

# Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature.

MARK 16:15

In Mark 16:15 Jesus gives us a very important assignment. He tells us to go to all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature. Gospel means good news. The good news is: For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life (John 3:16).

People in Japan, Brazil, India, the United States, and everywhere in the world need to know that God loves His world so much that He sent His only Son so that we can have eternal life. God calls some people to go as missionaries to other countries to tell people about Jesus. But this verse is not just for missionaries. This verse is for us. We can tell people about Jesus right in our own neighborhood. ♥

A new family moved in across the street from Missy and Bill. Missy and Bill helped their mom make a cake for the new family. Then they prayed and asked the Lord to help them to be missionaries to their new neighbors.

The new family had a little girl Missy's age. Missy and Carol played together every day. Missy asked Carol if she would like to go to Sunday school. "I've never been to Sunday school, but I'll ask Mom if I can go."

Carol loved Sunday school. She went with Missy every Sunday. Missy's mom and dad invited Carol's mom and dad, but they were not interested in hearing about Jesus. Every day Missy and Bill and their parents prayed for Carol's family.

One day Carol's mother talked to Missy's mom. "We see a difference in Carol since she started going to church. She talks about Jesus and how much she loves Him. She's more loving and kind, and she says it's because the Holy Spirit helps her. Her dad and I want to go to church with you and learn more about Jesus."

On Sunday Carol's mom and dad listened very carefully to the pastor. They both asked Jesus to be their Savior. Later they thanked Missy for being a missionary to Carol, and they thanked Carol for being a missionary to them.

## LET'S TALK

What is the Gospel?

Do children have to wait until they are adults to tell people the good news?

Say Mark 16:15 three times.

Say John 3:16.

## LET'S PRAY

Ask God to help you to be a missionary and to tell people about Jesus. Pray for missionaries who are serving God in other countries.

