

International Bible Lessons

Studies in the Gospel by John

FIRST QUARTER: LESSON CALENDAR

1. January 1	Christ The True Light. John 1: 1-14.
2. January 8	Christ's First Disciples. John 1: 35-46.
3. January 15	Christ's First Miracle. John 2: 1-11.
4. January 22	Christ and Nicodemus. John 3: 1-16.
5. January 29	Christ at Jacob's Well. John 4: 5-15.
6. February 5	The Nobleman's Son Healed. John 4: 43-54.
7. February 12	Christ's Divine Authority. John 5: 17-27.
8. February 19	Christ Feeding the Five Thousand. John 6: 1-14.
9. February 26	Christ at the Feast. John 7: 14, 28-37.
10. March 5	Christ Freeing from Sin. John 8: 12, 31-36.
11. March 12	Christ Healing the Blind Man. John 9: 1-11.
12. March 19	Christ the Good Shepherd. John 10: 1-16.
13. March 26	REVIEW.



LESSON VI.

THE NOBLEMAN'S SON HEALED

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John 4: 43-54. Commit to Memory vs. 49-51.

43. Now after (1) two days he departed thence, and went into Galilee.

44. For Jesus himself testified, that a prophet saith no honour in his own country.

45. Then when he was come into Galilee, the Galileans received him, having seen all the things that he did at Jerusalem at the feast: for they also went unto the feast.

46. (2) So Jesus came again into Caperna of Galilee, where he made the water wine. And there was a certain (8) nobleman, whose son was sick at Capernaum.

47. When he heard that Jesus was come out of Judea into Galilee, he went unto him, and besought him that he would come down, and heal his son: for he was at the point of death.

48. (4) Then said Jesus unto him, Except ye see signs and wonders, ye will (5) not believe.

49. The (3) nobleman saith unto him, (6) Sir, come down ere my child die.

50. (4) Jesus saith unto him, Go thy way; thy son liveth. And the man believed the word that Jesus had spoken unto him, and he went his way.

51. And as he was now going down, his (7) servants met him, and told him, saying, Thy son liveth.

52. Then enquired he of them the hour when he began to amend. And they said unto him, Yesterday at the seventh hour the fever left him.

53. So the father knew that it was (8) at the same hour, in the which Jesus said unto him, Thy son liveth: and himself believed, and his whole house.

54. This is again the second miracle that Jesus did, when he was come out of Judea into Galilee.

Revised Version.—(1) The two days; (2) He came therefore; (3) Marg., King's officer; (4) Jesus therefore said; (5) In no wise; (6) Marg., Lord; (7) Marg., Greek, bondservants; (8) At that hour in which.

GOLDEN TEXT

"Jesus saith unto him, Thy son liveth; and himself believed, and his whole house." John 4: 53.

DAILY READINGS

- John 4: 43-54. The nobleman's son healed.
- John 9: 13-25. Doings at the feast.
- Matt. 8: 5-13. A believing centurion.
- Matt. 9: 13-23. A ruler's faith.
- Heb. 4: 9-16. Boldness in prayer.
- Heb. 11: 1-6. Necessity of faith.
- 1 John 5: 10-15. Faith and Life.

LESSON PLAN

CHRIST HEALING A SICK BOY.

I. WELCOME, 43-45.

By the Galileans; Because of his wonderful works in Jerusalem.

II. SOUGHT FOR, 46-49.

At Caperna; By a nobleman; To heal his son; Who would not be put off.

III. TRUSTED, 50.

Jesus said "Go"; He believed and went.

IV. BLESSING, 51-54.

Life to the sick; A better life to all.

TIME

December, A.D. 27.

PLACES

Caperna, a village of Galilee, near Nazareth; Capernaum, a city on the north-western shore of the Sea of Galilee.

CATECHISM

Q. 47. What is forbidden in the first commandment.

A. The first commandment forbiddeth the denying, or not worshipping and glorifying, the true God as God, and our God; and the giving of that worship and glory to any other, which is due to him alone.

LESSON HYMNS 87 (Ps.), 92, 95, 167, 544, 147.

CONNECTING LINKS

The conversation with the woman at the well resulted in her conversion. On her testimony many of the Samaritans believed on Jesus (ch. 4: 39). At their request He tarries with them, and many more believe because of His own teaching (v. 41, 42). At the end of the two days He continues His journey into Galilee.