



The Lame Man Healed

Lesson Theme: Jesus' name is powerful.



Materials:

- Crown
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Bible Character: John



Bible Verse

"Peter said, '. . . By the power of Jesus Christ from Nazareth—stand up and walk!'"
Acts 3:6 ICB



Bible Story

My First Study Bible, pp. 448–53, "A Lame Man Is Healed"

Story Application:

- Peter used Jesus' name to heal the paralyzed man. Jesus' name has power and authority!
- When you are playing with your friends, if they say to you, "Go wash your hands," do you have to go wash your hands? (no) But if your mom says, "Go wash your hands," do you have to go wash your hands? (Yes!) Your mom is an authority over you. You must obey your mom and dad.
- Jesus is the authority over everyone and everything! Jesus is so powerful that even His name has the power to heal.
- Review the rules for the game "Teacher Says." This time, whoever is wearing the crown has the authority and the power to be the "teacher."

Instead of a craft today, play the following game with the children.

Teacher-Says Game (similar to "Simon Says"):

Teacher, give the children directions, but they should obey only if you say, "Teacher says." For example, "Teacher says, touch your feet. (Obey.) Teacher says, wiggle your hands. (Obey.) Touch your nose. (Do not obey—teacher didn't say!)"

Have fun playing this game.



Closing Prayer

Dear God, I praise Your name! God, You are my authority.



Parent Page

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Dear Parent,

Today your child heard the story of the lame man that was healed. We learned that Peter had the authority to heal in Jesus' name.

This week try these fun activities with your child:

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Let your child be the parent for one hour. He or She can make the rules, but he or she also has to do the parent's chores. Have fun in this role reversal.

2

Talk to your child about the different people in her life who are her authorities and deserve her respect.

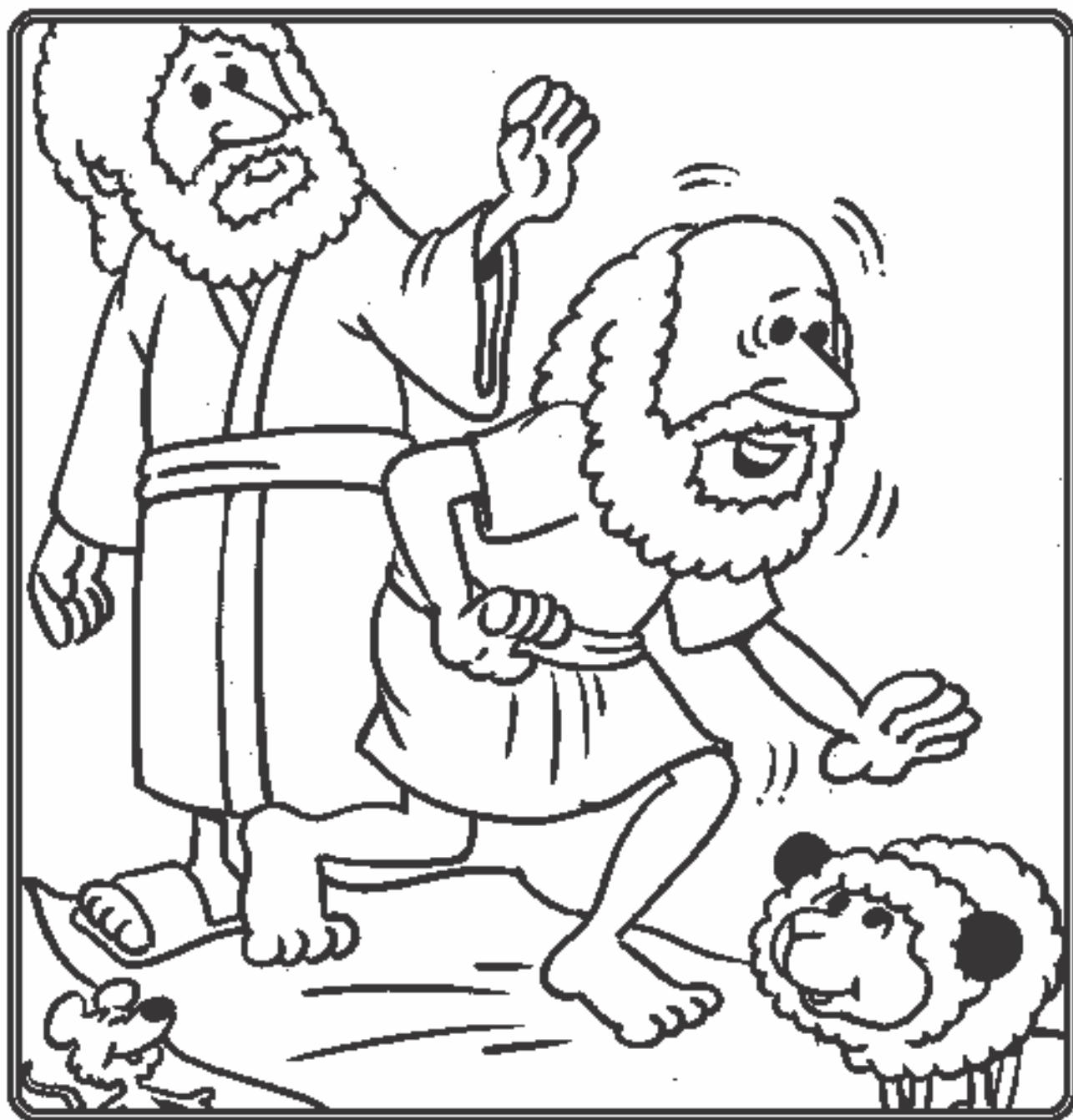


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