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# Review Lessons 7–12

## Lesson Overview



### Come On In

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Children will unscramble the words from the memory verse on the Exodus Word Scramble activity sheet.



### Memory Verse Review Game

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Children will recite the memory verse together and individually while playing a version of "hot potato."



### Lesson Theme Poster Review

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Students will review the key points of the previous lessons by answering questions and reviewing the Lesson Theme posters.



### "Pick a Point" Review Game

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Students will be divided into teams and will answer more questions. Each team will receive points for each correct answer. Points will be drawn from a basket and the "winner" will be determined when all the questions have been answered.



### Real World Skit

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Students perform a courtroom drama showing that everyone is guilty of breaking God's Law and only through faith in Jesus can we be forgiven.



### Snack Celebration

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Students will enjoy a snack of unleavened bread to remind them of the Passover.

# Lesson Preparation

## WHAT YOU WILL DO



### COME ON IN

- Print one Exodus Word Scramble activity sheet from the Resource DVD-ROM for each student.

## WHAT YOU WILL NEED

- Exodus Word Scramble activity sheet for each student
- Pencils



### MEMORY VERSE REVIEW GAME

- No special preparation necessary.

- Special “hot potato” item to be passed around (spongy ball, stuffed animal, etc.)
- Wrapped candy or other small rewards



### LESSON THEME POSTER REVIEW

- Review the Lesson Theme poster questions before class.

- Lesson Theme posters from Lessons 7–12
- Wrapped candy or other small rewards
- Optional: Timer to keep the children on track



### PICK A POINT REVIEW GAME

- Print and cut apart the Game Points from the Resource DVD-ROM. Put them into a bag or basket.

- Game Points
- Bag or basket to hold cards
- Optional: Timer to keep the children on track



### REAL WORLD SKIT

- Print five copies of the Real World Skit “Taylor’s Trial” from the Resource DVD-ROM—one for each of the four parts in the skit and one for you.
- Recruit four older volunteers to perform the skit for your class.

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- Props: gavel or rubber mallet, table and two chairs



### SNACK CELEBRATION

- Bring the unleavened-type bread of your choice such as matzah, pitas, tortillas, or crackers.

- Matzah, pitas, tortillas, or crackers
- Napkins



## Before the Throne

Dear Lord, you are faithful to your promises. Help the children understand this truth as we review how you delivered your people from slavery in Egypt and provided for their needs as they traveled toward the Promised Land. You demand our obedience and trust, but you also know that we are sinners in need of salvation. Help me remind the children that the Ten Commandments should point us to our Savior, Jesus Christ. May we have a fun-filled day, reviewing your holy Word. Amen.



## COME ON IN

As students arrive ...

- They will unscramble the words from the memory verse on the Exodus Word Scramble activity sheet.
- Option: Put the children into teams and time them on completing the scramble. Present the winners with a small treat or prize.



After all the students arrive, pray with them before beginning the lesson.



## MEMORY VERSE

**Exodus 20:1–5a** And God spoke all these words, saying, “I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage. You shall have no other gods before Me. You shall not make for yourself a carved image—any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them, nor serve them.”

## Introduction

Today we're going to review what we've learned the past few weeks. We'll have a lot of fun today, so let's get started.

You should know our verse by now. I am going to take this poster down, but first let's read it a couple more times. *Point to the Memory Verse poster and read the memory verse together several times.*



## Memory Verse Review Game

*You will review the memory verse by playing your own version of “hot potato.” Your hot potato may be a soft, spongy ball, or a special stuffed animal. Children will pass the item around the circle while everyone recites the memory verse together. Whoever ends up with the item when the verse is finished will recite the verse alone. After reciting it, that child will receive a treat or reward.*

Because God's Word is the truth, it's important that we learn it well. Let's play a game that will help us learn our memory verse really well. Everyone stand in a circle. First, we are all going to say the memory verse together while we carefully and quickly pass our special “hot potato” to each other. When we get to the end of the verse, whoever is holding the “hot potato” will say the verse alone. If you can do it, you'll get a treat! Let's get started! *Repeat the verse together. Repeat the activity enough times to allow each child the opportunity to recite the verse alone if possible.*

► We suggest small pieces of wrapped candy as rewards throughout the class today. We recommend that children not eat the candy until they have permission from their parents. If candy is not appropriate for your class, determine another small, motivational reward.



# Lesson Theme Poster Review

As you ask the questions below, allow all children to participate. They can get the answers to most of the questions from the Lesson Theme posters. Have the Lesson Theme posters displayed where everyone can see them.

- Encourage the students to answer within an appropriate time limit by using the timer.
- Show the Lesson Theme posters so the children will get these right!
- As the students answer the questions in this section, take a moment to expound on the answers for further review. More information for review is on the back of the Lesson Theme posters.

Now we're going to use the Lesson Theme posters to review what we've learned so far. I will ask a question and lay a piece of candy in front of someone. If you answer the question correctly, you can keep the piece of candy. If you answer incorrectly or don't know the answer, you must pass the piece of candy to someone else to answer. Whoever answers correctly gets to keep the candy. Some questions have multiple answers. In that case, just give one answer. That will give others a chance to get a reward.

We'll keep doing that until we answer all the questions. If you get stuck, look at the Lesson Theme posters—but you have to be quick. OK, here we go.

? Show Lesson Theme poster 7. We talked about God's call to Moses. Take a look at this poster. How did God work to preserve Moses's life until God was ready to use him? Remember, give one answer only. Pass out a piece of candy. Wait for correct answer. Pass out more candy as children answer. Answers are: God protected Moses in the basket where Pharaoh's daughter found him; Moses grew up in Pharaoh's household; Moses had to flee Egypt after killing the Egyptian; God spoke to Moses from the burning bush and told him to go to Pharaoh and bring the Israelites out of slavery in Egypt.

God had His hand on Moses from the time he was born. God was sovereignly in control of everything in his life. God's command to Moses was to go to Pharaoh and tell him to let His people go. The pharaoh wasn't going for it. And God had to show him who was in control.

? Show Lesson Theme poster 8. How did God convince Pharaoh to let the people go? Pass out a piece of candy. Wait for correct answer. Answer is: He sent the plagues.

? What were the plagues? Take a close look at this poster and let's see if we can come up with all of them. Pass out a piece of candy. Wait for correct answer. Pass out more candy as children answer. Answers are: River turned to blood, frogs, lice, flies, death of livestock, boils, hail and fire from sky, locusts, darkness, death of firstborn.

? The last plague was by far the worst. God killed all the firstborn children in every family except . . . Who can explain what the Passover was? Point to the Passover illustration on the poster. Pass out a piece of candy. Wait for correct answer. Answer is: God's people killed a perfect lamb and put the blood on their doorposts so the angel of death would pass them by and not kill anyone there.

? The perfect lamb the Israelites sacrificed to save them the night of the first Passover reminds us of another sacrifice. What was that? Point to the

*Cross illustration on the poster. Pass out a piece of candy. Wait for correct answer. Answer is: Jesus is our Passover Lamb who saves everyone who trusts and believes in Him.*

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- And so God made a way for His people to leave Egypt and begin the journey to the Promised Land.
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- Show Lesson Theme poster 9. **As they wandered in the wilderness, who provided for them?** Pass out a piece of candy. Wait for correct answer. Answer is: God.
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- What did God provide for His people as they wandered? Pass out a piece of candy. Wait for correct answer. Pass out more candy as children answer. Answers are: God parted the Red Sea so the Israelites could walk across; God led them in a pillar of cloud by day and a pillar of fire by night; God gave them manna and quail to eat; God provided water from a rock.
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- Show Lesson Theme poster 10. **God gave the people something else while they were in the wilderness. He actually gave this to Moses. What was that?** Pass out a piece of candy. Wait for correct answer. Answer is: The Ten Commandments.
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- Let's try to name all ten!** Refer to the Ten Commandments poster. Pass out a piece of candy. Wait for correct answer. Pass out more candy as children answer. Answers are: You shall have no other gods before Me. You shall not make idols or bow down to them or serve them. You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain. Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Honor your father and your mother. You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet anything that is your neighbor's.
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- Show Lesson Theme poster 11. **As God's people wandered in the wilderness they worshipped God in the Tabernacle. God gave very specific instructions on what He wanted in the Tabernacle. It was a very special place. What did God command be placed in His Tabernacle?** Pass out a piece of candy. Wait for correct answer. Pass out more candy as children answer. Answers are: Ark of the Covenant, table of showbread, gold lampstand, altar of incense, bronze laver, altar of burnt offering.

Remember, some of these items remind us of Jesus Christ. The golden lampstand burned all the time—it reminds us of Jesus, the light of the world. And the table of showbread with the bread for the priest—that reminds us that Jesus is the bread of life.

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- Show Lesson Theme poster 12. **This is our last poster. The Israelites finally reached the Promised Land. What did Moses do?** Pass out a piece of candy. Wait for correct answer. Answer is: Sent Joshua, Caleb, and 10 others to spy out the land.
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- How did that turn out? What happened when they all got back?** Pass out a piece of candy. Wait for correct answer. Answer is: Only Joshua and Caleb believed the Lord would be with them. All the other spies said they couldn't go in there. The people would not listen to Joshua and Caleb.

Wow! That was fun! We're all done with the candy now, so go ahead and put it away in your pocket or set it on a chair for later. Do not eat the candy until you have asked your parents for permission.

## Materials

- Questions listed below
- Game Point cards in bag or basket
- Optional: timer



# "Pick a Point" Review Game

Divide the class into two or more teams. Have each team take turns answering the questions. After each correct answer, let a member of the team draw a number card from the basket. This will be the number of points his or her team gets for this answer. The number of points on the cards will vary so the score will have nothing to do with how skilled one team might be. The effort to earn points will keep the students tuned into the game. Repeat any questions that were missed the first time through. Keep a list of the teams' points to determine the "winner" for the day.

► Have fun with this as the children pick the numbers. Allow different members of each team to pick a point. This is not about who is the smartest but about reviewing with them some of the key points you want them to remember from the previous weeks. Keep each team's points on the board. The "winning" team will be the one with the most points.

► Hold up or refer to the appropriate Lesson Theme poster for each question.

OK. Now you are going to get into teams. This game is called "Pick a Point." The idea here is that the team that comes up with the right answer first gets to pick a point! I'll keep track of your points on the board. Your team will pick a point for each right answer from this basket. But the points are all different! You'll see as we play how this works. Divide the children into teams of 4–5 students each.

Get together with your team and let's get started. As soon as your team knows the answer, stand up. The first team to stand can answer the question. If the answer is right, someone on your team can pick a point card from this basket. If you don't get it right, someone from another team will get a turn to answer. We'll keep going until we get through all the questions. As you pick points, I'll list the points on the board. The team with the most points at the end of the game wins. Make sure students are divided into teams. Ready? Let's play! Keep tally of the points on the board as the children answer and pick points for their answers.

? Who kept Moses safe as a child? God. Pick a point!

? What excuses did Moses give for not doing what God asked? He couldn't do it; he wasn't important enough; they wouldn't believe God sent him; he was not a good speaker. Pick a point!

? What did God call Moses to do? Lead the children of Israel out of Egypt. Let His people go! Pick a point!

? Why did God send the plagues to Egypt? Because Pharaoh would not let God's people go. Pick a point!

? What did the Israelite families put on their doorposts so that the angel of death would pass over their houses and the oldest child would not die? Blood from a perfect lamb. Pick a point!

? What was this event called? The Passover. Pick a point!

? Who is our Passover Lamb? Jesus. Pick a point!

? Pharaoh and his army came after the Israelites after they left Egypt. What did God do to protect His people and punish Pharaoh? God parted the Red Sea. The Israelites walked across and the army drowned. Pick a point!

? Who provided food and water for the Israelites on their journey? God. Pick a point!

- ? What does the Bible call the Ten Commandments or the Law? *Our tutor or teacher. Pick a point!*
- ? Can anyone keep all of the Ten Commandments? *No! Pick a point.*
- ? If we can't keep the Ten Commandments and we know that God hates sin, what do the Ten Commandments show us? *We are all sinners who need the Savior, Jesus Christ. Pick a point!*
- ? What do the first four commandments tell us? *Refer to the Ten Commandments poster. How to honor God. Pick a point!*
- ? Who did God meet and talk with in the Most Holy Place of the Tabernacle? *Refer to Lesson Theme poster 11. The High Priest. Pick a point!*
- ? How does the gold lampstand point to Jesus Christ? *Jesus is the light of the world. Pick a point!*
- ? Sacrifices were made in the Tabernacle over and over, day after day. How is the sacrifice that Jesus made for sinners different from these sacrifices? *Jesus died only once for the forgiveness of sins. Pick a point!*
- ? Who did God make the promise of land to first? *Refer to Seven C's Timeline. Abraham. Pick a point!*
- ? What were the Israelite spies afraid of in the land? *The giants and their enemies. Pick a point!*
- ? God had promised to protect them. Who were the only ones who believed God's promise? *Joshua and Caleb. Pick a point!*

Very good! Now I want to see which team can finish these sentences for me first. If you can finish the sentence, raise your hand and your team will pick a point! Ready?

- ? The person God called to free the Israelites from slavery in Egypt was \_\_\_\_\_. *Moses. Pick a point!*
- ? The horrible punishments God gave to the Egyptians were called \_\_\_\_\_. *Plagues. Pick a point!*
- ? The first \_\_\_\_\_ happened when God spared the lives of those who put blood on their doorposts. *Passover. Pick a point!*
- ? The Law that God gave to His people is called \_\_\_\_\_. *The Ten Commandments. Pick a point!*
- ? The place God instructed the Israelites to build to worship Him was called \_\_\_\_\_. *The Tabernacle. Pick a point!*
- ? The two spies who trusted God were \_\_\_\_\_. *Joshua and Caleb. Pick a point!*

That's it. We have learned so many great things! Everyone sit down and listen as we go over these posters just one more time. *Use the Lesson Theme posters to go over the quick review below.*

Show Lesson Theme poster 7. God sovereignly protected Moses from infancy to adulthood in order to fulfill His perfect plan to free the people from bondage. God revealed Himself to Moses as sovereign, holy, omnipotent, eternal, and immutable—the one true God.

Show Lesson Theme poster 8. God used signs and wonders (the 10 plagues) in Egypt to show that He is the one true God. Like the lamb without blemish that saved the Hebrews from the tenth plague of death, Jesus, our Passover Lamb, will save everyone who trusts and believes in Him.

Show Lesson Theme poster 9. God faithfully provides what His people need. God keeps His promises. He helped the Hebrews escape from slavery in Egypt.

Show Lesson Theme poster 10. The Ten Commandments show us how to honor God and how to treat people. The Ten Commandments show us our sinfulness and that we need a Savior.

Show Lesson Theme poster 11. The items that God instructed the Israelites to put in the wilderness Tabernacle pointed to the coming of Jesus Christ. The daily animal sacrifices made in the Tabernacle could never take away sin. Jesus's death on the Cross was the final sacrifice made once for the forgiveness of sin.

Show Lesson Theme poster 12. God promised Abraham and his descendants that He would give them a land flowing with milk and honey. Twelve men spied out the Promised Land, but only Joshua and Caleb trusted God to keep His promise to protect them and give them the land. The people did not go into the land and they wandered for 40 more years.

You did very well. Let's see who won! We had a winner here. But if we live according to God's Word, believe His truths, and trust His promises, we will ALL be winners. Give everyone another piece of candy or other small reward.

### Materials

- Five copies of the Real World Skit
- Four older children or other volunteers to perform the skit, if appropriate
- Props: gavel or rubber mallet, table and two chairs



## Real World Skit: Taylor's Trial

Now we have a very special treat. A skit! You will be meeting Taylor, a kid just like you, who stands accused in a court of law—God's court—and nothing her lawyer says can spare her from the judgment and punishment she deserves.

Will she find a way to win her case? Will anyone help her? Let's find out!

### DISCUSS THE SKIT

Great job! Taylor was in hot water. The Bible says if we break just one commandment it is as though we have broken all of them.

- ? Have any of you ever thought about the fact that even your “little” sins are big in God’s eyes? *Allow discussion.*
- ? Why does God have to punish every sin? Even the little ones? *Refer to the Attributes of God poster. He is holy and just. Review the definitions.*

That's right. God has to be perfect in all His ways. And in His perfect holiness, He can't look at sin. We are all guilty of sin. We all deserve a guilty verdict from God. And because the Bible says that the wages of sin is death, we all deserve the death penalty for our sins. That is what we deserve—eternal death away from God.

But God loves us so much that He sent Jesus. Jesus was willing to take the punishment sinners deserve. He never sinned Himself. Jesus is God! But He came to earth, lived a perfect life as a man, died a terrible death on the Cross, rose from the dead, and now is in heaven with God the Father. Jesus provides us total forgiveness. He promises that all who trust in Him, turn away from their sins, ask for forgiveness, and believe what the Bible says—will be children of God and guaranteed a place with Him forever.

You may know people who think they are good enough—their sins aren't really that bad. Many people don't believe God must judge all sin. We can help by telling them the truth—and pointing them to Jesus, the Bible, and the gospel.

► You will want to recruit volunteers to perform the skit for you. The first and second graders will enjoy seeing the older students acting this out. If that is not possible, recruit your best readers to participate.

## Snack Celebration

I have brought a special snack today. On the night of the first Passover, God commanded the Israelites to eat quickly and be ready to leave Egypt. They ate a special bread which would have been like a cracker. It was unleavened bread. It did not contain any yeast because the Israelites did not have time to let the bread dough rise properly. They left the yeast out and made unleavened bread. This bread we are having will remind us of what the Israelites ate during that very first Passover. *Pass out your choice of unleavened bread: matzah, pitas, tortillas, or crackers.*

## Group Prayer Time

Be sure to pray with your class before you dismiss them.

- Thank God for His faithfulness.
- Pray that the children will understand their own sinful natures and their need for Jesus as their Savior.

# Notes