

sons and daughters of God. And so Jesus came to dwell amongst men on earth, and those who became His friends and followers rejoiced because they saw in Him God's own wonderful kindness and love and truth. And the better they knew Him, the more they loved Him and trusted Him with all their hearts.

Questions on the Lesson

1. How many of Jesus' followers wrote about what He had said and done? 2. Which of them tells most about what He was like? 3. How far back does John go in his story? 4. What did Jesus make? 5. Why is He called the Word? 6. Who was sent before Jesus? 7. For what purpose? 8. What did he tell the people they must do? 9. Were there many who welcomed Jesus when He came into the world? 10. How did even His own people receive Him? 11. What great blessing did He give those who loved and trusted Him? 12. What is the Golden Text?

Lesson Story

The little blind boy was outside asking questions of the children who could see. "Is there one big cloud in the sky, or lots of little ones?" "One great big one, and some baby ones!" they cried; "and the sun's making streaks of gold along the top of the big one, and the under part's dark and purple." "Perhaps a thunder storm's coming", ventured the blind boy. "And which is the greenest to-day, the grass or the trees?"

"Oh, the trees are the brightest. They're casting such big shadows on the grass, they're making it look quite black." "Cept over in that corner", cried another eager voice, "it looks most as bright as the sun itself, with all those yellow buttercups". And Granny in a corner of the veranda heard it all. "They never saw the beautiful things around them before he came", she said. "The little blind boy who had no light in his own eyes taught them how much they had in theirs."

Lesson Hymn

Jesus! name of wondrous love!
Name all other names above!
Unto which must every knee
Bow in deep humility.

Jesus! name of wondrous love,
Human name of God above!
Pleading only this, we flee,
Helpless, O our God, to Thee. Amen.
—Hymn 32, Book of Praise

The Catechism

PRIMARY CATECHISM—65. What do we mean by the Ten Commandments? The Ten Commandments are God's holy law.

SHORTER CATECHISM—82. *Is any man able perfectly to keep the commandments of God?*
A. No mere man since the fall is able in this life perfectly to keep the commandments of God, but doth daily break them in thought, word, and deed.

The Question on Missions

(First Quarter, AT SCHOOL IN CENTRAL INDIA.) 1. Who are the Christian boys and girls under the care of our missionaries in India? Many of them belong to Christian families, but a large number are orphans, who came in during the famine a few years ago, chiefly from among the farming class, but many also from among the Bheels, or jungle tribes

SOMETHING TO DO AT HOME

We often need a lantern on a dark night, to show us the way. Much more do we need Jesus to guide us in all we say and do. And,



because He is a safe and wise Guide for all men, He is called the "Light of the World". Color the picture.

I Have Learned To-day That
JESUS WILL DWELL IN MY HEART