

Children who not only know how to read but also enjoy reading are

usually hooked on books at an early age. If they have grown up with someone who reads to them, they are usually exposed to good books around the house.

The most important book your child will ever read is the Bible. It is vital that your child regularly observes you reading the Bible. Spend time reading the Bible to your child and discussing its truths. Model the importance of reading God's Word.



## Acts 5:42

Find this verse in a family Bible. Divide the verse into short phrases. Then build on the phrases until everyone

in the family can say the entire Bible verse.

This week, help your child remember:

We learn about Jesus from the Bible.



**Story Time.** Gather as a family to share your favorite Bible stories. Encourage creativity as each person shares what story means most to him. (Ideas: dress up as one of the Bible characters, use props, act out the story) Listen intently as each person tells his chosen Bible story. Ask why that particular story is a favorite story from the Bible.

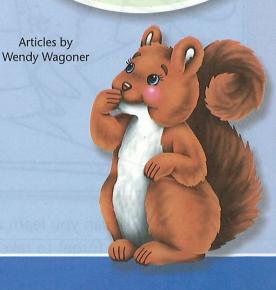


Use these thoughts at mealtimes, bedtimes, or other times when you pray with your child this week.

God, thank You for Philip, who told the man the good news about Jesus!

I am thankful for the Bible.

Thank You, God, for people who teach me about the Bible.



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## A Read-to-Me Bible Story

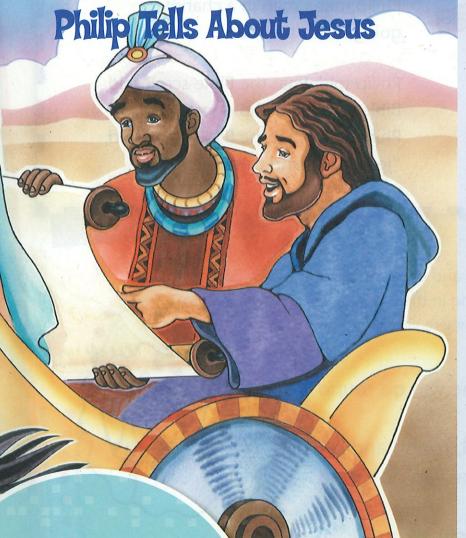
from Acts 8:26-40

One day an angel of the Lord told Philip, a worker for God, to go to a special road.

Philip saw a man from the country of Ethiopia riding in a chariot. The man was reading a Bible-scroll, but he did not understand what he was reading.

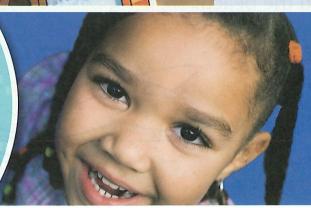
Philip got into the chariot with the man. He told the man the good news about Jesus. When they reached a place where there was water, Philip baptized the man.

The man was happy Philip had helped him read the Bible-scroll and learn about Jesus.



What was the man who was riding in a chariot reading?

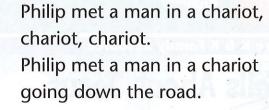
How did Philip help this man?

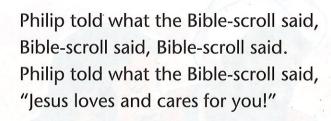


## Traveling Song

(Tune: "Wheels on the Bus")



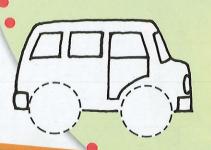




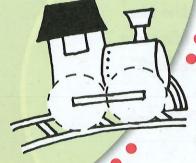
Trace the circles and color the pictures below. Sing the song again, filling in the name of your favorite way to take a trip and where you like to go.

The wheels on the <u>van</u> go round and round, round and round, round and round. The wheels on the <u>van</u> go round and round, going to the <u>beach</u>.



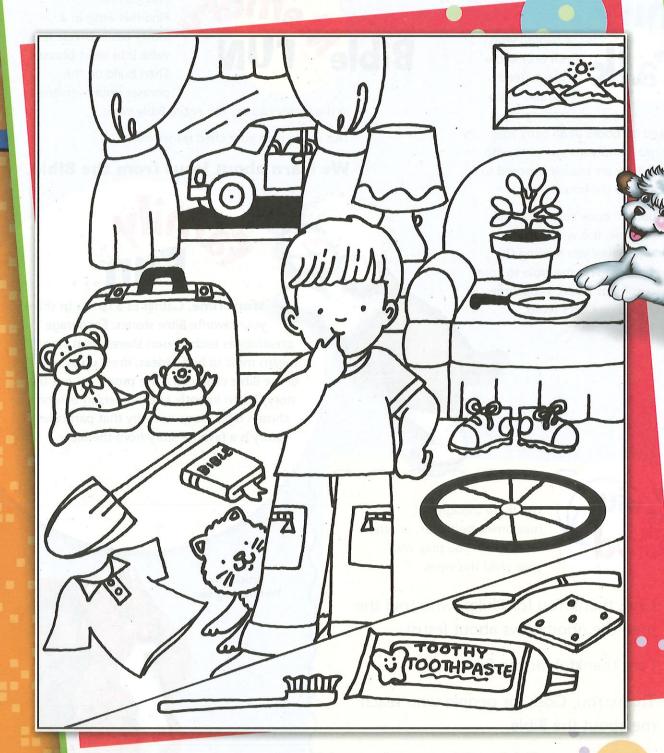






Taking a Trip

Color everything you would take on a trip.



Scout's Page

How can you learn about Jesus when you take a trip?

Don't forget to take your Bible!