

WHO IS JESUS?



Leader's Guide

Overview

This week's topic will focus on the person of Jesus Christ. You will learn the good news of why Jesus came to the earth and why he is the Savior of the world. Once again, the gospel will be clearly presented, giving you another opportunity to help them come into a saving relationship with Jesus Christ!

Suggested Format (90 minute meeting)

- 15 minutes – Greet & Treat. Welcome people. Have sticky nametags for each person.
- 30 minutes – Intro & Video. Introduce the topic, hand out blanks and show the video.
- 35 minutes – Discussion. Lead the group through an honest discussion using questions below.
- 10 minutes – Prayer. Ask for prayer requests, and have several people pray.

Weekly Reminders

- Pray! Pray for each person by name and ask God to speak to their hearts!
- At the end of the meeting, remind people of who is on for treats the next week and what your topic will be.
- Pray at the end. Make sure to end ON TIME (You can always tell people they can stay – but give those who need to leave the option as soon as the class time expires).

Specific Session Tips

- Keep in mind the group is still pretty new, so give people time to get to know one another.
- Don't answer every question, draw people out.
- Don't assume everyone in your group is a Christian – some may think they are, but they are not.
- Some in your group may get convicted during this message about their need to get saved. Be prepared to help those searching.
- Possibly have gospel tracts, or other resources ("Case For Christ", "More Than a Carpenter", Diagram DVDs, etc.) available for seekers.

Possible Discussion Questions

1. If you could ask Jesus one question, what would it be?
2. What do you think makes Jesus unique among other world religious leaders?
3. Which character quality of Jesus is most meaningful to you personally? Why?
4. Which character quality of Jesus surprised you or confused you the most today? Why?
5. Have you ever come to God, humbly acknowledging your sin before him, and asked him to save you? (Have everyone answer either: **Yes, No, still searching** or **not a clue** ;-)
6. Let's talk about the "Judge Illustration." What makes this story so powerful? What moved you when you heard it?
7. Open it up for additional questions (Remember – don't feel like you need to answer them all. Get other's opinions)