

FOLLOW UP ACTIVITY

FINDING SEEDS

Objectives to be Understood: For children to know, 1) Father put the seed inside of animals, birds, fish, fruit, vegetables and plants for everything to have babies and grow again from the seed in it, and; 2) all people were born from the seed inside the first man Adam.

MATERIALS: Paper plates (one per child), Pencils, Markers, Crayons, Ribbon.

PREPARATION BEFORE TEACHING:

Draw two lines across the center of the paper plate to divide the plate into quarters, like a pie cut into four sections. Optional: Bring different types of seeds to show.

Parent/Teacher Script: Ask the children:

Have you ever seen a seed inside of an apple or an orange? What are some other fruits or vegetables that you have seen seeds inside of? *(Listen to Responses. Help children identify other fruits and vegetables with seeds.)*

Does an apple seed and a peach seed look alike? No, the apple seed is smaller. The peach seed is big, hard and has ridges on it.

Do all seeds look alike? No God made each kind of seed to look different from other kinds of seeds.

When God made the earth, He put the seed of animals, birds, fish, fruits, vegetables and plants for every kind of thing to have its own babies and grow again from its kind of seed in it.

Why do you think God put seeds inside of the things He made? *(Listen to Responses)* God planned for everything to have babies and grow again from the kind of seed He put in it. God did not have to make the same things over again because its seed would grow it again.

Did you know that God put the seed inside of the first man Adam for all people to be born from Adam?

Yes, and you and all people, your mommy, daddy, and everyone was born from the seed that God put in Adam.

Let's see who can answer this question the quickest!

What is the name of the man that God put the seed inside of for all people to be born from? *(Listen to Responses)* Adam! That's right! All people were born from the seed in Adam.

We are going to have a SEED CONTEST.

You are each getting a paper plate. *(Distribute paper plates)*

Draw one picture of a different fruit or vegetable on each section of the plate.

Only draw a fruit or vegetable that you have seen a seed inside of it.

You can take your plate home to find a seed from every fruit or vegetable that you drew.

Glue the seed of that fruit or vegetable next to the picture you drew.

Everyone who brings their plate back with the seeds WINS.

WHEN CHILDREN RETURN THEIR PLATES:

(Give everyone that brings their plate back with any seeds a ribbon or a sticker.)

ASK THESE TWO QUESTIONS AGAIN:

- 1) Why do you think God put seeds inside of the things He made? *(Listen to Responses)* God planned for everything to have babies and grow again from the kind of seed He put in it. God did not have to make the same things over again because its seed would grow.

- 2) What is the name of the man that God put the seed inside of for all people to be born from? *(Listen to Responses)* Adam! All people were born from the seed in Adam.

Additional Activity:

Plant seeds, water as needed, and place the planted seeds in an area where they can get appropriate amount of sunlight to grow.

Outcome: Children can see that a plant can grow again from its seed.

Scriptures:

Genesis 1:11-12, 1:20-22, 1:24-25, 1:26-30