

UNIT VERSE

Encourage one another to love and do good works.
—HEBREWS 10:24

FILL IN THE MISSING
LETTERS

Use the answer key to fill in the missing letters.



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P _ _ i _ _ ip



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J _ _ _ u _ _ .



ACTS
8:35

THINK ABOUT IT

Who can you tell about Jesus?



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CONVERSATION

An Ethiopian Heard About Jesus

ACTS 8:26-40

Philip was busy telling people about Jesus. One day God sent an angel to talk to Philip. The angel told Philip to go to a desert road that goes between Jerusalem and Gaza. Philip got up and went.

He saw a chariot. A very important man from Ethiopia sat in the chariot. He was reading from a scroll (the Bible).

“Go to the chariot,” God said. Philip obeyed. He heard the man reading the Bible aloud. He was reading from the Book of Isaiah.

“Do you understand what you’re reading?” asked Philip.

“How can I,” he asked, “unless someone helps me?”

The Ethiopian man asked Philip to sit in the chariot with him and help him understand what the Bible passage means. Philip explained that the prophet Isaiah was telling about what would happen when Jesus came. The Ethiopian man was happy to learn about Jesus. He decided to believe that Jesus was God’s Son that very day.

As the chariot traveled down the road, it came to some water.

“Look,” said the man from Ethiopia. “There’s some water. Will you baptize me?”

The chariot stopped. Philip and the man went down into the water. Philip baptized the man. When the man came up out of the water, he did not see Philip. The man from Ethiopia got back into his chariot and went on his way rejoicing. Philip continued to travel and tell everyone the good news about Jesus.



THE BIBLE MEETS LIFE

Today your child learned that at church people learn about baptism. The Ethiopian was ready to be baptized when he understood who Jesus is.

LIVE IT OUT

If your child has not seen someone being baptized, allow her to view a baptism in your church. Explain that baptism shows that the person loves Jesus and is obeying God.

LEVEL OF BIBLICAL LEARNING

A person is baptized after he or she becomes a Christian.

DAILY BIBLE READING

Sunday: Acts 2:38

Monday: 1 Corinthians 12:13

Tuesday: Acts 10:48

Wednesday: Acts 22:16

Thursday: Luke 3:16

Friday: Acts 16:33

Saturday: Mark 16:16

WEEKLY BIBLE VERSE: Philip told the good news about Jesus. Acts 8:35

LIFE POINT: At church, people learn about baptism.

TAKE IT FURTHER: Check out *An Ethiopian Heard About Jesus* in Bible Studies for Life: LifeWay Kids App.