

# STORIES!

## WEEK 7

PRESCHOOL-5TH  
GRADE:

SAUL

DATE: 5/23/21

### READ:

- "A NEW WAY TO SEE" IN THE JESUS STORYBOOK BIBLE!
- IF YOU DON'T HAVE THAT BOOK, READ ACTS 9:1-19

### ANSWERS AND NOTES:

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### STORY!

- One man named Saul was determined to stop Christians and of all the people who kept the rules, Saul was the best. He started out on a trip to find Christians and arrest them but Saul had never met Jesus, so one day, Jesus met Saul. Saul was on his way to Damascus when suddenly a light flashed like lightning! Saul shielded his eyes and fell to the ground. He heard a loud voice. "Saul! Saul! Why are you fighting me?"
- "Lord?" Saul answered, "Who are you?"
- "I am Jesus." Said the voice. "When you hurt my friends, you are hurting me too. Go to the city, I'll tell you what to do."
- After the voice was gone, Saul opened his eyes and realized he was blind. He had someone guide him to the city, where he met a man named Ananias. Ananias loved Jesus, but Jesus had told Ananias to pray for Saul to make him see again. Ananias was scared because Saul had been the one to hurt people like Ananias. Ananias saw Saul who was still blind, and he prayed for him. Suddenly Saul could see again and he changed his name to Paul which means "small and humble." The opposite of the man Saul had been.

### QUESTIONS:

- Why was Saul on his way to Damascus?
- What happened to Saul on the road?
- Why was Ananias afraid to go to see Saul?
- If you were Ananias, what would you have been thinking? What if you were Saul?

### Activity: Saul Sees The Light

- This week you have a coloring sheet that goes with your story. This story talked about Saul seeing this huge flash of light that was like lightning. Color the sheet and think about how Saul must have felt when that flash of light blinded him.