

The Transfiguration of Jesus



Jesus took Peter, James and John up on a high mountain.



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Peter thought they should build a shelter for Jesus, Moses and Elijah.



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A cloud appeared above them and God said "This is My beloved Son. Hear Him!"



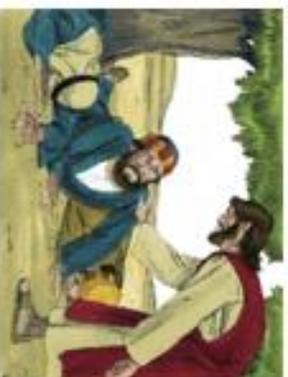
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Jesus was transformed or changed! His clothes were bright white and his face was shining.



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They fell to the ground and Jesus touched them and told them not to be afraid.



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Moses and Elijah appeared with Jesus.



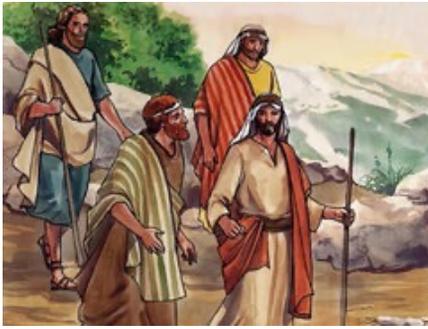
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Jesus told them not to tell anyone what they saw and they kept silent..



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Jesus took Peter, John, and James, and went up the mountain to pray.

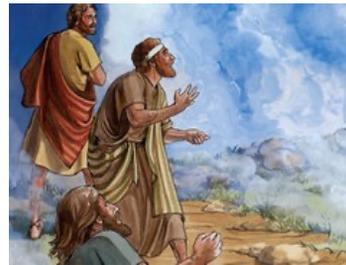


As He was praying, the appearance of His face was transformed, and His clothes became very bright, a brilliant white. Then two men, Moses and Elijah, began talking with Him. They appeared in glorious splendour and spoke about His departure that He was about to carry out at Jerusalem.

Now Peter and those with him were quite sleepy, but as they became fully awake ...



... they saw His glory and the two men standing with Him.



Then as the men were starting to leave, Peter said to Jesus, 'Master, it is good for us to be here. Let us make three shelters, one for you and one for Moses and one for Elijah' – not knowing what he was saying.

As he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them, and they were afraid as they entered the cloud. Then a voice came from the cloud, saying, 'This is my Son, my Chosen One. Listen to Him!'

After the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone.



So they kept silent and told no one at that time anything of what they had seen.





While Jesus was up on a high mountain, his face and clothes shone brightly

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Jesus took Peter, James, and John up onto a mountain to be alone. These disciples witnessed an amazing event. As they watched, Jesus transfigured (He changed appearance). His face shone like the sun and his clothes became as white as the light. Although they had been long dead, Moses and Elijah appeared with Jesus and the three of them spoke together. Finally, a cloud enveloped them and a voice from the cloud said, "This is my Son . . . listen to Him."



The Glory Of God

Transfiguration means "transformed". Jesus was transformed into a glorious image in which His face shone like the sun and his clothes became as white as the light. This image was nothing like Peter, James and John had ever seen before. It showed them that Jesus truly was from God. This was an actual demonstration of the fact that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Living God.

Have a Go.....

Make a Jesus Transfiguration card
Cut out the Jesus template
Fold a sheet of coloured card ,
and then use a yellow wax crayon.
Starting at the centre of the page,
draw several lines going from the
centre out to the edges of the
paper. Go over the top with white
wax crayon.
Stick the Jesus silhouette on top.



'I wonder' questions

I wonder what does "transfigured" mean?

Changed or transformed

I wonder which 2 men from the Old Testament appeared on the mountain with Jesus?

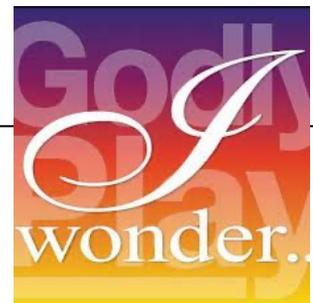
Moses and Elijah

I wonder whose voice did the disciples hear, coming out of the bright cloud on the mountain?

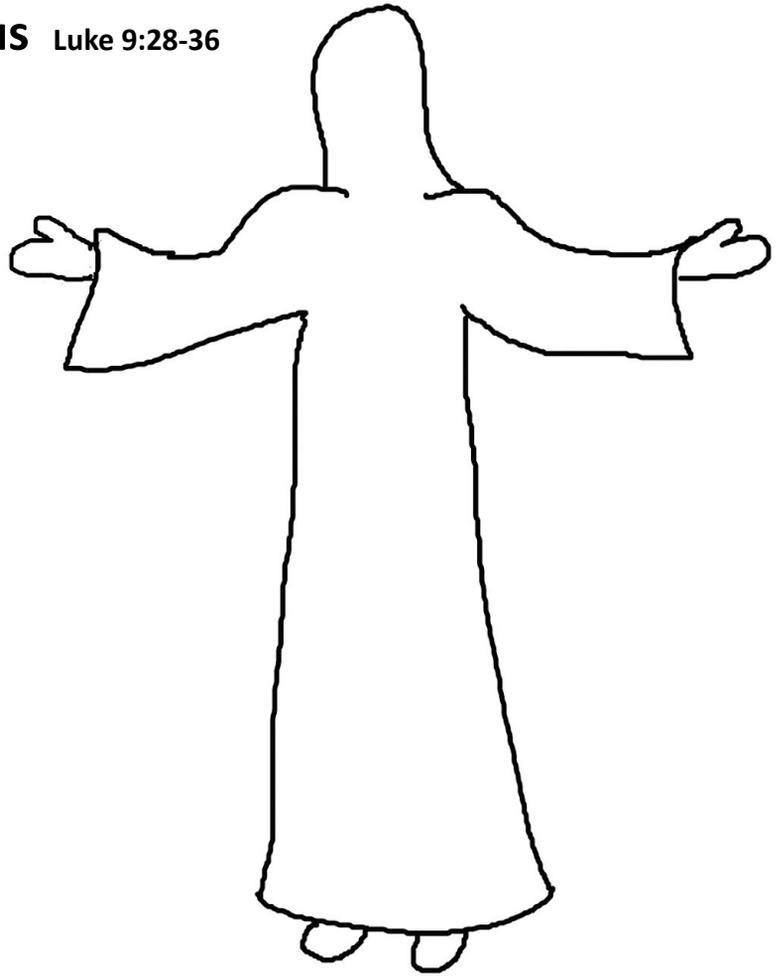
The voice of God

I wonderJesus was God's son..... What did God tell the disciples to do?

Listen to Jesus



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