

# Rescue

Luke 24:1-34 | The Rescue

**Big Idea**

Jesus rescued us.

**Conversation Starters:**

Get ideas flowing by sharing some of your own ideas too!

Use these questions to get your kids thinking about the Big Idea.

- Ask: Which jobs involve people rescuing others? (e.g., firefighter, paramedic, lifeguard, ski patrol, forest ranger)
- What do they rescue people from?

Follow this up with a game of “the floor is lava” while adding in a rescue mission element. Place a stuffed animal on one side of the room, and try to rescue it from the lava that is creeping in. But remember, the floor is lava!

**Video:**

Watch this week’s video.

**Discuss:**

After the video take time to talk about it together.

- Can you recap the God Story in less than one minute? What happened and why?
- What happened in the Life Story?
- How do these two stories (the God Story and the Life Story) connect?
- Why is today’s story about Jesus the most important in all of God’s big story?
- What does it mean for you?
- Take time to pray together and give thanks to Jesus for this.

**Jesus is My Rescuer Sign**

Supplies:

- Markers
- White cardstock (or white construction paper)
- Wall-safe tape
- Hole punch
- Twine

Prep: Have supplies ready.

- Encourage your child to use the wall-safe tape to create a large cross on the page.
- Then, invite them to colour the rest of the page with as bright of colours they can find.
- When they are finished colouring, help them peel off the tape and see the cross that shows.
- If they would like, your child can write on the cross. (E.g., Jesus is my rescuer. Or, Jesus loves you.)
- Next, help them punch two holes near the top of the sign.
- Use the twine to affix the sign to a doorknob or hang somewhere in your home.
- (Sample on next page)



## Additional Activities

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### Key Verse Activity

Supplies:

- Key Verse Sign

- As a family, create your own actions for the Key Verse. Use the Key Verse sign to get your started, and then try to do the verse without help!
- Be sure to discuss what the Key Verse means:

What does "Because of what the Son has done, we have been set free" mean? What has the Son done? What have we been "set free" from?