

Introduction
To the Vacation Bible School Series
"Missionaries of Christ"

Our title "Missionaries of Christ" can have two meanings – 1. Missionaries who belong to Him: Christ's missionaries; 2. Missionaries for Christ, who serve Him and spread His name. We have purposefully allowed for this double meaning with the prayer that through this Bible-centered series our youth under the Spirit's guidance might be led to see that all who belong to Christ are also to be representatives, ambassadors, missionaries for Christ. For this reason, in addition to the five Bible names found on the cover of each student booklet, there is also a blank for each student to insert his/her own name. These are the stories included in this series.

<u>Missionary</u>	<u>Reference</u>	<u>Theme</u>
1. Paul	Acts 9:1-9; 18b-22	Converted by God to Preach Christ
2. Philip	Acts 8:26-40	Instructed by God to Speak His Word
3. Stephen	Acts 6:8; 7:51-60	Strengthened by God to Confess unto Death
4. Peter	Acts 10:9-16; 34-40; 42-43	Sent by God to Witness unto All
5. Lydia	Acts 16:9-15	Prepared by God to Live His Word

Here is an overview of the series.

Level	Cover Color	Suggested Age	Content
I	Green	Pre-school, K, 1 (Non-readers)	Simplified text, Picture worksheet
II	Blue	Grades 2-3 (Beginner Reader)	Same text as Level I, worksheet
III	Yellow	Grades 4-5	Text from Bible, worksheet
IV	Ivory	Grades 6-8	Same text as Level III, harder worksheet

Each booklet has a coloring page and application page for each story and a page of suggested memory work.

In addition to the student booklets, there are also two levels of Teacher's Notes, suggestions for arts and crafts, advertising posters, and answer sheets for the workbooks.

The price is \$1.50 per student book and \$1.50 per set of Teacher's Notes. The other items are included free. A sample packet of all materials is available for \$7.50, postage paid.

The translation used in the series is the NKJV.

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May the Spirit of God bless this series. May He bless the Word that is sown and bless the hearts that read and hear and lead both teacher and student into the truth of God.

"...God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself, not imputing their trespasses to them, and has committed to us the word of reconciliation. Now then, we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were pleading through us: we implore you in Christ's behalf, be reconciled to God."

II Corinthians 5:19-20

Behold what the Savior has done for you!
Tell shat the Savior has done for others!