

Demons Destroyed

Jesus casts out evil spirits Mark 5:1-20



Challenge your child to retell the story. Help him or her remember key details by asking the following questions:

- What did Jesus do to the man who had all the evil spirits inside of him? (Jesus made him well. Jesus commanded all the evil spirits to leave him.)
- ★ What did the evil spirits ask Jesus to do? (send them into the herd of pigs)
- What did Jesus tell the man to do? (Jesus told him to stay and tell everyone what He had done.)

Read the following thought aloud to help increase your child's understanding:

Jesus has power that only God has. Even the evil spirits knew who Jesus was. They were scared of Jesus' great power and had to obey Him.



Together, discover how this specific lesson ties into God's Big Story. Read the following aloud to your child:

Jesus showed who He is by doing things that only God can do. Only God can cast out evil spirits by just the power of His word. Jesus only spoke, and the man was healed.



A crowd soon gathered (extend arms, then bring in to yourself) around Jesus, and they saw (place hand over your brow and look around) the man who had been possessed (cross fists tightly over chest) by the legion of demons. He was sitting there (relax arms down, palms out) fully clothed and perfectly sane, and they were all afraid (gasp with wide eyes as if afraid). Mark 5:15 (NLT)



Dear God,

Your power is great and so is Your love. Thank You for making the man well. Help me to remember that You have the power to help me also. Amen.

