



Bible Object Lesson



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Making Jesus Christ known, one story at a time.



A NOTE TO CHRISTIAN EDUCATORS:

Thank you for downloading this Bible Object Lesson.

This first page contains different sections to help you when planning for your class, for example, Home-school, Sunday School, Bible Study, Bible Club, Mission class, etc.

We suggest that you print pages 2 - 6 and distribute them to your students.



TOPIC:

God provides all that we need.



OBJECT:

Bread



What to do:

1. Ask each student to mention their favorite meal.
2. Ask a question: Do you know how to make your favorite meal?



Read the Bible References: The Bible references can be read by different children if possible. Or the teacher can read them.



Goals of Lesson:

1. To explain that God, our Creator, gives us all that we need.
2. To encourage children to trust God for whatever they need, to recognize God's provisions and be grateful for them.



Lesson Takeaway:

God is our Provider. He gives us all that we need.



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Topic:
GOD PROVIDES ALL THAT
WE NEED.



Bible References:
Exodus 16:12 – 16;
Luke 12:22 – 32.



Notes

In our study today, the word “bread” refers to food. We will be discussing other things God provides for us apart from food.

First, let us explain that God is our Creator and He provides all that we need. “Know that the LORD, He is God; it is He who has made us, and not we ourselves; we are His people and the sheep of His pasture (Psalm 100:3).

From Genesis 1:28 – 30, we understand that even before God created Adam, the first man, He had already provided what Adam would eat. “The LORD God planted a garden eastward in Eden, and there He put the man whom He had formed” (Genesis 2:8).

God had also provided the work Adam would do. “Then the LORD God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to tend and keep it” (Genesis 2:15).



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Even after Adam and Eve disobeyed God, He made clothes for them when they found out that they were naked (Genesis 3:21).

God knows what we need at every stage of our lives – from when we were just a tiny little baby till when we grow old. He knows how best to provide for our needs.

Let us see the different ways God provided for people in the bible.

In Genesis 21:14 – 19, we read of how God provided water for Hagar and his son, Ishmael when they were in the wilderness. They were thirsty and it appeared they would die of thirst, but God led them to a well of water.

In 1 Kings 17:1 – 6, there was a drought, that is, no rain. God led Elijah to a brook where he got water to drink, and God also sent ravens to give him food to eat.

In Exodus 16:12 – 16, we read of how God fed the children of Israel in the wilderness where there was no food or water. He gave them water from a rock and manna from heaven.

In Genesis 41:25 – 36, through the wisdom God gave Joseph to interpret Pharaoh's dreams, God provided for the nation of Egypt during a long period of famine.

In Luke 9:12 – 17, we read of how Jesus provided food for a crowd of more than 5000 people who were hungry after a long day of listening to Jesus' teachings.

In John 2:1 – 11, there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee. Jesus and His disciples were there. The wine they were drinking finished, and Jesus provided more wine for them.



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God provided more than food and drink. Other provisions include the following: rest (Matthew 11:28 – 30; direction (Isaiah 30:21); victory and grace to overcome temptation (1 Corinthians 10:13); comfort when we are hurting (Psalm 34:17 – 20); peace (Philippians 4:7).

Now, let us see how God provides for our needs today.

Look around you and think of what you have – whether in your house, school, church, or other places you visit. Do you know that everything you have is only possible because of God? Yes, God is indeed the One who provides all that we need.

It is easy to see God's provisions in our lives when we think of what we have.

- You slept last night and woke up this morning. God gave you a good night's sleep and kept you alive till the morning – everyday of your life (Psalm 3:5).
- You have wonderful Sunday school teachers at church who teach you about God (Ephesians 4:11 – 12).
- God provides food for you to eat, and water to drink (Matthew 6: 25 – 26).
- God provides clothes for us to put on (Matthew 6:25).
- God keeps you healthy and heals you when you are sick. You have a sound mind (Exodus 15:26; 2 Timothy 1:7).

And much more!

When next you are worried about something you need, you can remember the following verses:

i. Philippians 4:19 – And my God shall supply all your need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus.

ii. Psalm 34:10 – The young lions lack and suffer hunger; but those who seek the LORD shall not lack any good thing.



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iii. Matthew 6:26 – Look at the birds of the air, for they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns; yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they?

iv. 2 Peter 1:3 – As His divine power has given to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of Him who called us by glory and virtue.

In Matthew 5:45, we understand that God provides for everyone – whether they believe in Him or not. He provides for everyone because He made us all. Rather than choose to not believe in God, it is better to believe in Him. He is your Father and wants you to be in a sweet relationship with Him.

The ultimate provision God gave us was to send His Son, Jesus to die on the cross so that we can be free from our sins (John 3:16 – 17). That is why Jesus is referred to as “the bread of life” (see John 6:35). We can eat and drink but will still get hungry. When we accept Jesus as our Saviour, we will always be satisfied.

God has not changed. He is still the same yesterday, today and forever (Hebrews 13:8). He provided for the people we read about in the bible; He will provide all that you need.



Memorize: Psalm 23:1 - The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.



Questions: i. Mention three times God provided for people in the bible.
ii. Mention five ways God provides for you today.



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Reminder: God is our Provider. He gives us all that we need.



Say and repeat: God will provide all that I need. I will not worry but will trust in God.



Let us pray: Dear God, thank you for always thinking of me and providing all that I need. Please help me to continue to trust you every day and not to worry. I ask these in Jesus' name, amen!



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