

Teacher Notes and Answer Keys

Match the printed activity ID to its entry. KJV Scripture standard.

Preparation: Bible, pencil and crayons. Use glue sticks and adult-supervised scissors for cutting activities. Offer oral responses or a scribe when appropriate. Artwork is a visual aid; distinguish Scripture, explanation, Apostolic interpretation and reconstruction.

Jesus Will Return: Christian Hope

Never invent a return date or frightening grave imagery. Asleep in 1 Thessalonians 4 refers to those who have died, not an ordinary child's nap. Explain gently and allow grief. The cloud is a visual reminder of recorded promises, not a forecast diagram; hands represent present service. Hope should lead to comfort and faithful living. Pictures are visual reminders; species, clothing, exact shapes and small scene details are reconstructions unless the passage states them. Offer pointing, oral answers or a scribe. Supervise all cutting. Read the cited verses before using the activities.

Blessed Hope: Color and Tell

SSO-W52-A24-01

Ages 2-4 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Recognize the cloud as a hope reminder and tell its connection to the assigned Scripture.

Teach: Read the short Bible fact aloud. Ages 2-3: point together and accept purposeful marks. Ages 3-4: invite an oral sentence; offer all matching choices.

Answer: This same Jesus is promised to return.

Find Blessed Hope Partners

SSO-W52-A24-02

Ages 2-4 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Recognize two visual details used to teach Jesus Will Return: Christian Hope.

Teach: Read the short Bible fact aloud. Ages 2-3: point together and accept purposeful marks. Ages 3-4: invite an oral sentence; offer all matching choices.

Answer: Top row: third choice. Bottom row: second choice. Name each matched detail and connect it to its Bible fact.

Listen: Blessed Hope

SSO-W52-A24-03

Ages 2-4 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Connect three spoken passage clues with recognizable visual reminders.

Teach: Read the short Bible fact aloud. Ages 2-3: point together and accept purposeful marks. Ages 3-4: invite an oral sentence; offer all matching choices. Read: 1. Find the cloud reminder of Jesus' ascension and return. 2. Find the reminder of Paul's comforting words. 3. Find hands reminding us of present good works.

Answer: Correct choices: 3, 1, 2. Name the chosen pictures and read their references.

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Remember Blessed Hope

SSO-W52-A24-04

Ages 2-4 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Remember pictured Bible details while taking turns in a small visual memory game.

Teach: Read the short Bible fact aloud. Ages 2-3: point together and accept purposeful marks. Ages 3-4: invite an oral sentence; offer all matching choices. Start with two pairs face up. Add the third pair and turn cards over when ready.

Answer: Three identical pairs. After finding a pair, name the picture and hear its Bible connection.

Picture pairs, reading left to right across each row: 1 with 6; 2 with 4; 3 with 5.

Preparation: scissors with adult help.

Make a Blessed Hope Card

SSO-W52-A24-05

Ages 2-4 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Create a simple foldable about Blessed Hope and explain its Scripture connection.

Teach: Read the short Bible fact aloud. Ages 2-3: point together and accept purposeful marks. Ages 3-4: invite an oral sentence; offer all matching choices. Explain the child-created picture using the named verse; assess the Bible connection rather than drawing skill.

Answer: Accept kindness and a true promise without dates or frightening scenes.

Preparation: scissors with adult help.

Draw and Tell: Blessed Hope

SSO-W52-A24-06

Ages 2-4 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Draw a concrete Bible detail or clearly labeled application connected with Blessed Hope.

Teach: Read the short Bible fact aloud. Ages 2-3: point together and accept purposeful marks. Ages 3-4: invite an oral sentence; offer all matching choices.

Answer: Accept a cloud reminder with the accurate stated hope.

Discover Blessed Hope

SSO-W52-A56-01

Ages 5-6 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Observe the main visual reminder and explain three facts about Blessed Hope.

Teach: Read the assigned Bible fact aloud first. These are oral observation tasks; the teacher may write a child's answer.

Answer: This same Jesus is promised to return. Visual reminder: Find the reminder of Paul's comforting words. (1 Thessalonians 4:16-18).

Bible Clues: Blessed Hope

SSO-W52-A56-02

Ages 5-6 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Distinguish three stated Bible facts from plausible alternatives.

Teach: Read the question and all choices aloud. Ask children to explain their choice using the stated Bible fact.

Answer: This same Jesus. Comfort one another with these words. Soberly, righteously and godly.

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A Bible Lesson in Pictures

SSO-W52-A56-03

Ages 5-6 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;
Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Illustrate the change described in Acts 1:11; Titus 2:12-13 and explain what happened.

Teach: Read the verse; let the child draw with a helper. Treat a personal-life picture as application, not another Bible event.

Answer: Look for His appearing while living soberly, righteously and godly now.

Reasoning 1: Look for His appearing while living soberly, righteously and godly now.

My Blessed Hope Bookmark

SSO-W52-A56-04

Ages 5-6 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;
Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Recall one important word in a short exact KJV excerpt.

Teach: Read and point first. Use look, cover, recall; let a teacher write if needed. Explain the excerpt within its full verse.

Answer: Missing word: ever. Read the complete excerpt aloud and locate 1 Thessalonians 4:17.

Preparation: scissors with adult help.

Tell with Blessed Hope Cards

SSO-W52-A56-05

Ages 5-6 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;
Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Practice recall of three named Scripture details through a picture memory game.

Teach: Teach the facts before playing. After each pair, ask for the passage connection; guessing identical pictures alone is not the learning goal.

Answer: Three pairs. Child names the reminder and tells the fact from its reference.

Picture pairs, reading left to right across each row: 1 with 6; 2 with 4; 3 with 5.

Preparation: scissors with adult help.

Draw the Bible Lesson

SSO-W52-A56-06

Ages 5-6 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;
Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Draw a concrete Bible detail or clearly labeled application connected with Blessed Hope.

Teach: Invite a different detail from the illustrated discovery. Read its reference and ask the child to explain their choice.

Answer: Accept a cloud reminder with the accurate stated hope.

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Unscramble Blessed Hope

SSO-W52-A79-01

Ages 7-9 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;
Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Use four context clues to recover actual passage vocabulary, then explain a Bible fact.

Teach: Read each sentence around the referenced word. The scrambled letters and complete word bank provide early support.

Answer: Times and seasons are not theirs to know; they will receive Holy Ghost power and witness. A cloud receives Jesus, and the men say this same Jesus shall come in like manner as they saw Him go.

Scramble 1: EOPH = HOPE

Scramble 2: ROOTCFM = COMFORT

Scramble 3: ANGRPPAIE = APPEARING

Scramble 4: DGOYL = GODLY

Remember Blessed Hope

SSO-W52-A79-02

Ages 7-9 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;
Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Recall important words accurately and locate an exact KJV excerpt in its context.

Teach: Locate the verse before memory practice. Explain the complete statement; a short excerpt does not replace reading its context.

Answer: Missing words: Wherefore, comfort. Because Jesus died and rose, believers need not sorrow as those without hope. The Lord descends, the dead in Christ rise first, and living believers are caught up together with them to be ever with the Lord. They should comfort one another with these words.

Preparation: scissors with adult help.

Show the Change: Blessed Hope

SSO-W52-A79-03

Ages 7-9 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;
Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Illustrate the change described in Acts 1:11; Titus 2:12-13 and explain what happened.

Teach: Connect drawings to the reference. A personal application must be labeled as your response, not an event added to Scripture.

Answer: Look for His appearing while living soberly, righteously and godly now.

Reasoning 1: Look for His appearing while living soberly, righteously and godly now.

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Open the Bible: Blessed Hope

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Ages 7-9 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;
Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Separate book, chapter and verse, then retrieve three actual passage facts.

Teach: Model one reference; then let the learner navigate and answer independently. A helper may read aloud.

Answer: Times and seasons are not theirs to know; they will receive Holy Ghost power and witness. A cloud receives Jesus, and the men say this same Jesus shall come in like manner as they saw Him go. Because Jesus died and rose, believers need not sorrow as those without hope. The Lord descends, the dead in Christ rise first, and living believers are caught up together with them to be ever with the Lord. They should comfort one another with these words. Grace teaches them to deny ungodliness and worldly lusts and live soberly, righteously and godly now, looking for the glorious appearing of Jesus Christ, who gave Himself to redeem and purify a people zealous of good works.

Reasoning 1: Times and seasons are not theirs to know; they will receive Holy Ghost power and witness. A cloud receives Jesus, and the men say this same Jesus shall come in like manner as they saw Him go. Name the book, chapter and verse accurately; accept the learner's supported explanation.

Navigation: book Acts, chapter 1, verse(s) 6-11. Times and seasons are not theirs to know; they will receive Holy Ghost power and witness. A cloud receives Jesus, and the men say this same Jesus shall come in like manner as they saw Him go.

Navigation: book 1 Thessalonians, chapter 4, verse(s) 13-18. Because Jesus died and rose, believers need not sorrow as those without hope. The Lord descends, the dead in Christ rise first, and living believers are caught up together with them to be ever with the Lord. They should comfort one another with these words.

Navigation: book Titus, chapter 2, verse(s) 11-14. Grace teaches them to deny ungodliness and worldly lusts and live soberly, righteously and godly now, looking for the glorious appearing of Jesus Christ, who gave Himself to redeem and purify a people zealous of good works.

Connect Blessed Hope Facts

SSO-W52-A79-05

Ages 7-9 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;
Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Connect three distinct observations in the assigned passage.

Teach: Keep each observation attached to its reference. Require a supported connection, not an imagined motive.

Answer: Times and seasons are not theirs to know; they will receive Holy Ghost power and witness. A cloud receives Jesus, and the men say this same Jesus shall come in like manner as they saw Him go. Because Jesus died and rose, believers need not sorrow as those without hope. The Lord descends, the dead in Christ rise first, and living believers are caught up together with them to be ever with the Lord. They should comfort one another with these words. Grace teaches them to deny ungodliness and worldly lusts and live soberly, righteously and godly now, looking for the glorious appearing of Jesus Christ, who gave Himself to redeem and purify a people zealous of good works.

Reasoning 1: His return is promised, believers will ever be with the Lord, these words bring comfort, and grace calls them to live godly and do good now.

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Look and Understand: Blessed Hope

SSO-W52-A79-06

Ages 7-9 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;
Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Explain two positive discoveries through Scripture rather than guessing from pictures.

Teach: Pictures provide a starting point. The learner must read the named verses to explain both discoveries.

Answer: They are not to know the Father's times and seasons. They receive the call to Spirit-powered witness and the promise that this same Jesus will return. Jesus died and rose; the Lord descends; the dead in Christ rise first; living believers are caught up together with them. They will ever be with the Lord.

Reasoning 1: They are not to know the Father's times and seasons. They receive the call to Spirit-powered witness and the promise that this same Jesus will return.

Reasoning 2: Jesus died and rose; the Lord descends; the dead in Christ rise first; living believers are caught up together with them. They will ever be with the Lord.

Blessed Hope Scripture Code

SSO-W52-A1012-01

Ages 10-12 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;
Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Decode an actual passage phrase and explain two context-specific discoveries.

Teach: Decoding is a warm-up. The two questions require independent Scripture observation, comprehension and supporting references.

Decoded phrase: COMFORT ONE ANOTHER

Reasoning 1: They are not to know the Father's times and seasons. They receive the call to Spirit-powered witness and the promise that this same Jesus will return.

Reasoning 2: Jesus died and rose; the Lord descends; the dead in Christ rise first; living believers are caught up together with them. They will ever be with the Lord.

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Investigate Blessed Hope

SSO-W52-A1012-02

Ages 10-12 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;
Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Investigate three complementary passage facts with their supporting references.

Teach: Use the pictures only as visual reminders. Let learners locate the verses and explain discoveries in their own words.

Reasoning 1: Times and seasons are not theirs to know; they will receive Holy Ghost power and witness. A cloud receives Jesus, and the men say this same Jesus shall come in like manner as they saw Him go.

Reasoning 2: Because Jesus died and rose, believers need not sorrow as those without hope. The Lord descends, the dead in Christ rise first, and living believers are caught up together with them to be ever with the Lord. They should comfort one another with these words.

Reasoning 3: Grace teaches them to deny ungodliness and worldly lusts and live soberly, righteously and godly now, looking for the glorious appearing of Jesus Christ, who gave Himself to redeem and purify a people zealous of good works.

Blessed Hope Connections

SSO-W52-A1012-03

Ages 10-12 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;
Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Compare a Scripture-supported connection and distinguish observation from explanation.

Teach: Require the recorded facts before the explanation. Avoid adding unrecorded thoughts or universal patterns based on one event.

Reasoning 1: His return is promised, believers will ever be with the Lord, these words bring comfort, and grace calls them to live godly and do good now.

Reasoning 2: It addresses sorrow with hope and closes by commanding comfort. Teach it to encourage, not to frighten or dismiss grief.

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Words in Blessed Hope

SSO-W52-A1012-04

Ages 10-12 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Explain four KJV context words and use them in two passage-specific conclusions.

Teach: Read the surrounding sentence before defining. Accept accurate own-word meaning.

Reasoning 1: It addresses sorrow with hope and closes by commanding comfort. Teach it to encourage, not to frighten or dismiss grief.

Reasoning 2: Grace teaches godly living now while believers await Christ's appearing. He gave Himself to redeem and purify people zealous of good works.

HOPE (1 Thessalonians 4:13-14): Confident expectation grounded in Jesus' death and resurrection.

COMFORT (1 Thessalonians 4:18): Encourage each other with the stated promise.

APPEARING (Titus 2:13): The glorious appearing of Jesus Christ.

GODLY (Titus 2:12): Conduct honoring God in this present world.

Retell Blessed Hope

SSO-W52-A1012-05

Ages 10-12 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Retell three supported moments or visualize three teachings and explain the text connection.

Teach: Do not depict God as a separate human figure. Distinguish details from the Bible from artistic viewpoint and color choices.

Reasoning 1: His return is promised, believers will ever be with the Lord, these words bring comfort, and grace calls them to live godly and do good now.

Reasoning 2: Times and seasons are not theirs to know; they will receive Holy Ghost power and witness. A cloud receives Jesus, and the men say this same Jesus shall come in like manner as they saw Him go. Accept an accurate stated fact and an unstated viewpoint, color or exact appearance. The drawing must not add a claim to Scripture.

Live the Lesson: Blessed Hope

SSO-W52-A1012-06

Ages 10-12 | Acts 1:6-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Titus 2:11-14

Objective: Connect a positive personal response with the actual teaching of the assigned passage.

Teach: Treat the scenario as a present-day application. Require a concrete action and a reference; do not present the child's plan as a biblical quotation.

Reasoning 1: Use an accurate promise about being with the Lord, listen kindly and offer safe help. Do not set dates, frighten others or pretend grief is wrong.

Reasoning 2: Grace teaches godly living now while believers await Christ's appearing. He gave Himself to redeem and purify people zealous of good works.