

UNIT 3

SESSION 1

Paul and Barnabas Became Missionaries

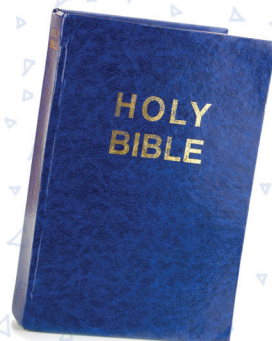
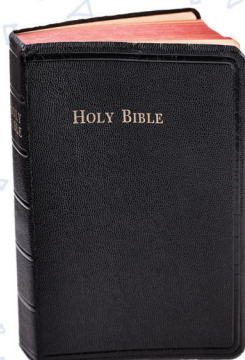
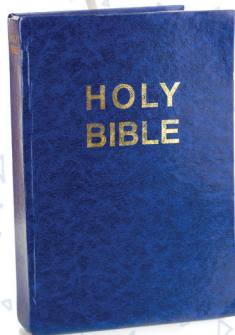
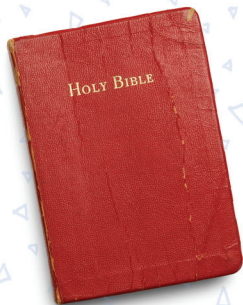
What Do Missionaries Do?

Missionaries have an important job to do. They tell the good news about Jesus. They teach from the Bible. Look at these pictures. Find the Bible that does not have a match.

UNIT VERSE

Go and tell the good news about Jesus.

— MARK 16:15

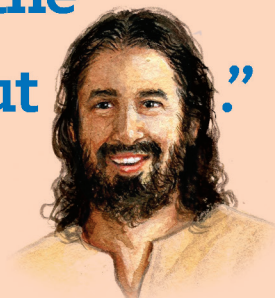


Read the Verse

The Bible tells missionaries and us what to do. Say this verse.



“GO and TELL the good news about Jesus.”
Mark 16:15



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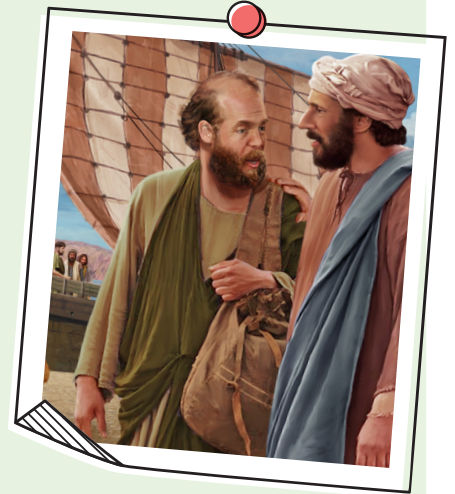
CONVERSATION

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BASED ON ACTS 13

WEEKLY VERSE: God chose Paul and Barnabas to do His work. *Acts 13:2*

LIFE POINT: Missionaries go and tell people about Jesus.



THE BIBLE MEETS LIFE

Parents, today your child learned that missionaries go and tell people about Jesus. Paul and Barnabas were set apart by God to spread the gospel to the people in Asia and Europe.

LIVE IT OUT

Look for some simple books about missionaries to read with your preschooler. Explain that missionaries have different kinds of jobs but the main thing they do is tell people about Jesus.

LEVEL OF BIBLICAL LEARNING

Missionaries are people who tell other people about God and Jesus.

DAILY BIBLE READING

Sunday: Acts 13:2

Monday: Mark 6:7

Tuesday: 1 Corinthians 9:14

Wednesday: Romans 10:15

Thursday: Matthew 24:14

Friday: 1 Corinthians 6:19

Saturday: Acts 4:19-20

Paul and Barnabas were teachers in the church at Antioch. God wanted them to go to many places and tell people about Jesus. The men in the church prayed for Paul and Barnabas before they left. The church sent them out as missionaries.

Paul and Barnabas sailed to an island called Cyprus. They taught about Jesus in the synagogues (churches). The synagogue was a place where people went to pray and learn about God.

Then they sailed from the island and went to many other places. Everywhere they went, they told the people about God and that Jesus was God's Son. Many people wanted to hear more about Jesus.

In one town, Paul taught about Jesus in the synagogue. The people asked Paul and Barnabas to come the next week and teach them more about Jesus. A large crowd came to hear Paul. Some of the people believed Jesus was God's Son; other people did not believe.

Paul and Barnabas continued to be missionaries and tell people about Jesus in many different places.

TAKE IT FURTHER: Check out the *Paul and Barnabas Became Missionaries* section of the Bible Studies for Life: Kids Family App.

