



Jesus is with me!

A long time ago when Jesus lived on earth some parents brought their children to Jesus so that he could bless them. Some of Jesus disciples tried to send them away. They felt like Jesus was too busy to see the children. Jesus said "Let the children come to me!". One other time Jesus told the people that children were so important to him that the angels in heaven watch over them all of the time.

One time Jesus was traveling in a town called Samaria, he met a sad, lonely woman at a well. That woman did not have any friends because she had done a lot of bad things in her life. Jesus asked her for a drink- and while they were talking she realized that Jesus was the messiah that was promised to them. When she realized who Jesus was- she ran back to town to tell everyone about him. A lot of people came to hear more from Jesus for themselves. Many came to Jesus because of that lady.

One day after Jesus had taught and healed people all day he was tired. He and his friends climbed into a boat to cross the lake, Jesus lay down and fell asleep. Suddenly, dark clouds raced across the sky and the wind was howling. The disciples woke up Jesus. They were afraid. When Jesus woke up the waves in the lake became very still.

Jesus is with us today- just like he was with all of these people in these stories. He loves us so much and he is our forever friend. It doesn't matter which country you live in because he is there with you.

### Washed Away....

Did you know that Jesus wants to wash away your fears? Do you have something that you are afraid of? Did you know that Jesus is with you and does not want you to be afraid.

Have your parents go with you to your sink. As you put in the drain stopper think of things that you are afraid of. Now with every drop of water think of a fears you have. Ask the Lord to take away your fears. Ask the Lord to help you when you have fear to know that HE is standing near.

Take out the stopper and see your fears go down the drain just like Jesus washed your fears away!

