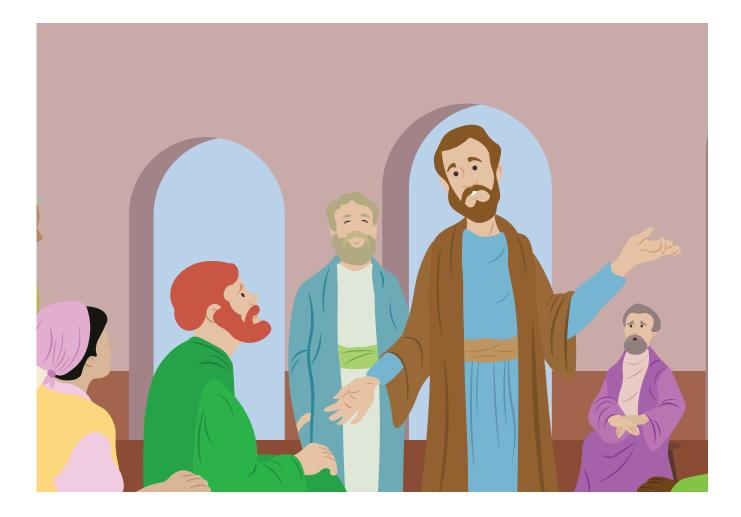
Finally, they decided that Stephen must die. They killed Stephen with stones because he believed in Jesus and told others about Him. Stephen forgave the men who killed him. Stephen was the first martyr. A martyr dies for his faith.



Write the word.
Stephen was a (martyr / faith)
Stephen told others about (Jesus / Paul)
Stephen worked (days / miracles)

Paul, God's Servant

A servant is a person who works for someone else. Missionaries are God's servants. They obey God's command to tell the world about Jesus. Paul was God's greatest missionary. God tells us many things about Paul in the Bible. We know that Paul went to many cities and countries.



Everywhere Paul went, he told people about God's love. He told them that Jesus died on the cross for their sins. This news made many people sad. Then Paul would tell them that Jesus rose again on the third day. Because Jesus rose again, Christians will go to heaven. They will live with Jesus in heaven forever. This news made the people happy again.

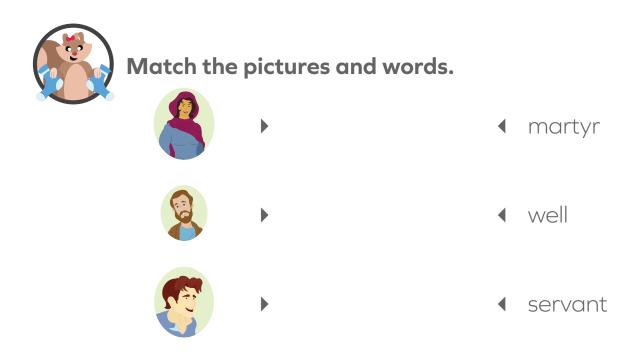
Many people believed in Jesus because Paul obeyed God. Every day, Paul asked God for help to do this important job.

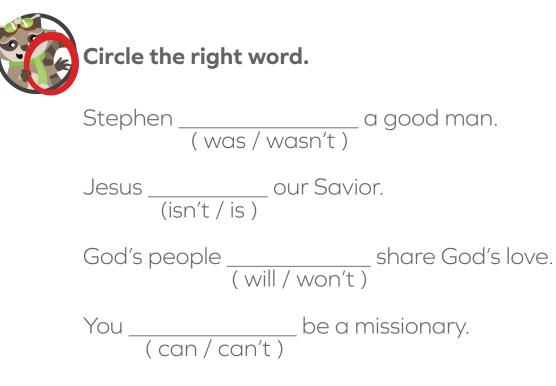
God wants you to be a missionary, too. He promises to help you, just like He helped Paul.





Discuss everything Paul told people about God's love.







Before you take the Self Test, study what you have read and done. The Self Test will check what you remember.

SELF TEST 1

Each answer = 1 point

Circle the right answer.

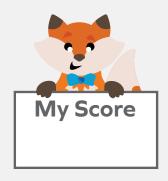
Who was a martyrî	?	
a woman	Stephen	
Who was God's greatest missionary?		
Paul	a woman	
Who met the Savior at a well?		
Paul	a woman	
Who is our Savior?		
Jesus	Paul	

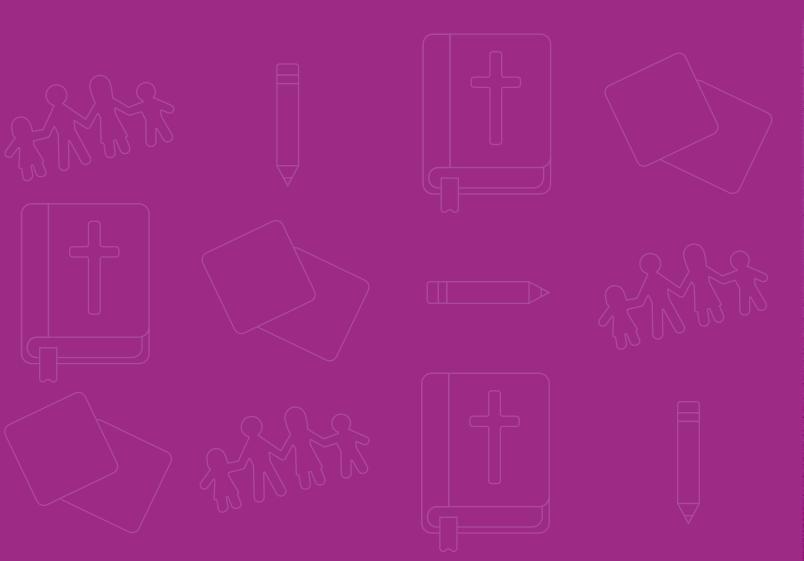
Circle yes or no.

You can be a missionary.	yes	no
Paul was the first martyr.	yes	no

Say your memory verse.









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