

Then Jesus suddenly asked the Pharisees this question, "What do you think about the Messiah or Saviour? Whose Son is He?" "The son of David", they answered immediately. "How is it then", asked Jesus, "that David says in one of his Psalms, 'The Lord said unto my Lord (the Messiah), Sit Thou on My right hand, till I make Thine enemies Thy footstool'? If He be David's Lord, how can He be only his Son?" In this way Jesus showed that it was wrong to think that the Messiah was merely a Descendant of David; He was more than this,—the Son of God. The Pharisees could not answer Jesus, and from that day they asked Him no more questions.

Questions on the Lesson

1. Whom did the Pharisees send to Jesus?
2. What did these ask Him?
3. Who came to Him next with a puzzling question?
4. Whom did the Pharisees now send to question Jesus?
5. What question did the lawyer ask?
6. What did Jesus say was the first and greatest commandment?
7. What other was like it?
8. What did Jesus mean by saying, "On these hang all the law and the prophets"?
9. What question did Jesus then ask the Pharisees?
10. Whose Son did they say the Messiah was?
11. What was He more than this?
12. What is the Golden Text?

Lesson Story

Bob held up a shining dollar, "I've earned it too, Mother", he said proudly. "That cross old Byers has ordered me round all week, and I don't believe I'd have stood it, if I hadn't thought of this, and all the things I can get with it. And he said, when I was coming away, 'You know one thing, and that's how to do what you're told.'"

It wasn't long after, that Mother called Bob in from his play, and she wondered at the bright smile and willing step. "I'm afraid, dear, there are no silver dollars waiting for the boy who runs *my* messages." "Oh, but Mother", and Bob looked up manfully, "I run your messages because I love you, and your thanks are better than old Byers' dollar. And isn't it queer, too, Mother, it doesn't seem like work, when we do it for some one we love?"

Lesson Hymn

Great love of God, come in,
Wellspring of heavenly peace,
Thou Living Water, come,
Spring up, and never cease.
—Hymn 181, Book of Praise

The Catechism

PRIMARY CATECHISM—114. What are baptism and the Lord's Supper called? Baptism and the Lord's Supper are called sacraments. 115. Are there any sacraments besides baptism and the Lord's Supper? No. Jesus appointed only these two.

SHORTER CATECHISM—Review Questions 69-72.

The Question on Missions

12. Are Indians becoming good Christian citizens? The work of Christianizing the Indian has been slow, yet much has been done. Paganism is dying out. Many of the Indians have cast aside their blankets, and adopted the dress of the white man. Neat, comfortable homes and fields of grain show progress.

SOMETHING TO DO AT HOME

Copy this big question mark, and remember Jesus' answer in the Lesson to the lawyer's



question, how He said that we should love God most of all, and love our neighbor as well as we love ourselves.

I Have Learned To-day

THAT I SHOULD HAVE A LOVING
HEART