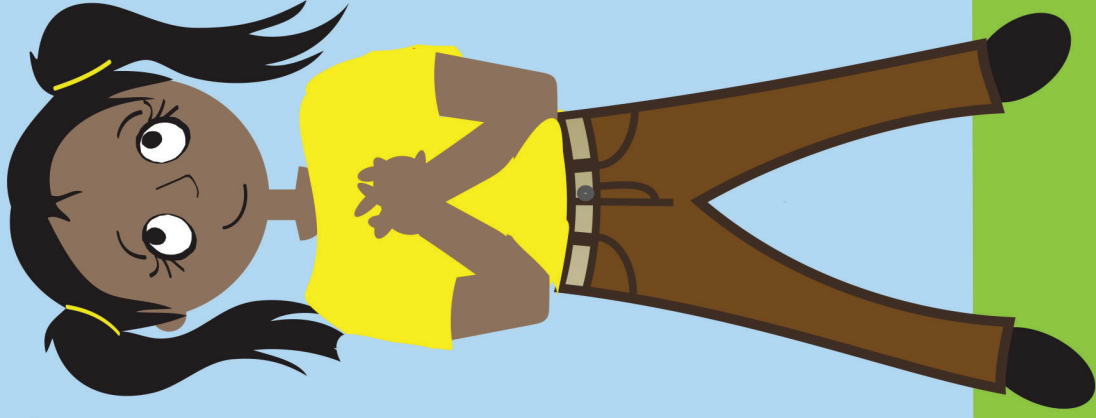




Can Anybody Tell Me What the  
LORD Is Like?



ANSWER:

He's Not Like Anyone Else!

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# The Big Question

*Hold up the Big Question sign for all the children to see, and say:*

The Big Question we are investigating today is  
Big Question Number 4:

**Can Anybody Tell Me What the LORD Is Like?**

and the Answer is:  
**He's Not Like Anyone Else!**

## Meaning:

There are many gods that people worship, but none is like the LORD. He is the one, true God. He's not like anyone else! He's always been alive--and He will never die. He's completely good and loving. He's all-powerful and all-wise. And that's just the beginning of what the LORD is like. He is so great! There will always be more of Him to know.

Let's sing our Big Question Song:"

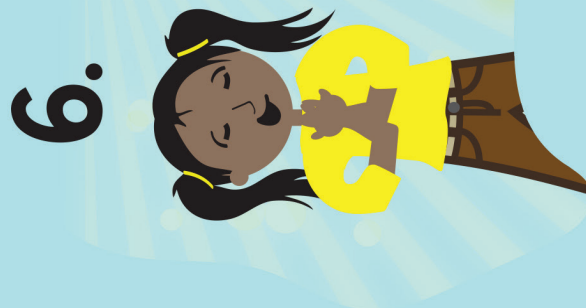
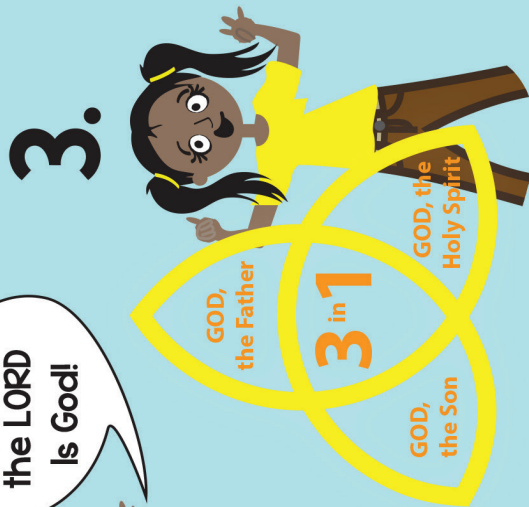
## Big Q & A 4 Song

*DDD ESV Songs 4, track 12*

*(adapted version of "Have You Ever Seen a Lassie")*

Can anybody tell me,  
Tell me, tell me,  
Can anybody tell me,  
What the LORD is like?  
He's not like anyone else,  
Anyone else, anyone else,  
He's not like anyone else,  
That's what the LORD is like.

# BIG QUESTION 4: Eight truths about the LORD



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## This Unit's Bible Truths

"He's not like anyone else" is a good beginning, but there's so more to learn. So it's time for us to dig down even deeper for more answers to our Big Question about God. We're going to be learning EIGHT Bible truths that all tell us more about what the God is like.

Who would like to hand me the picture with our eight Bible truths on it? It's in the Big Question Box/Briefcase."

*Choose a child to get it and hand it to you, then hold it up and show them the pictures of the eight truths they will be learning.*

*After everyone has had a good look say...*

"Ok, we've learned seven truths about what the LORD is like. They are: "He is a Glorious Spirit," "He Is the One, True God," "He Is Father, Son and Holy Spirit: Three Persons, but Just One God," "He Is Everywhere, All the Time," "He Knows Everything There Is to Know," "He Is Perfectly Holy, Purely Good," and "He Can Do Anything He Wants to Do" (point to pictures as you identify each Bible Truth). Now let's look at our Bible Truth Clue sign and see if we can figure out which of these eight truths we will be learning about today. Who would like to get it out of the Big Question Briefcase for me?"

*Choose a child to open the briefcase, take out the Bible Truth Clue sign and hand it to you.*



CAN YOU GUESS BIBLE TRUTH 8?

**Can Anybody Tell Me  
What the LORD Is Like?  
He's Not Like  
Anyone Else...**

**He Is Always ???  
through and through!**

**HINT:** "This word means someone who does what they promise they will do? It rhymes with "bathe pool." (That's a silly rhyme, isn't it?)

**ANSWER:  
He Is Always Faithful, through and through!**

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# Revealing the Bible Truth

## We Are Learning

*Hold up the front side for the children to see. Cover up the answer, written along the bottom, and say:*

**"Can Anybody Tell Me What the LORD Is Like?  
He's Not Like Anyone Else!  
He Is Always ????, Through and Through!"**

We're missing one word. Here's the hint to what the missing word is. It says: "This word means someone who does what they promise they will do? It rhymes with "bathe pool." (That's a silly rhyme, isn't it?)

Can you guess? It's "faithful."

So the Bible Truth we are learning today is:

*(uncover answer from bottom of sign, show it to them and say:)*

**"Can Anybody Tell Me What the LORD Is Like?  
He's Not Like Anyone Else!  
He Is Always FAITHFUL, Through and Through!"**

And here is what this Bible Truth means:

*(read the meaning off of the back of the sign, say:)*

God is faithful. We can count on Him to always do just what He says He will do. There are many times when we are scared or worried about things, but we know that God is faithful. We can trust Him and His good plans completely—no matter what! God has given His people many promises in His Word, the Bible. They learn these promises to help them remember how God will be faithful to them. One of the best promises God makes is to save whoever asks Him to forgive their sins when they turn away from sinning and trust in Jesus to save them. God is faithful. If we ask Him for forgiveness, trusting in Jesus as our Savior, we know that He will forgive us, too.

**“Incline your ear, O LORD, and answer me, for I am poor and needy...**

**But you, O Lord, are a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger  
and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness.**

**Turn to me and be gracious to me; give your strength to your servant.”**

**--psalm 86:1,5,16, ESV**



## Bible Truth 8 Bible Verse

*Remove the Bible Verse Picture from the "Bible" folder and hold it up for all the children to see, then say:*

Psalms 86:1, 15, 16 tells us:

### **Psalms 86:1, 15, 16. ESV**

"Incline your ear, O LORD, and answer me, for I am poor and needy... But you, O Lord, are a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness. Turn to me and be gracious to me; give your strength to your servant."

**Learn a Little:** "You... are a God... abounding faithfulness."

### **What does that mean?**

This verse reminds us that the Lord is always faithful to His people. He is merciful and gracious to them. He is slow to anger and abounding in love that never ends. Even when they are unfaithful to Him and deserving of punishment rather than kindness, the Lord goes on being faithful to them. How amazing is the Lord!

*"We've said our Bible verse, now let's sing it!"*

## But You, O LORD

### **Psalms 86:15**

*DDD ESV Songs 4, track 35*

But you, O LORD, are a God, merciful and gracious,  
Slow to anger, abounding in steadfast love,  
But you, O LORD, are a God, merciful and gracious,  
Slow to anger, abounding in faithfulness.  
Yes, you are a merciful God,  
Gracious, slow to anger,  
Abounding in steadfast love, in faithfulness.  
Psalms Eighty-six, fifteen.

"Now it's time to do a bit more deep down investigating. Let's see what Detective Dan wants us to help him figure out. Would someone like to get it out for me?"





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# Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #1





# Detective Dan's

## Listening Assignment #1



Hi, Deep Down Detectives!  
I'm working on a brand-new case called:  
"The Case of the Never-Forgotten Food."

I need to find out:

1. Who needed bread? Why was it so hard to get it?
- AND
2. Who never forgot to give them bread? What was special about it?

Can you help me? Listen carefully to the story and you might just hear the answers!

Thanks!  
Detective Dan

***Then say,*** "Ok, Deep Down Detectives! Put on your best listening ears and see if you can hear the answers to Detective Dan's questions. When I finish telling the story, we will see if we can answer all of his questions."

*Read the Bible Truth story, putting up the storyboard pictures as you tell it.  
At the end of the story, repeat the questions and lead the children in answering them. Present the gospel and close in prayer.*

\*Answers to assignment questions, the gospel and ACTS prayer are also included at the end of the story text. \*

Answers:

**1. Who needed bread? Why was it so hard to get it?**

The people of Israel needed bread in the wilderness. It was so hard to get because the wilderness was dry and there were only weeds and rocks! No food!

**2. Who never forgot to give them bread? What was special about it?**

The LORD never forgot to give them bread. He gave them "manna"--special bread from heaven that they collected from the ground every morning.

**For You and Me:**

The LORD was faithful to take care of the people of Israel. He fed them bread and meat, even when it seemed impossible. The LORD has been faithful to us in an even more amazing way! He promised to send a Savior to save us from our sins and He kept His promise! He sent His Son, Jesus to live a perfect life and offer it up as the full payment for sins when He suffered and died on the cross. Then on the third day, Jesus rose up from the dead showing He had really done it. He had really beaten sin and death for us! And now, all who turn away from their sins and trust in Jesus as their Savior, they will be forgiven their sins and become God's dearly loved people!

God gives them a brand new heart to know and love God. And one day, when they die, they will go to live with God and enjoy Him, as happy as anyone can ever be, forever! Jesus can be our Savior, too. Ask Him! He loves to help us! How faithful the LORD is to us!





# Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #2



# Detective Dan's

## Listening Assignment #2



Hi, Deep Down Detectives!

I'm still working on the case called:

"The Case of the Never-Forbidden Food."

Our Bible Verse is Psalm 86:1,15,16 ESV:

"Incline your ear, O LORD, and answer me, for I am poor and needy... But you, O Lord, are a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness. Turn to me and be gracious to me; give your strength to your servant."

I need to find out:

1. What did the people of Israel think the LORD would NOT be faithful to provide for them?

AND

2. How did the LORD show He was faithful to His promises to take care of the people of Israel?

Can you help me? Listen carefully to the story and you might just hear the answers! Thanks for your help!

Detective Dan

***Then say,*** "Ok, Deep Down Detectives! Put on your best listening ears and see if you can hear the answers to Detective Dan's questions. When I finish telling the story, we will see if we can answer all of his questions."

*Read the Bible Truth story, putting up the storyboard pictures as you tell it. At the end of the story, repeat the questions and lead the children in answering them. Present the gospel and close in prayer.*

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Answers:

Our Bible Verse is Psalm 86:1,15,16 ESV:

"Incline your ear, O LORD, and answer me, for I am poor and needy... But you, O Lord, are a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness. Turn to me and be gracious to me; give your strength to your servant."

1. What did the people of Israel think the LORD would NOT be faithful to provide for them? Food out in the wilderness.

2. How did the LORD show He was faithful to His promises to take care of the people of Israel?

He rescued them from Egypt and working for the mean king. He provided food for them in the wilderness every day until they reached the homeland He promised to give them.

**For You and Me:**

The people of Israel had so much to thank the LORD for doing for them! He rescued them from the mean king of Egypt. He took care of them as they traveled through the wilderness and gave them a wonderful new homeland. How faithful the LORD was to them! The LORD gives us even more to be thankful for than the people of Israel. He offers to forgive our sins and make us His dearly loved people when we turn from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Then we will be His people and He will be our God. He will be faithful to always take care of us every day of our lives here on earth. Then one day, when we die, He will take us to a wonderful homeland of heaven to live with Him forever. That will be best of all! Ask Him to help you trust in Jesus as your Savior. He loves to help us!



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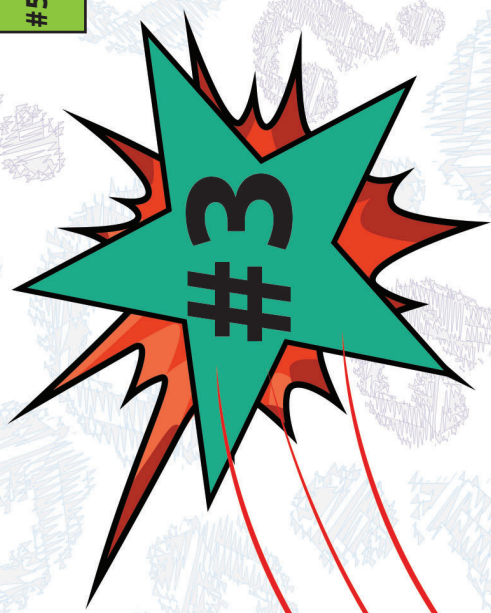


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# Detective Dan's Listening Assignment #3



# Detective Dan's

## Listening Assignment #3



Hi, Deep Down Detectives!  
I'm still working on the case called:  
"The Case of the Never-Forgotten Food."

I found SIX clues, but TWO of them are NOT in the story.  
They are: a pie, a rock, a hippo, a weed, a man named  
Moses, and manna.

*Hold up each of the six pictures for the children to see as you identify them. Better yet, put them up on your flannelgraph board, off to one side.*

**I need to know:**

1. Which FOUR pictures belong in the story and which TWO do NOT?
2. Who thanked the LORD for rescuing them from the mean king of Egypt?

Can you help me? Listen carefully to the story and you might just hear the answers!

Thanks!

Detective Dan

**Then say,** "Ok, Deep Down Detectives! Put on your best listening ears and see if you can hear the answers to Detective Dan's questions. When I finish telling the story, we will see if we can answer all of his questions."

*Read the Bible Truth story, putting up the storyboard pictures as you tell it. At the end of the story, repeat the questions and lead the children in answering them. Present the gospel and close in prayer.*

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Answers:

**Our six clues were: a pie, a rock, a hippo, a weed, a man named Moses, and manna.**

**1. Which four belong in our story?**

The rock, the weed, Moses and manna belong in the story.

**2. Who thanked the LORD for rescuing them from the mean king of Egypt?** The people of Israel.

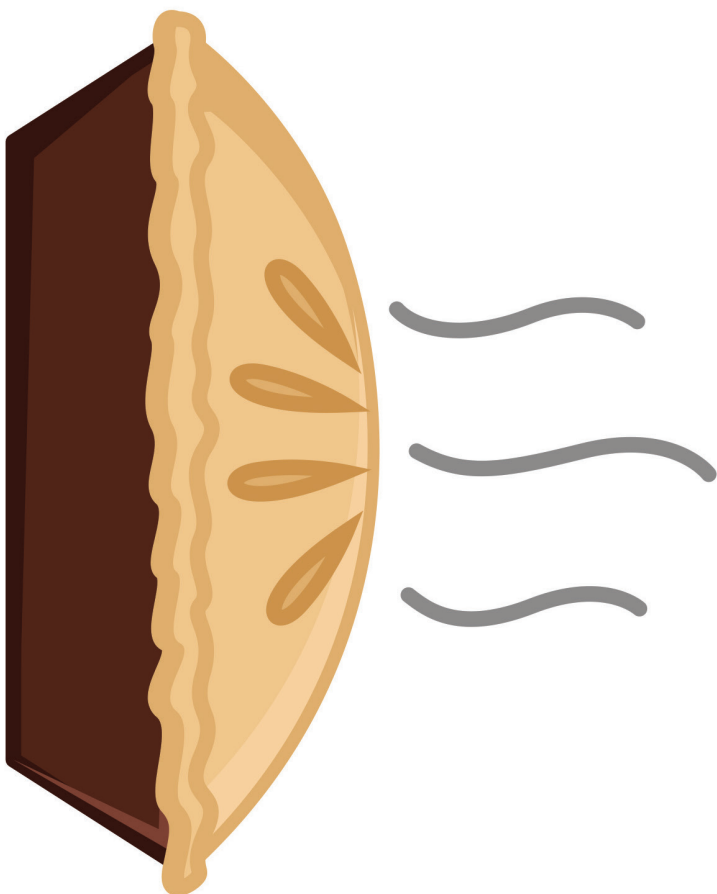
**For You and Me:**

The people of Israel had so much to thank the LORD for doing for them! He rescued them from the mean king of Egypt. He took care of them as they traveled through the wilderness and gave them a wonderful new homeland. How faithful the LORD was to them! The LORD gives us even more to be thankful for than the people of Israel. He offers to forgive our sins and make us His dearly loved people when we turn from our sins and trust in Jesus as our Savior. Then we will be His people and He will be our God. He will be faithful to always take care of us every day of our lives here on earth. Then one day, when we die, He will take us to a wonderful homeland of heaven to live with Him forever. That will be best of all! Ask Him to help you trust in Jesus as your Savior. He loves to help us!





**A pie**



**A Rock**





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DDD 4.8 Lesson 3 Listening Assignment Clue Picture 2 for kids



**A Hippo**



**A Weed**



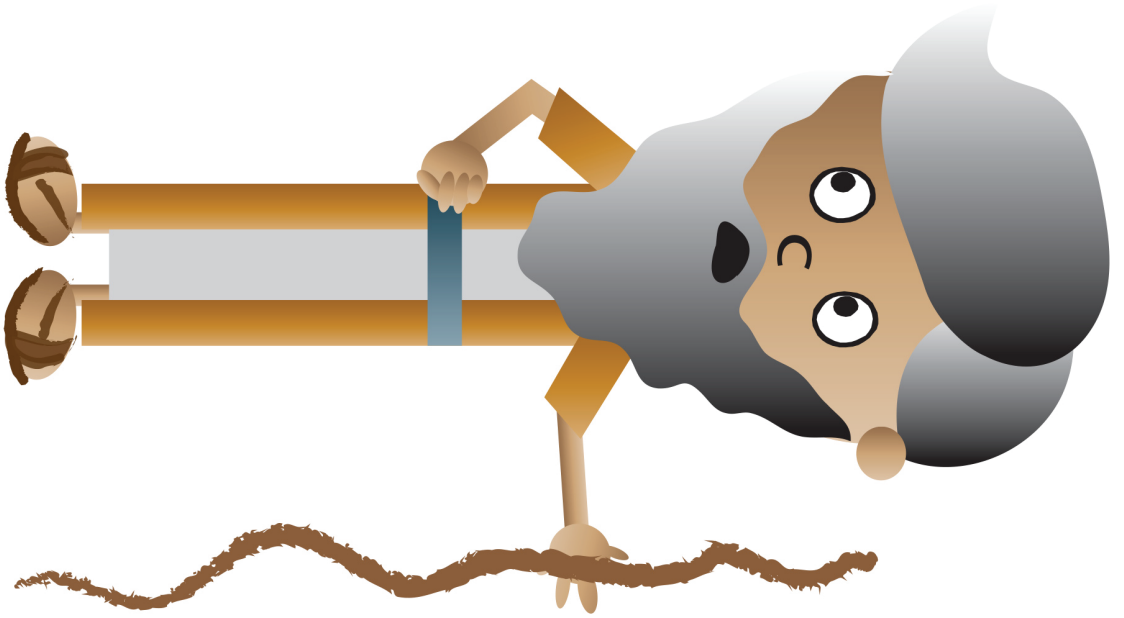
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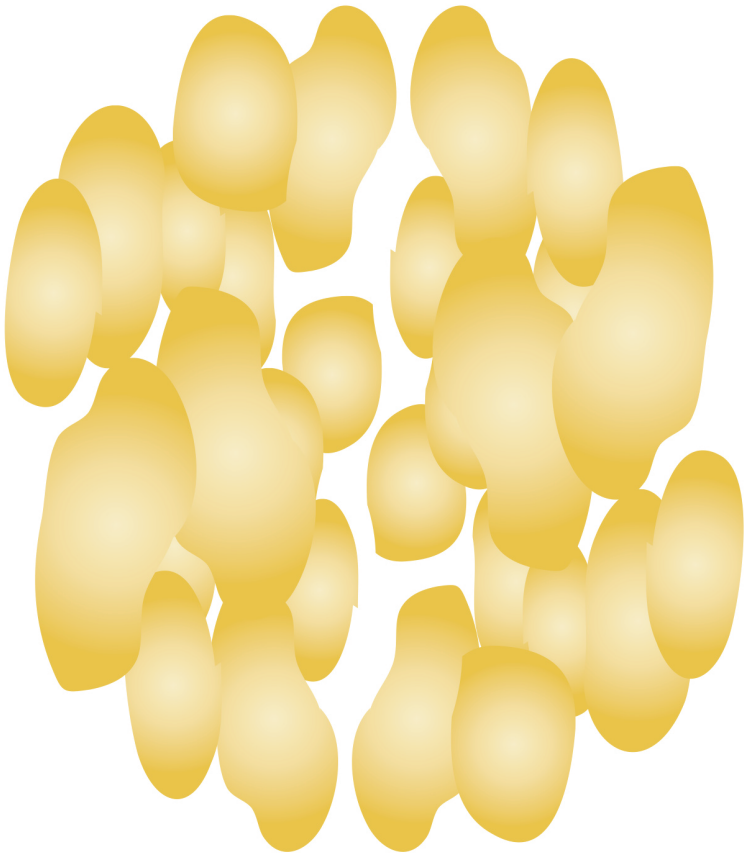
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**A man named Moses**



**Manna**







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