

# ★ The First Day of the Week

Lesson 11

## The Resurrection of Christ

### The Teacher's Preparation

**Scripture Passages to Study:** Matthew 28; Mark 16; Luke 24; John 20-21

**Study Guide:** Read "The First Day of the Week: The Resurrection of Christ" from *The Life of Christ - Part 2*.

**Lesson Objective:** The resurrection of Christ is the center component of our faith. Because the fact that Jesus rose from the dead is so integral to our faith, we should not be surprised that the enemies of God not only began spreading lies and doubt about it on the day of His resurrection but also have continued with the lies and doubt to this day.

**Lesson Application:** People who hate Jesus tell lies about Him. I will believe the Bible; I will not listen to the lies of those who hate Jesus.

**Memory Verse:** I Corinthians 15:3, 4

### The Teacher's Checklist

- Activity Worksheets and Pencils
- Attendance and Record Notebook
- Lesson Plan
- Cue Card
- Memory Verse Card
- Music Player
- Visual Illustrations for the Lesson
- Attention Getter: Driver's license



"THY WORD HAVE I HID IN MINE HEART..."

*For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures; And that he was buried, and that he rose again the third day according to the scriptures.*

—I Corinthians 15:3, 4

### Teacher Tips

Some words to which we are accustomed may be difficult for a young child to understand. Make certain that each part of the lesson is brought down to your students' level. They must not only hear, but also understand the teaching of God's word.

# The Teacher's Lesson Plan

## Materials:

Driver's license

*As a possible craft, you could have your class make student IDs for themselves. For example, each card could have a picture of a student, his name, the class name, his salvation date, his baptism date, and any other information relevant to the class.*

## What You Could Say:

In my wallet, I carry my driver's license. [Show the class your driver's license.] I carry this wherever I go—even to Sunday school! This little card allows me the privilege of driving my automobile on the streets not only of this city but also of every city in this country. To get this license, I had to pass two types of tests, both concerning the rules of driving. If I am driving poorly and a police officer signals for me to pull my car to the side of the road, I must show him this license. I would be in serious trouble if I did not have it with me. Without it, the police officer wouldn't know that I passed those two very important tests.

After Jesus Christ died on the cross, many people wondered if He would really rise from the dead; and there was only one way they could know for sure. Just like this license proves that I passed my driving tests, the empty tomb proves that Jesus rose from the dead.

# Teacher's Notes

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