

All Aboard

Feb 1/2
Feb 8/9

LARGE GROUP

Woman at the Well

HOST:

“Hello, friends! It’s a brand-new month – February! February is a perfect month to celebrate LOVE! And not just a little love – a great big Love! The Love that Jesus has for You! (point someone out) And you! And you! And you! That’s right! Jesus loves me and he loves you and he loves EVERYONE! This month when I ask you, ‘**Who does Jesus love?**’ I want you to say: ‘**Jesus loves everyone!**’

Let’s try that! ‘**Who does Jesus love?**’ ‘**Jesus loves everyone!**’ (*Encourage children to say the entire bottom line statement.*)

That’s right! Jesus loves EVERYONE! And he wants to be our friend forever! Let’s stand up and worship!

SONG 1: FRIEND FOREVER

SONG 2: NOBODY LOVES ME LIKE YOU

WORSHIP LEADER:

“That’s right, friends! Jesus loves us when we’re sad or scared. Jesus loves us no matter what. Nobody loves us like Jesus! **Who does Jesus love? Jesus loves everyone!**

Yes he does! Our memory verse straight from the Bible says...

Love each other (*give yourself a big hug*) **as I** (*point up with both fingers*) **have loved you** (*bring fingers down and point all over at all the kids*), **John 15:12** (*open hands like a book*).

Can you say it with me?

(Repeat several times)

We can love others because Jesus loves us! Jesus loves everyone!

Who does Jesus love? Jesus loves everyone!

STORYTELLER:

Friends, this month we are going to be talking about trains. Can you all stand up and show me how to be a train? Let's do our arms like this (*demonstrate*) and say chugga-chugga....(*etc. pretend to be a train with them*). Chugga-Chugga-Choo-Choo...Jesus loves you! Now let's pretend that Jesus has a train. And what if Jesus called, 'All aboard!?' Let's try it. Say it with me! 'All Aboard!'

If Jesus was the conductor on a train I bet he would invite EVERYONE to climb aboard his train, no matter who they are! Because Jesus loves everyone!

Well today we are going to hear a story about a woman who was from a different town than Jesus. People from this town usually weren't friends with people from Jesus' town, but do you think Jesus was friendly to her? Let's watch our Ollie video and find out!

OLLIE VIDEO: WOMAN AT THE WELL

STORYTELLER:

"So friends, tell me....If Jesus was the train conductor who do you think would get on the train? Do you think people who live where it's really, really cold—are they invited on the train? (Pause.) Yes! What about people who live where it's really, really hot? Are they invited on Jesus' train? (Pause.) Yes! What about all the people who live in a super tall building? Are they invited on Jesus' train? (Pause.) Yes! What about people who live in a small house or building? Are they invited on the train? (Pause.) Yes! No matter where you live, Jesus wants to be your friend forever and He loves you. Everyone is invited on Jesus' train. He loves everyone.

Who does Jesus love? Jesus loves everyone.

Yes he does! Jesus loves everyone! Let's pray together and thank God.

PRAYER "Dear God, thank You for sending Jesus to be our friend forever. Thank You for today's TRUE story of the day Jesus met the woman at the well. Thanks for reminding us that Jesus loves everyone and we can, too. We love You. In Jesus' name we pray, amen."

HOST:

"Jesus loves me and he loves you! He loves everyone! And because Jesus showed us how to love, we can love others the same way! Let's sing a song about that!"

SONG 3: LOVE ONE ANOTHER AND BE KIND